



## MESSAGE FROM THE TOWN MANAGER

### Replacement of Aging Seawalls A Priority to Protect Surfside

The Town of Surfside is in the middle of a two-phase comprehensive seawall replacement project that will strengthen our protection from the surrounding waters of Biscayne Bay. The project will ultimately result in new seawalls at nine Town-owned street ends and an already completed seawall at Surfside's 96th Street Park.

For a community with extensive waterfront exposure, seawalls are critical during times of severe weather and flooding. A seawall failure not only threatens the immediate area, but can also effect adjoining properties.

Residents should be aware that the coming months are an excellent time to repair or replace their seawalls. Surfside has an agreement with our seawall contractor to provide residents with the same bulk purchase discounts to replace or repair their private seawalls. We encourage you to take advantage of this opportunity. Enjoy your summer!

– Guillermo Olmedillo, Town Manager

*(See Page 2 for additional seawall repair or replacement information)*

### FIRST FRIDAYS! Beach Series Coming to Surfside

The Town of Surfside Tourist Bureau is adding some excitement to the summer months with **FIRST FRIDAYS**, a new series of four beach gatherings for residents and visitors at 93rd Street from 4 - 7 p.m. The first event is July 1, followed



by August 5, September 2 and ending on October 7. Residents are encouraged to bring their own picnic supplies and favorite beach gear. There will be music, entertainment, children's games and activities. For more information, go to [www.visitsurfsidefl.com](http://www.visitsurfsidefl.com) or email [info@fridaybeach.com](mailto:info@fridaybeach.com).

## Surfside Ranks 9th Nationally in Wyland Water Challenge

In the Month of April, the Town of Surfside participated in the 2016 Wyland National Mayor's Challenge for Water Conservation and the results are in. Surfside came in ninth in the nation (third in Florida) for municipalities with populations between 5,000 and 29,999.



Congratulations to all who pledged and made Surfside a winner. As a result of Surfside's pledges, the Town will save more than one million gallons of water!

## Surfside Makes Expedia List of Cleanest Cities

Take a bow, Surfsiders! Based on thousands of verified user-generated reviews, Expedia does an annual ranking of the cleanest cities in America and, in a clean sweep, Surfside made the top ten.

The features that stood out among reviewers were the Town's community garden, the Clean Energy Coastal Corridor, an emphasis on recycling and a dedicated effort to keep the beach litter-free for nesting sea turtles. These Surfside efforts added up to a 4.75 average cleanliness rating out of five.

## Surfside's First Recycling Pick-Up a Success

Surfside Residents you've done it again! Thank you for making our first residential recycling pick up a success. On June 2, 2016, the Surfside Solid Waste Department rolled out its first Town-operated residential recycling pick up and collected more than seven tons of recyclable material. Remember to recycle: all paper products, all plastic products, cardboard (flattened or cut down), glass bottles, metal cans/tin aluminum. Note that hazardous waste is NOT accepted, including batteries, window glass, light bulbs/mirrors, Styrofoam/ cookware, chemicals/paint/pesticides and electronics. If there are any doubts as to what you can recycle, leave it out. We are well on our way to having Surfside at 70% participation compliance by the year 2020.



**DO NOT RECYCLE or discard batteries and electronics! It is against the law. Bring them to the Town Hall lobby for proper disposal.**

## Video Streaming Available on Town Website

Surfside provides live video streaming of certain meetings so residents can see and hear from their computer, tablet, smart phone or mobile device. Go to [www.town-of-surfside.fl.gov](http://www.town-of-surfside.fl.gov) and click on the "Surfside Live Video Streaming" button.

## Now is the Time to Have Your Seawall Repaired

If your seawall needs repair or replacement, take advantage of an agreement between Surfside and the seawall contractor currently replacing the Town-owned seawalls. Interested residents will receive the same reduced bulk rate to replace or repair their private seawalls. For more information, contact Public Works Director Joseph Kroll at (305) 861-4863, EXT. 235.

There is also possible financing available from PACE, which is managed and funded by Ygrene. Ygrene provides 100% financing to property owners. Financing is repayable over the long term through your property tax bill. Contact Ygrene Energy Fund Florida at 305-569-0015. Apply over the phone or at their website, [www.ygrenetworks.us](http://www.ygrenetworks.us).



## Intern Joins Tourist Bureau

Joining the Surfside team as a summer intern is Elizabeth Hopkins, a student at the University of Florida where she is majoring in Tourism, Recreation and Sport Management. Elizabeth is also a lifeguard at the Surfside Community Center. She will be assisting Duncan Tavares, the Tourism, Economic Development and Community Services Director. We are pleased to welcome her to the team!



Marketing and Special Projects Coordinator Melissa Richards (left), with TEDACS Intern Elizabeth Hopkins.



**MUNICOY**  
INTERNATIONAL REALTY

## Surfside Welcomes MuniCoY to Harding Avenue

The real estate company MuniCoY International Properties has opened an office at 9455 Harding Avenue. MuniCoY also has an office on Brickell Avenue and specializes in luxury residential and commercial real estate. For information, call (305) 763-8454 or go to [www.municoy.com](http://www.municoy.com).

# Hurricane Preparedness Workshop on July 14

The 2016 hurricane season has arrived and the Surfside Police Department will host an informative Hurricane Preparedness Workshop on Thursday, July 14, 2016 at 6-7 p.m. in the Police Training Room on the 2nd Floor of Town Hall. For further information or to RSVP, please contact NRO Dianna Hernandez at (305) 861-4862 or [dhernandez@townofsurfsidefl.gov](mailto:dhernandez@townofsurfsidefl.gov).



## CODE COMPLIANCE CORNER

### What Defines a Service Dog?

A service or assistance dog is specifically trained to help people who have disabilities, visual or hearing impairments, seizure disorders, mobility impairment or mental illnesses such as post-traumatic stress disorder.

Service animals are not pets. The work or task a dog has been trained to provide must be directly related to the person's disability. Service dogs may wear special vests, badges or ID tags, but that is not a requirement of the American Disabilities Act (ADA).

Pets that owners keep solely for emotional reasons and do not ameliorate their symptoms of a recognized "disability" are not defined as service animals by the ADA.

When it is not obvious what service an animal provides, only limited inquiries are allowed. You may only ask: (1) Is the dog required because of a disability? (2) What work or task has the dog been trained to perform? You cannot ask about the person's disability, require medical documentation, require a specific identification card or training documentation for the dog or ask that the dog demonstrate its ability. State and local governments, businesses and nonprofit organizations that serve the public generally must allow service animals to accompany those with disabilities in all areas of a facility or business where the public is normally allowed to go. However, businesses are permitted to deny access to service dogs that are not behaving properly.

When encountering a service/assistance dog: (1) Do not pet, make noises or call the dog (2) Do not feed the dog (3) Talk to the dog's handler and not to the dog.

## TOWN CALENDAR

### JULY 2016

- Fri 1 First Fridays, 4-7 pm, 93rd Street beach
- Mon 4 Independence Day Holiday - Town Hall closed
- Mon 4 July 4 Celebration, begins 2 pm, Community Center
- Tue 5 Endlessly Organic Produce, 3 -6 pm, Town Hall
- Mon 11 Street Sweeping, 9 am-1 pm. Keep your curb clear!
- Mon 11 Tourist Board meeting, 5:30 pm, Town Hall\*
- Tue 12 Regular Town Commission, 7 pm, Town Hall\*
- Thur 14 Hurricane Preparedness Workshop, 6-7 pm, Town Hall
- Mon 18 Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting, 7 pm, Comm. Center
- Tue 19 Endlessly Organic Produce, 3 -6 pm, Town Hall
- Wed 20 Senior Trip to Festival Flea Market, bus leaves at 9 a.m. from Community Center
- Mon 25 Street Sweeping, 9 am-1 pm. Keep your curb clear!
- Wed 27 Bike with the Chief, 5 p.m., leaves from Town Hall
- Thur 28 Planning & Zoning Meeting, 7 pm, Town Hall
- Fri 29 Coffee with the Cops, 10 am, Starbucks on Harding Ave.

### AUGUST 2016

- Mon 1 Tourist Board meeting, 5:30 pm, Town Hall\*
- Tue 2 Endlessly Organic Produce, 3 -6 pm, Town Hall
- Fri 5 First Fridays, 4-7 pm, 93rd Street beach
- Mon 8 Street Sweeping, 9 am-1 pm. Keep your curb clear!
- Tue 9 Regular Town Commission, 7 pm, Town Hall\*
- Mon 15 Parks & Recreation Committee Meeting, 7 pm, Comm. Center
- Tue 16 Endlessly Organic Produce, 3 -6 pm, Town Hall
- Wed 17 Mobile Dept. of Motor Vehicles, 9:30 am-2:30 pm, Town Hall
- Mon 22 Street Sweeping, 9 am-1 pm. Keep your curb clear!
- Wed 24 Bike with the Chief, 5 p.m., leaves from Town Hall
- Thur 25 Pension Board, 2 pm, Town Hall
- Thur 25 Planning & Zoning Meeting, 7 pm, Town Hall
- Fri 26 Coffee with the Cops, 10 am, Starbucks on Harding Ave.
- Tue 30 Endlessly Organic Produce, 3 -6 pm, Town Hall

## BE ALERT FOR CHILDREN DURING SUMMER MONTHS

With children out of school for summer, please use caution while driving through our neighborhoods.

## TOWN OF SURFSIDE PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Surfside Commission meetings are generally held on the second Tuesday of each month with the following changes for calendar year 2016:

- The October 11, 2016 Commission Meeting changed to Thursday, **October 13, 2016**
- The November 8, 2016 Commission Meeting changed to Wednesday, **November 9, 2016**

- Sandra Novoa, MMC, Town Clerk

## ★ Peter Glynn Sailed to Success After Discovering Surfside

More than 20 years ago, Peter Glynn was sailing in Biscayne Bay and accidentally entered Surfside's bayside Point Lake. He immediately fell in love with the area. "Year's later, when we were looking for a home, we found a house on the lake and I bought it," he said. In this home – where he and his wife still live – he put down roots, raising three children, building a career and becoming a dedicated community leader.

In addition to being a well-known Surfsider, Mr. Glynn has found fame as the owner of Propmasters, the largest television and film set design and production studio in South Florida. In his 20,000 square foot studio, Peter and his design team create and construct scenery, news sets and special installations for television and live productions. "We are constructing a lot of sports and news sets lately," Peter said of his company, whose largest clients are Telemundo, Univision, and Wrestlemania.

Originally from New Jersey, Peter always knew he wanted to work in special effects and set design. In 1973, he graduated from the University of New Hampshire and then from Smith College in Massachusetts with a Master's degree in Lighting and Scenery Design. While Smith College is well-known as an all-women's school, he stood out. "I was one of six men to graduate from Smith," he said.

Mr. Glynn's dedication to his craft is apparent in Propmasters' success in South Florida and beyond. In June 2016, Mr. Glynn traveled to San Francisco to begin designing a set for Univision. Locally, Propmasters is hard at work creating a major sports set at the Telemundo studios. His company also provides the behind-the-scenes brawn and magnificent on-camera pieces for Wrestlemania, an annual 85,000-seat live event known as the "Super Bowl of sports entertainment." For the 29th annual Wrestlemania, held at MetLife Stadium in New Jersey, Propmasters built the largest-ever model of the Statue of Liberty (see below). The model was constructed in Miami from fiberglass and steel and shipped to New York for installation. It was designed to withstand extreme weather conditions and high winds at the out-



door venue. These are the challenges Peter likes best about his career. "It's different every day," he muses. "No two jobs that are alike. You have to reinvent the wheel every



day." At home in Surfside, Peter devotes his time to serving his community as a longtime member of the Surfside Planning and Zoning Board. He prizes the spirit of civic engagement and the close-knit feel of Surfside: the quaint homes, seaside aesthetic, availability of police and accessibility of Town officials are all reasons Mr. Glynn is happy to have accidentally sailed into town more than 20 years ago. When asked what he likes best about Surfside, Peter is quick to reply, "Everything! There's a small town mentality, I don't think there's another town like it!"

## Chief David Allen Recognized by American Legion at Flag Day



Surfside Police Chief David Allen was honored as "Police Officer of the Year" by American Legion Post #67 as part of their Flag Day celebration on Sunday, June 12.

(L-R) Mayor Daniel Dietch, Chief Allen and former Commissioner Ted Kopelman.



Flag Day ceremony to destroy unusable American flags.



## POLICE BEAT

### Officer and Citizen of the Month

#### OFFICER TONY MESA

Officer Tony Mesa saw a suspicious man pushing a shopping cart down the street. The cart contained boxes of soap and laundry detergent. Officer Mesa stopped him and asked about the cart and merchandise. Officer Mesa became suspicious when the subject kept changing his story. The man then confessed that at the loading dock area of Publix, he entered an occupied storage room and stole the merchandise. The Publix manager arrived on the scene and confirmed the stolen property belonged to the store. Security video showed the subject inside the storage room. The merchandise was returned and the man was arrested and charged with occupied burglary, petit theft and possession of a shopping cart. Officer Mesa's alertness and exceptional police work is commended.



#### CSA DANNY SANCHEZ

Community Service Aide (CSA) Danny Sanchez was at Publix Supermarket on his lunch break when he saw the store manager chasing a subject who stole merchandise. CSA Sanchez, who is an unarmed police employee, ordered the subject to stop. The subject fled on foot and CSA Sanchez immediately broadcasted that a theft had occurred and provided a complete description.

Sergeant Jay Matelis heard the call and quickly arrived in the area and found the subject running east on 94th Street. Sgt. Matelis exited his vehicle and confronted the subject, but he continued to flee on foot. Sgt. Matelis chased him down and apprehended him without further incident. The subject was arrested and charged with theft and resisting arrest. CSA Danny Sanchez's actions were quick thinking and effective, ultimately resulting in an arrest of a subject. His professionalism and dedication to the community is commended.

### Click It or Ticket It Campaign

The Surfside Police Department conducted a *Click It or Ticket* Campaign from May 23 to June 5, 2016. The campaign increased traffic education and enforcement in conjunction with community partners – proving that seat belts save lives. The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) provides national leadership in planning and developing traffic injury control safety programs regarding seat belts, child car seat and automatic occupant protection systems, such as air bags. The statistics from the Surfside campaign are:

- Safety belt citations 108
- Child restraint citations 3
- Reckless driving citations 1
- Speeding citations 50
- Felony arrests 2
- Suspended licenses 16
- Recovered stolen vehicles 1
- Uninsured motorists 7
- Traffic arrests 6
- Total arrests 8
- Total citations 393

### Shred-A-Thon a Success

In an effort to fight identity theft, approximately 60 cars brought their personal paper items to the Multi-Agency Shred-A-Thon on June 11 at Haulover Park. Pictured are Surfside NRO Dianna Hernandez, Indian Creek Police Chief Clarke Maher, Sunny Isles Beach Sgt. Ruben Zamora and Administrative Assistant Sandra Block, Bay Harbor Islands Sgt. Alan Block, Bal Harbour Officer Jeff Hatcher, and, in front, Intracoastal Police Explorers Post 4.



### Fourth of July Information

On Monday, July 4, the Town of Surfside Parks and Recreation Department will host their annual 4th of July Holiday Celebration. This event draws hundreds of families and visitors. Additional police officers have been assigned from 2 to 10 p.m. to ensure safety and security at the Community Center and on the beach. During the fireworks set-up and display, police will escort trucks carrying equipment to the Community Center and on Collins Avenue to assist with pedestrian crossing.

## Sign Up For CodeRed Storm Notifications

With hurricane season underway, this is the time to sign up for CodeRED emergency alert messages issued by the Surfside Police Department. The system enables emergency notifications and/or informational messages to be sent, including hurricane evacuation notices, boil water notices, flood disasters, traffic advisories and more.

The notifications and advisories are sent out as voice messages and text messages to registered telephone, cellphone and email addresses of Town residents and businesses.

Residents can register through the Town website, [www.townofsurfsidefl.gov](http://www.townofsurfsidefl.gov), type in "Code Red" in the search bar and the first entry will display the link to register for the CodeRED System. There is also a CodeRED app available for cell phones. You may register via the app.

You can also sign up on Facebook and LinkedIn. Look for "Emergency Communications Network" [www.facebook.com/Emergency-Communications-Network-172699979514108/?ref=ts](http://www.facebook.com/Emergency-Communications-Network-172699979514108/?ref=ts). Also "Emergency Communications Network" on LinkedIn [www.linkedin.com/company/emergency-communications-network-llc?trk=top\\_nav\\_home](http://www.linkedin.com/company/emergency-communications-network-llc?trk=top_nav_home)

## Disabled Should Register for Evacuation Assistance Prior to an Emergency

Miami-Dade County's Emergency & Evacuation Assistance Program (EEAP) provides evacuation support to those residents that require specialized transportation assistance or who cannot evacuate on their own. Residents who will require evacuation assistance should register for the program prior to an emergency to ensure help will be given when needed. It may also be utilized post-disaster to provide other assistance. Pre-registered residents will receive priority during an emergency.

This program is for individuals who live in their own homes or with their families. Residents in nursing homes or assisted living facilities are not eligible as these facilities will make arrangements for their residents to evacuate to a similar facility.

To register, go to [www.miamidade.gov/fire/library/hurricane/OEM/EEAP-Application-English.pdf](http://www.miamidade.gov/fire/library/hurricane/OEM/EEAP-Application-English.pdf). The form is also available in Spanish and Creole. Information is also available by calling 311.



## Memorial Day Honors Those Who Served the Country

The Town of Surfside's moving Memorial Day ceremony attracted a record number of military veterans and residents to Veterans Park. Vice Mayor Barry Cohen served as emcee, introducing Rabbi Yosef Rice who gave an invocation; guest speaker William Traux, Jr. of the U.S. Marine Corps and former Surfside Commissioner Ted Kopelman. Also participating were Surfside Commissioners Daniel Gielchinsky and Michael Karukin



as well as the Surfside Color Guard, local scouts and the Miami Beach Senior High NJROTC. Several veterans spoke about their service in the military before laying a wreath, the playing of Taps and a three-gun salute by the Second Infantry Division of Florida.



# Town Commission Action at the June 14, 2016 Meeting

## Voted to approve the following Resolutions:

1. Establishing the Town of Surfside Sustainability Subcommittee of the Planning and Zoning Board to meet on a periodic basis.
2. Establishing the Town of Surfside ad hoc Citizen Traffic Mitigation Advisory Committee; to exist for three months and to hold three meetings; to study, review and to provide recommendations for the development of the comprehensive traffic mitigation program.
3. Acknowledging the mutual aid agreement between the City of North Miami Beach Police Department and the Town of Surfside Police Department; Authorizing the Town Manager And Chief of Police to execute and implement the terms and conditions of the mutual aid agreement.
4. Awarding proposal/contract to M&M Asphalt Maintenance, Inc. D/B/A All County Paving; to mill and pave 88th Street east of Collins Avenue; authorizing the Town Manager and/or designee to expend funds not to exceed \$18,294 from the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Transportation Fund Account No. 107-8500-549-4911.
5. Authorizing the Town Manager and/or designee to expend funds in an amount of \$17,000 from the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Water and Sewer Repair and Maintenance Account No. 401-9900-536-4601 for the emergency repair to a sanitary lift station pump.
6. Authorizing the Town Manager and/or designee to expend funds in an amount not to exceed \$35,000 from the Fiscal Year 2015/2016 Machinery and Equipment Account No. 401-9900-536-6410 purchase a Homa AMX644-350/60gu/CFM dry pit non-clog sewage pump from Barney's Pumps.
7. Awarding a contract to Pac Comm, Inc. for the Surfside Seawall Replacement Project Phase II; amending the town's budget for Fiscal Year 2015/2016; transferring funds in the amount of \$376,750 from the stormwater fund to the Capital Projects Fund Account No. 301-4400-541-6340; appropriating funds in the capital projects fund; authorizing the expenditure of the amount not to exceed \$723,000.
8. Approving Work Authorization No. 98 Seawall Grant Application And Management For The Surfside Seawall Replacement Project Phase II; amending the Town's budget for Fiscal Year 2015/2016 ; transferring funds in an amount of \$65,257.73 from the Stormwater Fund to the Capital Projects Fund Account No. 301-4400-541-6340; appropriating funds in the capital projects fund; authorizing the expenditure of the amount not to exceed \$65,257.73 from the capital projects fund account no. 301-4400-541-6340 for surfside seawall replacement project phase ii for professional engineering services; providing for authorization and approval; providing for implementation; providing for an effective date.
9. Approving the Proposal And Sales Agreement from D.A.C. Air Conditioning Corp.; authorizing the Town Manager and/or designee to expend funds in the amount of \$33,567 from the Capital Improvements Town Hall Improvements Account No. 301-4400-539-6220 for enhancement and replacement of air conditioning ductwork and variable air volume boxes.
10. Authorizing the Mayor to enter into a Memorandum of Understanding between the City of Miami Beach, North Bay Village, the Town of Bay Harbor Islands, the Village of Bal Harbour and the Miami Beach Chamber Education Foundation; to support and enhance the Nurse Initiative for 2016-2017 school year; authorizing the appropriation of \$3,667 from the Fiscal Year 2016-2017 Annual Budget for the Town of Surfside's proportionate share of funding for the Nurse Enhancement Initiative.

## Voted to approve the following Ordinance on second reading:

1. Amending Chapter 90 "Zoning" and specifically amending Section 90-15 "Membership/Quorum, Minimum Qualifications, Officers, Terms of Officers, Vacancies, General Regulations, Recommendations, Expenditures, Indebtedness" changing the license and professional experience requirements for members serving on the Planning And Zoning Board; specifically amending section 90-18 "Design Review Board."

## Find a Problem? Report With SeeClickFix

SeeClickFix is a mobile phone app for reporting non-emergency conditions within Surfside that may need to be addressed by the Town. (For emergencies call 911.) Download this free app or visit our website [www.townofsurfsidefl.gov](http://www.townofsurfsidefl.gov).

SeeClickFix is geo-dynamic, which means it knows where you are reporting from and directs the information to the right department. It allows you to use descriptions, photos and videos to instantly report situations that require attention and follow-up. Through the app, you can also communicate, comment, get updates and thank those who worked to solve the issue.

## Dept. of Motor Vehicles to Visit on Aug. 17

Community Outreach Specialists from the Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles (DMV) will be on-site at Town Hall to take care of all your driver's license needs.

Stop by Town Hall on Wednesday, August 17, 2016 from 9:30 a.m. to

2:30 p.m. in the **Police Training Room**, second floor. Please look for signs. Contact Dina Goldstein (305) 861-4862 and check the identification requirements on the Town website: [www.townofsurfsidefl.gov](http://www.townofsurfsidefl.gov).



# PARKS & RECREATION

## Surfside Lifeguards Recognized for Ocean Rescues

Two Parks & Recreation beach lifeguards Diego Garcia and Andres Deza were honored at the June 14 Commission meeting for dashing into rough surf to assist struggling swimmers twice in one day. Aquatic Supervisor Jackie Villagran was also honored for assisting at the many ocean rescues during a busy spring period. Thank you for your efforts in keeping the beach safe!



(L-R) Mayor Daniel Dietch, Parks & Recreation Director Tim Milian, Lifeguards Andres Deza and Diego Garcia, Aquatics Supervisor Jackie Villagran and children, Commissioners Michael Karukin, Daniel Gielchinsky and Tina Paul, Town Attorney Linda Miller and Town Manager Guillermo Olmedillo.



Teen Summer Campers go sailboarding at the beach.

## Surfside Camps Come Alive

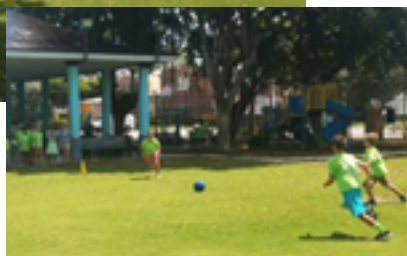
The Surfside Summer camps are off and running – at the Community Center, on the beach, at the park and on field trips around South Florida. Daily activities include a variety of water sports, arts & crafts, games, sports and outside trips for kids of all ages to enjoy.



Summer staff welcomes attendees to the start of camps. At left, ping-pong and foosball on the pool deck and at bottom, Blue Team practices yoga.



An exciting kick ball game at the 96th Street Park for the Green Team, ages 9-12 years.





# PARKS & RECREATION

## AQUATIC PROGRAMS

CLASS	DAY	DATES	HOURS	Fee (per person)	No class dates
Rec Swim team, age 6-15	Mon & Wed	6/20/16-8/10/16	5-6 p.m.	\$110 Resident/\$166 non	7/4
Rec Swim team, age 6-15	Tue & Thur	6/21/16-8/9/16	5-6 p.m.	\$110 Resident/\$166 non	
Aqua Zumba	Tuesdays	6/7/16-7/26/16	8:45-9:30 a.m.	Active adults Res \$80/\$120 non, Senior res \$40/\$80 non	
Aqua Zumba	Thursdays	6/9/16-7/28/16	8:45-9:30 a.m.	Active adults Res \$80/\$120 non, Senior res \$40/\$80 non	
Learn to Swim pre-school, age 3-5	Tue & Thur	6/21/16-7/14/16	9:30-10 am	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim pre-school, age 3-5	Tue-Wed-Thur	6/21/16-7/6/16	3:45-4:15 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim beginners age 6-14	Tue-Wed-Thur	6/21/16-7/6/16	4:20-4:50 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim pre-school, age 3-5	Mon & Wed	6/20/16-7/18/16	4:20-4:50 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	7/4
Tiny Bubbles Toddler Readiness, age 2-3	Mon & Wed	6/20/16-7/18/16	9:30-10 a.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	7/4
Learn to Swim Adult	Tue & Thur	6/21/16-7/14/16	6:30-7 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim pre-school, age 3-5	Tue-Wed-Thur	7/19/16-8/3/16	3:45-4:15 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim beginners age 6-14	Tue-Wed-Thur	7/19/16-8/3/16	4:20-4:50 p.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim pre-school, age 3-5	Sat & Sun	7/2/16-7/24/16	9:30- 10 a.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	
Learn to Swim beginners age 6-14	Sat & Sun	7/2/16-7/24/16	10:10- 10:40 a.m.	\$68 Resident/\$100 non	

### Seeing and Doing at Police Department Summer Camp

The Surfside Police and Parks and Recreation Departments teamed up to provide a Teen Police Summer experience including a trip to the Haulover Station 21 Miami Dade Fire Rescue Department, where the teens experienced hands-on fire rescue exercises.



### Staff Attend Anti-Bullying Training

Parks & Recreation staff attended a service training session that addressed anti-bullying issues led by speaker Rick Caldwell from RCultures.



### AQUATIC CENTER HOURS JULY 2016

Main pool open swim: Mon-Sun: 9 am - 8 pm

Sand Dollar Key: Mon-Sun: 10 am-7:30 pm

Water Slide:

Mon-Thur: 10 am-3:30 pm and 6:30-7:45 pm

Fri-Sun: 10 am-7:45 pm

Lap swimming:

Tues-Thurs: 6:30-9 am;

Mon-Fri: 3-5 pm and 6:30 -8 pm (limited lanes)

**Beach lifeguard tower is located behind the Community Center and is open every day from 9 am - 6 pm**



**TOWN OF SURFSIDE  
PARKS AND RECREATION  
DEPARTMENT  
AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM**



The Town of Surfside is excited to bring back the After School Program for the 2016/2017 school year! The Parks and Recreation Department is pleased to work with Life Sports Fitness as they incorporate fundamental youth programming for the 2016 - 2017 school year.

**AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM HELD AT THE SURFSIDE COMMUNITY CENTER**  
9301 Collins Avenue

<p><b>Program Structure</b> Monday - Friday School Dismissal until 6:00pm *Public School Days Only</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Transportation provided from local schools to the Community Center.</li> <li>• 2016-2017 school year in accordance to Miami-Dade County School Calendar.</li> <li>• Program includes—Sports and Fitness Activities</li> <li>• Swimming</li> <li>• Homework and Tutoring</li> <li>• Life skills and Core Values</li> <li>• Beach Awareness Programs</li> </ul>	<p><b>Program Fees</b> Surfside Residents \$270 Monthly  Non-Residents \$320 Monthly</p> <p><b>All program fees will be paid directly to Life Sports Fitness.</b></p> <p><b>*Registration Information</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Surfside Residents and Returning 2015/2016 Participants July 11</li> <li>• Open Registration July 25</li> </ul> <p><small>*Proof of current Surfside residence will be required for early registration and resident rate.</small></p>
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For program registration and information please contact Life Sports Fitness (203) 710-1984  
Website: www.lifesportsfitness.com

**IT STARTS IN**

## Take the Bite Out of Mosquitoes During Summer Season

The rainy season is upon us and Surfside residents can do their part in protecting themselves from bites and helping to reduce the mosquito population.

### DRAIN STANDING WATER

The best method to fight mosquito-borne illnesses is simply to eliminate breeding areas and protecting yourself from bites. Did you know that mosquitoes can breed and multiply in as little as a teaspoon or bottle cap of water left standing for a week? Follow these simple drain and cover checks in your home and yard:

- Drain water from garbage cans, house gutters, pool covers toys, flower pots or any container that has collected water from rain or sprinklers.
- Discard old tires, cans, pots, bottles, jars, appliances or other items not being used regularly.
- Empty and clean birdbaths and pet water bowls at least twice a week.
- In your garden, keep flower pots and saucers free from standing water from rain or sprinkles. Flush out water-holding plants such as bromeliads twice a week.
- Don't cover your boat or vehicle with a tarp that accumulates water.
- Maintain the correct chemical balance of your swimming pool and empty kiddie pools after use.

### PROTECT YOURSELF

- When going outside in the early morning, dusk and at night, wear long pants and long sleeve shirts.
- Use EPA-registered insect repellents with active ingredients such as DEET, PMD, oil of lemon eucalyptus or IR3535.
- Use insect netting to cover window screens, porches, beds and baby strollers.

## Nearby Beaches Allow Dogs in Water

In Surfside, residents can walk their dogs with a leash on the hard pack. If you want to take their dog east of the dune line to the soft sand and surf, they have two nearby options:

- **Haulover Beach.** From 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Wednesday, Saturday and Sunday, in designated beach area near lifeguard tower #3 only. Dogs and owners are welcome on the portion of the beach directly across from the Bark Park and accessible from parking lots #3 and #4. \$2 user fee, per vehicle, cash only.
- **Bark Beach at North Shores Open Space Park.** Between 80 and 81 Streets, entrance on Collins and 81st St. Friday, Saturday & Sunday from 3- 7 p.m. Limit two dogs per owner. Non-resident of Miami Beach cost is \$25, cash only. Annual

## Guidelines For Encountering Sea Turtles on the Beach

If you observe an adult sea turtle or hatchling sea turtle on the beach, follow these rules and guidelines:

- It is normal for sea turtles to be crawling on the beach on summer nights. DO NOT report normal crawling or nesting (digging or laying eggs) to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWCC) unless the turtle is in a dangerous situation or has wandered off the beach.
- Stay away from crawling or nesting sea turtles. Although the urge to observe closely will be great, please resist. Nesting is a critical stage in the sea turtle's life cycle. Please leave them undisturbed.
- DO REPORT all stranded (dead or injured) turtles to the FWCC.
- NEVER handle hatchling sea turtles. If you observe hatchlings wandering away from the ocean or the beach, call: 1-888-404-FWCC or \*FWC (Mobile Phone)

**2016 NEST COUNT: As of June 21, there are 14 sea turtle nests on Surfside Beach.**

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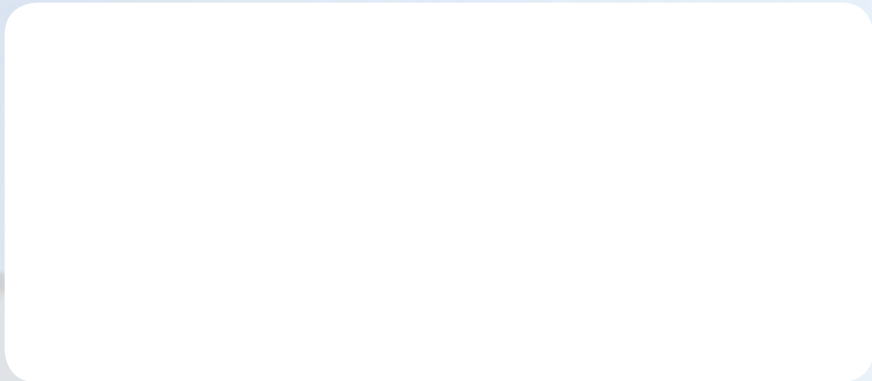
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