



# St. Pete Beach eNews

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Sun: Closed

## COMMUNITY CENTER HOURS

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## UPCOMING MEETINGS

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**~MESSAGE FROM MAYOR SCHECHNER~**—Introducing monthly iced tea and casual conversations with Mayor Schechner and City Manager Saunders.

We truly want to know what is important our residents and businesses.

Enjoy some ice tea and cookies as we listen to your questions, ideas and comments, or stop by and hear what your neighbors in St. Pete Beach have to say. Everyone is welcome.

Please join us for our first conversation on **Wednesday November 16<sup>th</sup> from 3:30 to 4:30 p.m.** upstairs at City Hall.

I look forward to seeing you!

Sincerely,  
Mayor Deborah Schechner  
St. Pete Beach Florida

**~LIBRARY NEWS & EVENTS~**— Library closed Friday, November 11, in honor of Veterans Day; Tuesday, 10:30 am, Book Discussion Group, *Tesla: Inventor of the Electrical World* by W. Bernard Carlson; Tuesday, 3:00 pm, E-Reader Help Hour (get library books for Kindle and other tablets); Wednesday, 11:00 am & 6:00 pm, Movie Day at the Library, *Star Trek Beyond*; Thursday, 11:00 am, Mother Goose Time with Grace (ages 3 and under); Thursday, 4:00 pm, Tail Waggin' Tutors (skill building for beginning readers). Friends Fall Basket Silent Auction, bids accepted until 5:00 pm, Friday, December 2.

**~SENIOR EXCURSIONS HOSTED BY THE ST. PETE BEACH COMMUNITY CENTER-** The St. Pete Beach Community Center has new Senior Excursions on the schedule for the fall. The excursions are a great way for local seniors to travel with their friends. The new trips are as followed: **Nov 19: Tampa Outlets (9am-4pm)**, Dec 17: Holiday light viewing at Botanical Gardens and Largo Central Park (5-10pm) . All excursions will depart from the St. Pete Beach Community Center, 7701 Boca Ciega Dr. Trip times vary. All participants must pre-register by the Wednesday prior to the excursion. Each trip is \$12 for residents of St. Pete Beach and \$15 for non residents. For more information visit our website at [www.spbrec.com](http://www.spbrec.com) for more information including the vehicle application form or call the Community Center at 727.363.9245.

## **~COMMUNITY EVENTS~**

- Sunday Market on Corey Avenue from 10am-2pm
- November 26-27th 100 Artist Show at Horan Park from 10am-5pm
- Boat Parade and Winter Festival December 2nd at Horan park. Starts at 6pm
- Christmas Market and Parade on Corey Avenue. Sunday December 11th. The market is from 10am-2pm and the parade begins at 4pm from Gulf Blvd at Blind Pass heading south to Corey Avenue, then east on Corey to Boca Ciega. [Click here for the Parade Route](#)



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**~HONOR WALK AT UPHAM BEACH~**The 2016-2017 Brick Campaign has officially launched. Orders will be received from November 5, 2016 until March 17, 2017. Installation of the bricks will occur late spring early summer. For more information call 727.363.9232 or [Click here to download the form Honor Walk At Upham Beach.](#)

**~THE UPHAM BEACH DECK REPLACEMENT PROJECT-** begins Monday, October 24. Paradise Grill, as well as the shower and beach access at this location will be closed during this 6 week project. All remaining access points to Upham Beach as well as the beach itself will remain open during construction .

**~MESSAGE FROM PUBLIC SERVICES~** A video showing a 3-D model of the infrastructure currently being installed under the intersection of 21<sup>st</sup> Avenue and Pass-a-Grille Way is now available for viewing on our City webpage. Go to <http://spbftp.stpetebeach.org/public/PAGand21st.mp4> to check it out!

## **60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY EVENT SCHEDULE - MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

The City is turning 60 in 2017 and we are celebrating our way through the decades.

We will kick off the celebration on Elvis's birthday, **JANUARY 8, 2017** with a Sock Hop to celebrate the 50's at the Community Center from 1-4pm.

We will rock our way to the 60's on **MARCH 4, 2017** from 9a 4pm at the annual Island Festival at the Gulf Beaches Historical Museum in Pass-A-Grille.

We will salute our Veterans on **MAY 6, 2017** 70's style at Horan Park from 11-5pm in partnership with the Veterans of South Pinellas.

On **JULY 9, 2017**, we will celebrate 60 years at a champagne brunch at the Don Cesar Hotel

On **OCTOBER 6, 2017**, we will rock our way through the 90's at the kick-off concert for the Friday night October concert series in Horan Park from 7-9pm.

We will end the year-long celebration on **DECEMBER 1, 2017** at the annual tree lighting/boat parade viewing party in Horan Park from 6-8pm.

For more information, contact Jennifer McMahon, Recreation Director, at 727.363.9274 or [rddirector@stpetebeach.org](mailto:rddirector@stpetebeach.org).

**~CITY OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11TH IN OBSERVANCE OF VETERAN'S DAY.**



# **BOATERS NEEDED FOR ST. PETE BEACH & SOUTH PASADENA LIGHTED BOAT PARADE**

Media Release

For Immediate Release  
November 1, 2016

## **Lighted Boat Parade Calling for Entries**

**St. Pete Beach, FL:** The Cities of St. Pete Beach and South Pasadena are seeking participants for the Holiday Lighted Boat Parade presented by HCA West Florida. The Lighted Boat Parade is a time-honored tradition, making its way past St. Pete Beach and South Pasadena residences through the waters of Boca Ciega Bay. There is no fee to enter and huge cash prizes are awarded to winners for best decorated boats in several different categories. This year's event is on Friday, December 2<sup>nd</sup>. Call the Community Center at 727-363-9245 or visit [www.spbrec.com](http://www.spbrec.com) for more information including the boater entry form.



IF IT'S TOO GOOD TO BE TRUE, IT PROBABLY IS.

# FRAUD AWARENESS WEEK



## November 14-18

**Fraud is a preventable crime, if you know what to look for.**

Pinellas County Sheriff's Office detectives and Pinellas County Consumer Protection will host forums to educate residents about the most common scams in Pinellas County and how to avoid them.

### SCHEDULE

**FREE Shred Event**

8:00am - 10:00am

Donated by Stevens & Stevens

**Fraud Awareness**

9:00am - 9:50am

Presented by Pinellas County Sheriff's Office

**Elderly Fraud Scams**

10:00am - 10:50am

Presented by Pinellas County Consumer Protection

**Protect Yourself**

11:00am - 11:50am

Presented by Pinellas County Sheriff's Office

**General Questions**

12:00pm - 1:00pm

Presented by Pinellas County Sheriff's Office and  
Pinellas County Consumer Protection



Sheriff's Office detectives will be available to discuss personal inquiries one-on-one. Attend for a chance to win raffle giveaways.

**SHERIFF BOB GUALTIERI  
PINELLAS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE**

*"Leading The Way For A Safer Pinellas"*

**November 14, 2016**

**9:00am - Noon**

Seminole Gardens

Peacock Center

8324 112th Street North, Seminole

**November 15, 2016**

**9:00am - Noon**

Fountains at Boca Ciega Bay

2nd Floor Auditorium

1255 Pasadena Avenue South, St Petersburg

**November 16, 2016**

**9:00am - Noon**

Five Towns Community

Magnolia Sun Center

7950 58th Avenue, St Petersburg

**November 17, 2016**

**9:00am - Noon**

On Top of the World

East Activity Center

2069 World Parkway East, Clearwater

**November 18, 2016**

**9:00am - Noon**

Palm Harbor Community Center

1500 16th Street North, Palm Harbor

