

PARADISE ISLAND NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

A PUBLICATION OF THE PARADISE ISLAND CIVIC ASSOCIATION

Spring Mixer Had a Record Turn Out!



It was perfect weather, fun entertainment and delicious food all combined with Paradise Island residents that made our Spring Mixer a huge success! As a special treat, Zach the magician created fabulous tricks as he strolled around during the evening.

Thanks to Debbie, Sheree, Dena, Allison and Linda for organizing and hosting this popular event. Mixers are held

twice yearly at The Club of Treasure Island. It's a wonderful way to spend time with friends and neighbors as well as find out community news. Stay tuned for our Mixer date next Fall! You can find more pictures from the Mixer included in the online edition of this newsletter.



UPCOMING EVENTS

PICA WINE TASTING

June 19th @ Vino Simpatico

722 Pasadena Ave S

6:30

PICA BACK-TO-SCHOOL EVENT

August @ Treasure Bay



It's Wine Time!

Join us at Vino Simpatico at 6:30

The cost is \$20.00 for a tasting of 7 amazing wines and appetizers. Come enjoy a sip of vino and good cheer with your neighbors. The space is

limited, please make your reservation early, as it was a sell out last year.

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2019 PICA MEMBERSHIP

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WHICH OF THE FOLLOWING ACTIVITIES ARE YOU INTERESTED IN DOING WITH OTHER NEIGHBORS?

☐ Beautification
☐ Member Mixers ☐ Tennis Mixer ☐ Wine Tastings ☐ Walker Group
☐ Ladies Bible Study ☐ Book Club ☐ Paddleboard ☐ Newcomer Group
☐ Yard Sale ☐ Game Night ☐ Dog "Club" ☐ Fishing
☐ Golf Scramble ☐ Pickle Ball ☐ Dinner Club ☐ Boating

Your donations go primarily towards beautification, and social events. We thank you for your support in helping to make our island community a beautiful place to live!

YARD SALE



Many treasures were sold during the Paradise Island-wide Yard sale on March 30th! We had over 80 homes participating, our largest number of homes in years!

Thank you to all who signed up ahead of time and thank you to all

those who welcomed me with open arms to collect your money, I really enjoyed meeting many of the homeowners.

The weather couldn't have been better, we had a huge turnout of buyers, next year I'd love to do a concession stand (any volunteers!).

Thank you so much to Dave Brown for doing a fantastic job coordinating and Tom McKenna and Linda and Cindy for helping. We know it's a lot of work!

VOLUNTEER NEWS

Zachary and Gavin Kyriazis stand proudly behind the bench that they donated to Paradise Island!



Zachary and Gavin spend part of their summer last year creating a PI ~living on Island time, Paradise Island sticker

Then they walked the entire island going door to door selling their design.

The brothers donated all the proceeds to PICA for beautification! Future Leaders Indeed.

Also FYI, we will be outsourcing the newsletter, starting with the next edition. We are hopeful this will get us an improved product and will reduce the time demands on our Board. Cindy Massie will be coordinating it, so look out for the digital edition of this newsletter from her, going forward.

2019 PICA BOARD

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COMMISSIONER'S MESSAGE

Happenings in our city you may not be aware of

Our Fire Department has added CPR classes for residents as well as a car seat program. You can contact our Fire Chief "Trip" Barrs at 727-547-4590 or fire@mytreasureisland.org to inquire about these great new programs.

Treasure Bay has added a "Lending Library Machine."

The City is still gathering resident input on what you'd like to see in our 61 recreation areas. As Paradise Island residents, many of you have expressed to me that you would like to see the city keep the golf and tennis at Treasure Bay and enhance it with further social and recreational features. PLEASE email your input using the city website. Your opinion is incredibly valuable, welcomed and appreciated !

Happenings at the State Level

I would encourage you to look up SB1140 which impacts *your* tax dollars in the event we end up in city litigation. Please research this issue and should you decide you're against it you can tell Tallahassee politicians to STOP SB1140 by emailing or calling them. Contact Senator Jeff Brandes at: Brandes.Jeff@flsenate.gov (850) 487-5024.

Mark your calendars for our upcoming Rock around the Clock (May 4th at 3:00pm), Memorial Day Events and 4th of July Fireworks - all proven to be memorable events in our community. I look forward to seeing you there !

\$3,000 REWARD OFFERED FOR DIAMOND SOLITAIRE NECKLACE, LOST BETWEEN TARPON DR AND CADDY'S. PLEASE RETURN TO TI POLICE, IF FOUND !!!

Saleene Partridge

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CO-PRESIDENT'S LETTER



Greetings Everyone,

Debbie and I have had a busy 1st quarter, I'm sure you have seen the new plants that are planted by the gazebo and front entrance, Thank you to Linda and the Beautification Committee. There is more to come!

Debbie and I met with the Presidents from other Treasure Island Civic Associations to share ideas for events and best practices. It was very resourceful and we hope to plan a huge event with members of all the associations of TI.

We would like to thank those that have reached out to us with thoughts and concerns for the Island. We appreciate your comments.

There were several comments regarding the last newsletter article about dogs in the neighborhood. We want to clarify it is a city ordinance that all dogs must be on leashes when off their own property. No dogs are permitted on roads, public spaces without a leash.

I am personally sorry I missed the spring mixer, I understand it was amazing, Thank you to Debbie and all those that helped create a wonderful event. Please welcome our newest board member Allison Hearn. She will add youth and enthusiasm!

Looking forward to seeing you all at the wine tasting in June.

Cindy Massie, PICA Co-President cinmass@tampabay.rr.com



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