



TOWN OF SURFSIDE

GAZETTE

AUGUST
2012

Message from the Town Manager

The Summer doldrums have by passed Surfside. There is activity everywhere. The water/sewer/storm drainage project is now more than 60 percent complete. Our recent focus has been to complete the drainage project below 93rd Street to 88th Street along Bay Drive. The residents of this area have had to undergo the most complex and long lasting element of the project. The pumps and drainage structures are nearly complete and new curb/gutter and first lift (course) of asphalt have been installed. For those of you who were concerned when we had nearly 12 inches of rain in three days with most of the rain coming at high tide, please rest assured that the new system is working even without the pumps completed. What most people saw was ponding in the road because the one inch reveal where the asphalt meets the concrete gutter is necessary until the final lift (wearing course) is laid. This step will be done town wide when all other construction is complete. This helps to ensure that the final smooth lift of asphalt is uniform and undamaged town wide. We have begun Phase 3 of the project which is the new water lines and sewer replacement/repair from 93rd Street north to the Town limits. Our focus will be to complete the north end of Byron Avenue before school starts. This is a traffic choke point that is very frustrating to our residents and the folks who live on Byron Avenue. We are working with Miami Dade County to improve the timing of the traffic signal to let more cars turn on to 96th Street and not get stopped at the light for the entrance to the Bal Harbour Shops parking facility.

Moving on, the Public Works and Parking Departments have completed the renovation of the 93rd Street, Town Hall East/Recreation Center and Shul parking lots. Kudos for a job well done and a terrific upgrade. The new signage should go in within six weeks which will demonstrate a fresh new image for Surfside. These projects are funded with parking revenues and use no property taxes. The remaining three lots are on hold until the parking structure feasibility study is complete. This study will allow a decision to be made by the Town Commission based on independent rational and professional analysis. Please respond to the surveys that will be included in the next issue so that your thoughts regarding downtown parking can be included in the data base.

The preliminary report regarding the seawall conditions at all the street ends in Surfside and Surfside Park has been received. The results are not good. Some seawalls are in very poor condition and others need work to ensure their continued life. The report will be discussed by the Town Commission in their August 15, 2012 meeting. The Administration's recommendation will be to accept the report and authorize us to apply to the Florida Inland Navigation District for a grant to help with the cost of repairing the seawalls. Check your property tax bill and you will see that a small millage is assessed by this agency. Perhaps we can get some of it back. We also plan to have an element of the project bidding to be unit prices to repair private seawalls. This cost will be borne by the property owners. However, the per foot cost will be a fraction of the individual lot repairs because the mobilization cost will be spread throughout the Town. More to follow on this project.

The FY 12/13 Budget process is well underway. The Town Commission has met in a work shop and a Special Meeting environment to give direction to the Administration. Right now, the

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Activist Honored for Contributions to Town

Doris "Dorie" Lurie, a long-time resident of Surfside, was recently recognized by the Town Commission for her many years of activism as a volunteer and contributor to a number of worthy causes and organizations, including founding the Town's Recycling Programs and Garden Club. A retired public relations executive, Dorie also



(L-R) Town Manager Roger Carlton, Commissioner Michelle Kligman, Dorie Lurie, Vice Mayor Michael Karukin, Commissioner Marta Olchyk and Town Attorney Lynn Dannheisser.

chaired the Tourist Bureau and Holiday Fund. Among many other honors, she is a Charter Member of the National Women's History Museum in Washington, D.C. **Thank you Dorie!**

It Happens ON HARDING AVE

Town Parking Study Underway

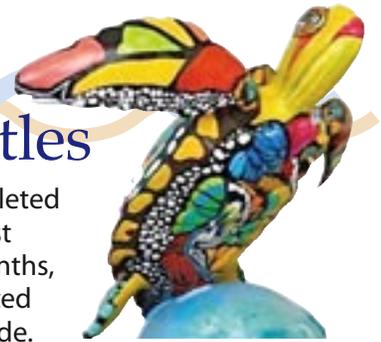
The Town is working with the consulting group Rich & Associates to conduct a Parking Structure Feasibility Study for the Town. This firm is presently reviewing the parking availability and usage around the Harding Avenue business district and Town Hall.

Part of the study includes conducting surveys of Surfside residents, visitors, business operators, business employees and downtown property owners. Surfside residents will have the opportunity to submit their views by completing a survey that will accompany the September Gazette. There will also be opportunities to participate in this study by attending two public hearings which will be scheduled for this Fall. Additional information will be in future Gazettes and on the Town's website (www.townofsurfsidefl.gov).



TOWN OF SURFSIDE
• PAY STATION LOCATIONS •

Tales of the Surfside Turtles



At right is the first completed Surfside Turtle, by artist artist D.L. Watson. In the next months, more turtles will be completed and displayed around Surfside. Below is a profile on one of the Tales artists.



Janie Casoria is an award winning multi-media artist. Whether it's whimsical painted furniture, a glass mosaic sculpture or furniture, a mural, a tropical sculpture or a sculptured door, she wants her art to inspire you and make you smile. She incorporates recycled items into most of her work, using anything from old doors to plant items and broken auto

windshield glass. Her artwork is sold in upscale galleries, through designers and by private commission for custom work. She has done work for the NHL, the Panthers and Marlins, hospitals, even Gibson Guitars. She shares her ideas and how-to projects on numerous television shows and art seminars.

Join the Downtown Vision Advisory Committee

Residents, downtown property owners and business operators are encouraged to join the Downtown Vision Advisory Committee and be a part of the exciting revitalization happening in Surfside's downtown! Contact Duncan Tavares, Tourism, Economic & Community Services Director at dtavares@townofsurfsidefl.gov or (305) 864-0722.

Downtown Business Owner Adds to Family

Congratulations to Jessica Weiss Levison and husband, Brent, as they welcomed Surfside's newest resident Mila Bear, born June 26 and weighing 7 lb. 3 oz. Jessica is a member of the Downtown Vision Advisory Committee, a Surfside resident and owner of Serendipity Yogurt Cafe on Harding Ave.



Surfside Tourist Bureau Ads in Visitor Magazine

The Surfside Tourist Bureau placed ads and information in Welcome Magazine, a publication with 250,000 circulation aimed at South Florida tourists. The ads promoted the Downtown Business District and the Surfside Spice program.



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proposed millage will be reduced to 5.4000 mills from 5.5000 mills. Staff have been directed by the Town Commission to analyze lowering the millage further to 5.0635 which will require \$417,000 in additional reductions or new non property tax revenues. There will be a Special Meeting of the Town Commission on August 23, 2012 at 4 pm to review the potential for achieving this lowered millage from the proposed 5.4000 mills and to review nine Summer Studies that provide detailed information on subjects such as building a dog park to revising how often and the methodology we use for collecting solid waste in the single family neighborhood. Please remember that your notice of proposed taxes will be mailed in late August, 2012. For the first time, this notice will contain your solid waste and recycling cost in the annual amount of \$277.08. Once you get the notice, come to the Special Meeting and two public hearings to be held September 10 and 24 at 5 pm in Town Hall.

We have a Special Election scheduled for August 28, 2012 to replace Commissioner Lisbon who is running for the State House of Representatives. As of this writing, three candidates have either qualified or have submitted signatures for verification by the Supervisor of Elections. It is extremely important that you vote. We are working with the League of Women Voters to schedule a candidate forum in the week before the election. Questions will be accepted in writing up to 30 minutes before the event and the League will determine which questions are asked of the candidates. There will also be three Town Charter Amendments on the ballot for the November 6, 2012 election. These questions will be explained in much more factual and value neutral detail in subsequent editions of the *Gazette*.

There is so much more to talk about, however, we have run out of space. Look for information about the Best Western, Surf Club and Shul projects which are all beginning their journey through the development review process; the potential second story on the Community Center and the undergrounding of utilities Town wide in future issues. Our efforts to attract a national tenant to the downtown area may soon come to fruition and the construction necessary to close Byron Avenue to northbound traffic at 88th Street will begin very soon. This will be a game changer for the quality of life in the single family neighborhood. Finally, the FDOT repaving of Collins and Harding Avenues is ahead of schedule. We have had some monumental traffic jams as predicted. To judge from the complaint level, some of the jams go as far north as Jacksonville. Thanks for your patience and understanding.

One last item. Remember to vote on August 14, 2012 (Primary and County Election for Mayor) and August 28, 2012 for the Special Town election. While I do not usually comment on ballot issues, there is a very deceptive and dangerous item on the August 14, 2012 ballot. The item relating to regulating pit bulls – if approved – would actually cease regulating these potentially very dangerous animals. Read it carefully. We do not need to have unregulated pit bulls in Surfside.

As always thanks for the opportunity to manage this wonderful community. Enjoy the rest of your summer.

-Roger M. Carlton

TOWN CALENDAR

AUGUST 2012

Wed 1 Surfside Spice continues through September
Mon 6 Tourist Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
Mon 6 Parks & Recreation Meeting, 7 p.m.
Tue 7 Endlessly Organic Produce 3-5 pm, Town Hall
Tue 7 Personal Safety Seminar, 6-9 pm, Town Hall - FREE
Tue 14 County-wide election, polls open 7 a.m. - 7 p.m.
Wed 15 Town Commission Meeting, 7 p.m. **NOTE DATE CHANGE**
Sat 18 Meow Mobile to be at Town Hall
Tue 21 Endlessly Organic Produce 3-5 pm, Community Center
Sun 26 Surfside Urban Gardeners, 2 pm, Community Garden
Tue 28 SPECIAL TOWN ELECTION, POLLS OPEN 7 am-7pm
Wed 29 Swearing-in ceremony for new official - Town Hall
Thur 30 Planning & Zoning Board meeting, 7 pm

SEPTEMBER 2012

Sat 1 Surfside Spice continues through September
Mon 3 Labor Day, Town Hall Closed for holiday
Tue 4 Endlessly Organic Produce 3-5 pm, Community Center
Wed 5 Tourist Board Meeting, 5:30 pm
Mon 10 First Budget Public Hearing, Town Hall, 5 pm
Tue 19 Town Commission Meeting, 7 p.m.
Mon 17 Parks & Recreation Meeting, 7 p.m.
Tue 18 Endlessly Organic Produce 3-5 pm, Community Center
Mon 24 Second Budget Public Hearing, Town Hall, 5 pm
Thur 27 Planning & Zoning Board meeting, 7 pm

TWO ELECTION DATES IN AUGUST

The Town of Surfside will hold a Special Election on **Tuesday, August 28, 2012** to fill the Commission vacancy created when Shelly Lisbon resigned to run for the Florida House of Representatives District 100 seat.

Also, the County-wide Miami-Dade election will be on Tuesday, August 14. Polls open 7 am-7 pm.

Do your civic duty and please vote.

North Shore Kiwanis Celebrate 60 Years



The North Shore Kiwanis were acknowledged as they marked 60 years of service in Surfside. The civic club raised funds for youth through events such as a dog show and car wash. Kiwanis members (L-R) Lee Wood, Elaine Killeen and Stan Bershard receive a plaque from Vice Mayor Michael Karukin.

Surfside Officers Capture Bank Robber



(L-R) Chief David Allen, Officer Jonathan Alvarez, Parking Enforcement Officer Alain Acosta, Officer Tammy Campbell, Vice Mayor Michael Karukin, Commissioner Michelle Kligman and Sgt. Jay Matelis.

While on patrol in the 9500 block of Abbott Avenue, **Officer Tammy Campbell** was notified by a witness that a man just robbed the Amtrust Bank. She pursued the suspect on foot to the Abbott parking lot where he entered his vehicle. She called for assistance while holding the suspect at gunpoint. **Sgt. Jay Matelis** arrived and removed the suspect from the car and handcuffed him. The robber was arrested and the money recovered. The man had been sought by the FBI for other bank robberies. Both officers received Officer of the Month honors.

Officer Jonathan Alvarez was patrolling an area where there had been a number of bikes stolen and saw a suspicious person riding a bike and wearing a backpack. Officer Alvarez stopped the person and he admitted to stealing the bike. The suspect was carrying bolt cutters, pliers and gloves in the backpack. Officer Alvarez was able to return the bike to the owner and was named Officer of the Month for protecting the property of Surfside residents.

Parking Enforcement **Officer Alain Acosta** received Civilian of the Month award for his outstanding effort and professionalism for working 25 shifts and issuing 495 citations. He also helps to maintain the parking pay stations and voluntarily patrols Surfside neighborhoods on the Segway and T3.

Ft. Lauderdale Officer Thanked for Apprehending Surfside Suspect



(L-R) Chief David Allen, Ft. Lauderdale Officer Heather Lee, Vice Mayor Michael Karukin and Commissioner Michelle Kligman.

Showing professionalism and cooperation between agencies, Ft. Lauderdale Officer Heather Lee was recognized for apprehending a suspect wanted for a brazen sexual assault in Surfside. While making a traffic stop, Officer Lee matched the subject to the information distributed by the Surfside Police and took the criminal into custody.



Police Teen Summer Camp



The Police Teen Summer camp had a SWAT presentation from Sgt. Julio Torres and Ofc. Jonathan Alvarez who are part of the Miami Beach Police Department SWAT team. The teens were able to try on the gear and see the SWAT equipment.

Stanley Flax Inspires Others with Creativity



It was a third grade teacher that taught Stanley Flax that using your imagination was a perfectly good way to learn. And in the many decades since, he has taught the very same idea to students at colleges, universities, nursing homes and our own Surfside Community Center. A native of Brooklyn, Stan grew up in the 1930s, obsessed with radio shows and the classic films of the golden era.

He worked at the New York State Department of Commerce while teaching as an adjunct professor at the City College of New York and Syracuse University. In 1986, he and his wife moved near Homestead and he taught at St. Thomas University. Their home was destroyed in Hurricane Andrew and fortune brought them to Surfside in 1993. Stanley continued to teach

at St. Thomas University until his retirement in 2004. Throughout his career, he has used his favorite films, radio and television shows as teaching tools.

"People need to exercise their minds, use creativity to solve problems. By connecting stories and themes to your own life, you find insight and stimulation," he said.

Stan recently taught popular classes at the Community Center using episodes of the original *Twilight Zone* and another using *Alfred Hitchcock Presents*. He first developed them for FIU's Oscher Learning Center. This fall, Stan will be teaching a free course at the Community Center on the great films by Paul Mini.

"No matter what age you are, never give up learning and expressing yourself." he said.

Kittens available for adoption



As part of the Town's PetsMart Charities Grant, kittens that have been neutered, have received all their shots and are litterbox trained are available for adoption.

The Grant provides equipment and supplies for improving the quality of life in

our community for both humans and animals. With the cooperation of concerned residents, the Town's efforts to reduce its population of free roaming cats is proving successful as the program expands throughout the town. It includes trapping cats and kittens for medical attention, neutering and, in some cases, adoption. It is important to alert the town of any free-roaming cats or kittens that do not have a "marked or tipped left ear," which signifies a feline has been neutered. Residents who regularly feed free-roaming cats should make sure volunteers are able to trap in that specific location. Do not leave animal food overnight and feed only on your own property not on sidewalks or in public sight in accordance with Town Code. Feeding cats on public property is allowed only with Town authorization.

The program is seeking teens who need community service credits, professionals who can volunteer or contribute their services or supplies and adults who can trap, foster or help with adoption efforts. Contact Dina Goldstein for information: dgoldstein@townofsurfsidefl.gov.

Searching for 'Stars of Surfside'

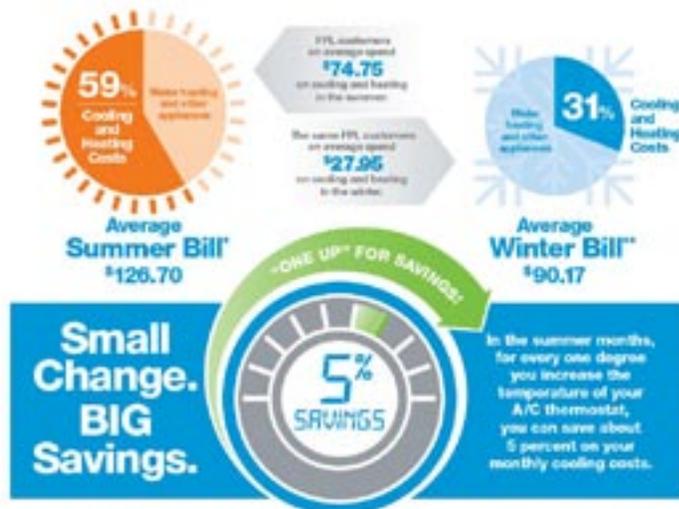
We want to profile interesting Surfsiders in the Gazette. Do you know someone who is worthy of consideration for a future Stars of Surfside profile? If so, please send us the complete contact information and the name, photo and the description of the Star of Surfside nominee.

Email to dhunziker@townofsurfsidefl.gov.

Summer Savings Tips: Keep Your Cool and Make the Most of Your A/C

Weather is the No.1 cause of higher electric bills

Even if you never change the thermostat setting on your A/C, the outside temperature directly affects how often and how long your A/C runs and what your cooling and heating costs will be.



SURFSIDE SIZZLES THIS SUMMER!



TASTE THE WORLD
ON TWO BLOCKS

THE RESTAURANTS
OF SURFSIDE
94th to 96th Streets
on Harding Ave
(Southbound A1A)

SURFSIDE SPICE
RESTAURANT PROMOTION
JULY - SEPTEMBER 2012

3 COURSES
\$22 OR \$30
PER PERSON

FOR COUPONS, PARTICIPATING
RESTAURANTS & MENU LISTINGS:
WWW.VISITSURFSIDEFL.COM
(305) 864-0722

3 COURSES ~ 1 PRICE: Choice of Appetizer, Choice of Entree, Set Dessert

\$22 or \$30 depending on the restaurant

Beverage, Taxes and Gratuity not Included

Participating Restaurants and Menus subject to change without notice



ASA-2 \$22.00

Appetizer

Garlic Shrimp
OR Grilled Provolone Cheese
OR Two Empanadas
(Chicken, Beef, Spinach or Ham and Cheese)

Main Course

Skirt Steak (Churrasco)
(Includes a house salad and one side dish)
OR Grilled Salmon seasoned with
aromatic herbs and lemon juice
(Includes a house salad and one side dish)
OR Cannelloni Crepes
(Beef, Chicken or Spinach)

Side Dishes: French Fries,
Mashed Potatoes, Baked Potato,
Rice, Potato Salad or Vegetables

Dessert

Flan with Caramel
OR Three Layer Chocolate Cake
OR Panqueque con Dulce de Leche

There will be an extra charge for any additional items
and substitutions. Not valid with any other offers.



B & H PIZZA & SUSHI BAR* \$22.00

Starter

Greek or Caesar Salad

Entrée (Choose Two)

Spicy Tuna Roll, California Roll, Salmon
Avocado Roll or Veggie Roll

Dessert

Apple, Guava, Strawberry,
or Chocolate Pastry



CAFÉ RAGAZZI \$22.00 Option

Appetizer

Insalata Cesare
OR Insalata Tricolore

Main Course

Spaghetti Bolognese
OR Pollo Limone

Dessert

Tiramisu

\$30.00 Option

Appetizer

Insalata Cesare
OR Insalata Tricolore

Main Course

Spaghetti Bolognese
OR Pollo Limone

Dessert

Tiramisu

One Coffee & One Glass of Wine



DIVINE PIZZA \$22.00

Starter

Caprese
OR Antipasto

Entrée

Chicken Portobello
OR Shrimp Fettuccini Alfredo

Dessert

Choice of Dessert Item and Coffee



LOTUS MIAMI* \$22.00 Option

Appetizer

Chicken Noodle Soup
OR Spring Roll and Poke Avocado
OR Satay Chicken

Entrée

Grilled Vietnamese Chicken
OR Shiitake Beef w/2 Sides

Dessert

Hawaiian Cake

\$30.00 Option

Appetizer

Meat Platter with Duck Roll, Satay
Chicken and Satay Beef with
Cucumber Salad
OR Fish Platter with Tataki, 2 Nigiri
and 1 Poke Avocado

Entrée

Spicy Orange Chicken
OR Kimchi Beef
OR Rib Eye 6oz
With Two Sides

Dessert

Banana Rolls with Caramel Dip



MONCHEESE PIZZA \$22.00

Starter

Choice of Salad

Entrée

Choice of Large Two Topping Pizza

Dessert

Chocolate Brownie
Or Flan



PESCECANE \$30.00

Appetizer

Insalata Caesar
OR Insalata Del Campo

Entrée

Chicken Piccata
With Roasted Rosemary Potatoes and
Spinach
OR Mahi Mahi San Marzano
Over Rosemary Potatoes in a red crushed
pepper San Marzano Sauce
OR Focchetti Gorgonzola

Dessert

Tiramisu



SPECCHIO \$22.00

Appetizer

Gazpacho
OR Shiitake and Spinach

Entrée

Ravioli with Salmon
Asparagus and Tomato
OR Hake with Lemon Sauce
OR Filet Mignon with Green Peppercorn

Dessert

Choice of Dessert Item and Coffee



THE GREEK PLACE \$22.00

Appetizer

Hummus with Pita Bread

Entrée

Chicken Kabob served over Rice and
Greek Salad
OR Mediterranean Salmon served over
Rice and Greek Salad

Dessert

Choice of Dessert Item

* Kosher Restaurant

2012 Business Directory SPECIAL GAZETTE INSERT

Tourist Bureau
9301 Collins Avenue
305-864-0722
www.visitsurfsidefl.com

ART GALLERIES & FRAMERS

Creative Framing
9538 Harding Avenue
305-864-4111
artandframe@comcast.net
www.miamiframing.com

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9471 Harding Avenue
305-397-8515
igalfedidagallery@yahoo.com
www.igalfedida.com

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9486 Harding Avenue
305-861-7755

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305-864-8607
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9525 Harding Avenue
305-993-3704
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9526 Harding Avenue
305-663-6500
dfuchs@fcb1929.com
www.floridacommunitybank.net

HSBC Bank
9501 Harding Avenue
305-864-9700
www.HSBC.com

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9599 Harding Avenue
305-866-0220
www.jgbank.com

Wells Fargo Bank
9401 Harding Avenue
305-795-2860
www.wellsfargo.com

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9564 Harding Avenue
305-867-5525
www.biguine.com

Capellus By Amor
9466 Harding Avenue
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capellus@hairdresser.net

Carousel Barber Shop
9504 Harding Avenue
305-861-2307

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9521 Harding Avenue
305-868-2044
www.extensiondreams.com

Femme Coiffure & Spa
9563 Harding Avenue
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flory@femmecoiffure.com
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305-861-8889
samy@hairbeauty.com
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Hair & Body New Dimensions
9488 Harding Avenue
305-861-8141

Luxe Skin Barber
9480 Harding Avenue
305-861-3735

Nina's Beauty Salon
9453 Harding Avenue
305-864-1155
ninasbeautysalon@att.net
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Rafe Sweetheart Beauty Shop
9437 Harding Avenue
305-866-5837
kkarenn07@yahoo.com

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9431 Harding Avenue
305-866-4352

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9545 Harding Avenue
305-864-6270
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305-866-9747
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305-968-2909
www.kouklakouture.com

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9433 Harding Avenue
305-397-8744

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Roni Shoes
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305-864-9565

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9532 Harding Avenue #104
305-865-1321
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262-95th Street
305-865-9623
seaviewcleaner2006@hotmail.com

Verdile's Mario The Tailor
9520 Harding Avenue 2nd floor
305-864-2543

Willy's Tailoring
9520 Harding Avenue, 2nd floor
754-235-5061

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Emergency Rescue Squad 911

Police Department
9293 Harding Avenue
305-861-4862

Town Hall
9293 Harding Avenue
305-861-4863
www.townofsurfsidefl.gov

Community Center
9301 Collins Avenue
305-866-3635

Recreation Department
9301 Collins Avenue
305-866-3635

96th Street Park, Pavillion/Playground
9572 Bay Drive
305-993-1371

Shaka Jons Café
9301 Collins Avenue
305-866-3635 • 786-364-6373

Tennis Court
8750 Collins Avenue
305-866-5176
icanplaytennis@bellsouth.net

Veterans Park
8750 Collins Avenue
305-866-3635



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DRY CLEANERS AND LAUNDRIES

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9463 Harding Avenue
305-866-3029
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262-95th Street
305-865-9623
seaviewcleaner2006@hotmail.com
Surf-Bal-Bay Cleaners
9421 Harding Avenue
305-866-0093

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9530 Harding Avenue
305-865-0900
Five Star Mobile Plus
9513 Harding Avenue
305-397-8608
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786-275-6487
marianela.moyano@yahoo.com
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305-582-2284
customer@vivapilates.com
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www.absolutflowers.net
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305-861-3735
jvflowers@aol.com
www.jvflowers.com

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9467 Harding Avenue
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www.kosherlandmarket.com
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305-865-1263
www.publix.com
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305-868-1578
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305-865-7455
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9520 Harding Avenue Unit 1
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www.moonovermiami.com

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Dr. Yoram C. Padeh
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305-866-7500
ypadeh@myallergydoc.com
Dr. Ilonka Schwartz
9445 Harding Avenue
305-866-7500
ilonkasp@yahoo.com
Dr. Vera Vasershteyn
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surfpainct@aol.com
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222-95th Street
305-861-1222
surfsidehearingaidcenter@gmail.com
www.surfsidehearingaidcenter.com
Surfside Pain Control Center
260-95th Street # 206
305-861-0078
surfpainct@aol.com

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Robust Argentine-Style Cuisine
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YOUTH PROGRAMS

CLASS	DAY	DATES & TERM	HOURS	Fee (per person)	No class
Gymnastics, age 3-5	Monday	9/10/12-10/29/12	4-4:55 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/17
Gymnastics, age 3-5	Monday	9/10/12-10/29/12	5-5:55 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/17
Gymnastics, age 6-12	Monday	9/10/12-10/29/12	6-6:55 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/17
Pre-School ballet, age 3-5	Tuesday	9/4/12-10/23/12	3-4:45 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/18
Stroller Strides	Wednesday	9/5/12-10/24/12	9:15-10 a.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/26
B Babies	Thursday	9/6/12-10/25/12	9:15-10 a.m.	\$72 residents/\$134 non	
Tots Kidokinetics, age 2-4	Tuesday	9/4/12-10/23/12	9:15 a.m. -10 a.m.	\$77 residents/\$119 non	9/18
Ballet, age 6-10	Tuesday	9/4/12-10/23/12	5-5:45 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/18
Tutoring, 3-4 grade	Monday	9/10/12-10/22/12	5-6:30 p.m.	\$30 residents/\$60 non	9/18
Tutoring, 5-6 grade	Monday	9/10/12-10/22/12	6:15-7:45 p.m.	\$30 residents/\$60 non	9/18
Soccer, age 4-5 coed	Tues & Thurs	9/25/12-12/6/12	4-5 p.m.	\$140 residents/\$289 non	11/20, 11/29
Soccer, age 6-9 coed	Tues & Thurs	9/25/12-12/6/12	5-6 p.m.	\$140 residents/\$289 non	11/20, 11/29
Soccer, age 8-13 coed	Tues & Thurs	9/25/12-12/6/12	6-7 p.m.	\$140 residents/\$289 non	11/20, 11/29
Gymnastics, age 3-5	Wednesday	9/25/12-12/24/12	4-4:55 p.m.	\$61 residents/\$117 non	9/26
Tutoring, grade 1-2	Wednesday	9/12/12-10/24/12	4:30 -5:30 p.m.	\$30 residents/\$60 non	9/26
Kidokinetics, age 3-5	Thursday	9/6/12-10/25/12	4:30 -5:15 p.m.	\$88 residents/\$134 non	
Young Breaker, age 6-13	Thursday	9/6/12-10/25/12	4:30-5:15 p.m.	\$72 residents/\$134 non	
Young Pop/Rock, age 6-13	Thursday	9/6/12-10/25/12	5:30-6:15 p.m.	\$72 residents/\$134 non	

ADULT PROGRAMS

Zumba Gold	Monday	9/10/12-10/22/12	10 - 10:45 a.m.	\$30 Resident/non TBA	9/17
Zumba	Monday	9/10/12-10/29/12	7:15-8:15 p.m.	\$48 Resident/non TBA	9/17
Beginner Salsa	Monday	9/10/12-10/15/12	7-7:45 p.m.	\$48 Resident/non \$118	
Intermediate Salsa	Monday	9/10/12-10/15/12	8-8:45 p.m.	\$48 Resident/non \$118	
Yoga	Wednesday	9/15/12-10/24/12	7-8 p.m.	\$54 Resident/non \$104	9/18
Pilates	Thursday	9/6/12-10/25/12	7-8 p.m.	\$62 Resident/non \$118	
Zumba	Friday	9/7/12-10/22/12	9-10 a.m.	\$62 Resident/non \$118	

ADULT TENNIS

Adult Doubles (res. recommended)	Monday	8/6/12-8/27/12	7:30-10:30 p.m.	\$10 per person Partner not necessary	
Ladies Tennis Night	Thursday	8/2/12-8/30/12	8-9:30 p.m.	\$5 per person Res. required by Wed	

SENIOR PROGRAMS

Senior Social	Mon & Wed	9/10/12-10/24/12	10 a.m.-12 p.m.	FREE	9/17, 9/26
Zumba Gold	Monday	9/10/12-10/22/12	10-10:45	55 and older, \$30 residents, Non TBA	9/17
The Great Paul Muni Films	Tuesday	9/4/12-10/30/12	1-3 p.m.	FREE	9/18

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday, Aug. 12	Back to School Open House	Community Center	1-5 p.m.	Free	
Tuesday, Sept. 4	Fall Session 1 Programs Begin	Community Center			
Monday, Sept. 17	Kids Day Off	Community Center	8 a.m.-6 p.m	\$20 Residents/\$35 non	
Wednesday, Sept. 26	Kids Day Off	Community Center	8 a.m.-6 p.m	\$20 Residents/\$35 non	
Every Thursday	Teen Scene, Ages 12-15	Fishbowl	6-7 p.m.	Free (coming soon)	

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Lap Swimming:

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(Hours are subject to change and weather conditions.)

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Mon-Thur, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Fri-Sun, 9 a.m.- 7p.m.

Sand Dollar Key:

Mon-Thur, 9 a.m. - 6 p.m.; Fri-Sun, 9 a.m.- 7p.m.

Water Slide:

Mon-Thur 12 p.m. - 3:30 p.m., Fri-Sun, 12 p.m. -6 p.m.

Lap Swimming:

Mon & Wed: 6:45-8:30 a.m. Mon-Fri: 3-5:30 p.m. (limited lanes)

Beach Lifeguard Tower: Every day, 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

AQUATIC PROGRAMS FALL 2012

CLASS	DAY	DATES & TERM	HOURS	Fee (per person)	No class
Swim team, age 6-15	Mon & Wed	9/10/12-11/14/12	5:30-6:30 p.m.	\$133 Resident/non \$199	9/17, 9/26
Swim team, age 6-15	Tue & Thur	9/11/12-11/15/12	5:30-6:30 p.m.	\$133 Resident/non \$199	9/18, 9/25
Toddler Readiness, age 24 months-3 yrs	Thur	9/6/12-10/25/12	5-5:30 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 3-5	Sat & Sun	9/8/12-9/30/12	9:30- 10 a.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 6-14	Sat & Sun	9/8/12-9/30/12	10:10- 10:40 a.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 3-5	Tue & Thur	9/4/12-9/20/12	3:30- 4 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	9/18
Learn to swim, age 6-14	Tue & Thur	9/4/12-9/20/12	4:10- 4:40 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	9/18
Learn to swim, age 3-5	Sat & Sun	10/13/12-11/4/12	9:30- 10 a.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 6-14	Sat & Sun	10/13/12-11/4/12	10:10-10:40 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 3-5	Tue-Thurs	10/9/12-10/24/12	3:30- 4 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Learn to swim, age 6-14	Tue-Thurs	10/9/12-10/24/12	4:10-4:40 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$100	
Surf's Up at Surfside, age 6-15	Sunday	10/7/12-10/28/12	10-11:30 a.m.	\$100 Resident/non \$150	
Adult Swim Lessons	Fridays	9/7/12-10/26/12	5:30-6 p.m.	\$68 Resident/non \$118	
Adult Swim Training	Tues & Thurs	9/11/12-11/15/12	6:45-7:45 a.m.	\$50 Resident/non \$100	9/18, 9/25
Aqua Zumba	Tuesdays	8/21/12-10/24/12	8:45-9:30 a.m.	\$62 Res/non \$118 Seniors \$40 Res/\$80	9/18, 9/25
Aqua Zumba	Thursdays	8/23/12-10/25/12	8:45-9:30 a.m.	\$62 Res/non \$118 Seniors \$40 Res/\$80	9/20, 9/27

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www.townofsurfsidefl.gov
Water/sewer/storm drainage info:
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