

Harbour HIGHLIGHTS

City of Indian Harbour Beach

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2023

THE RESULTS ARE IN!



The Indian Harbour Beach local elections are complete and the City has two newly elected City Council Members. The City's new representative for council seat #1 will be Adam Dyer, and for seat #2 will be Hamilton Boone, both of whom have shown their passion for serving the community and their desire to help the City overcome any challenge.

In addition, the City welcomes the return of Shauna Hume, who was selected by City Council as the interim City Council Member during Deputy Mayor Panicola's passing. Shauna Hume had previously worked for Indian Harbour Beach as a staff member in City Hall. She has an in-depth understanding of City government, strong relationships with city staff, and is an upstanding member of the community.

As we welcome our newly Elected Officials we also say thank you and goodbye to our previous members. Jim Nolan and Bob Sharek have held their office with honor and grace and served their community proudly. Their understanding and expertise will be missed. Thank you former Council Members Nolan and Sharek for all you have done for the city.

UPDATED CITY HALL HOURS

Starting on January 2nd, City Hall's hours of business will be Monday—Friday, from 7:30 A.M.—4:00 P.M. for the building Department and from 8:00 A.M.—4:30 P.M. for all other City Departments.

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CITY COUNCIL

Mayor
Scott Nickle
698-2614

Deputy Mayor
Frank Guertin
604-7217

Council Member
Hamilton Boone
795-3210

Council Member
Adam Dyer
543-9561

Council Member
Shauna Hume
795-4127

CITY COUNCIL NEWS

City Council Meeting - September 26, 2023

Council:

- Ms. Eryn Russell, Florida League of Cities Membership Program Specialist, presented a 30 years of service award to Council Member Jim Nolan and a 20 years of service award to the family of Deputy Mayor Emeritus David Panicola
- Approved the Regular Council meeting minutes from September 12, 2023
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2023-06 amending the Fiscal Year 2022-2023 budget
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2023-07 adopting a millage rate for fiscal year 2023-2024
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2023-08, adopting a budget for fiscal year 2023-2024
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2023-09 providing for the annual update to the City's Capital Improvements Element of the Comprehensive Plan
- Awarded a contract not to exceed \$105,000.00 to Infrastructure Solution Services, LLC for engineering services to design the City Hall Baffle Box Project (RFQ #2023-06) and subsequent engineer support services
- Reappointed Mr. Jose Fuenmayor and Mr. Dan Green as a voting members to the Planning and Zoning Board with terms expiring September 30, 2026 and reappointed Ms. Veronica Selivanova as an alternate member with a term expiring on September 30, 2024

City Council Meeting - October 10, 2023

Council:

- Mayor Nickle issued a City Government Week proclamation
- Approved the Regular Council meeting minutes from September 26, 2023
- Approved the first reading Ordinance No. 2023-10 amending regulations of recreational vehicle and watercraft parking in residential zones
- Held a public hearing and adopted Resolution No. 746, amending Resolution No. 744 imposing an annual stormwater utility assessment for fiscal year beginning October 1, 2023
- Adopted Resolution No. 747 enacting an affordable housing expedited permitting process policy as required by SB 170
- Authorized staff to post on the City's website the required statement, as per Senate Bill 102, no available surplus City property applicable for affordable housing projects
- Awarded a contract to Jobear Contracting, Inc. not to exceed \$191,000.00 for the extension of utilities to the site of the planned pre-fabricated restroom building at Gleason Park using ARPA funds
- Authorized staff to place revisions to Sections 5.7, 5.13.3, and 8.4 of the revised City's Personnel Policies Manual on the October 24, 2023 Council Meeting agenda for adoption
- Appointed Ms. Lu Crews to the vacant alternate position on the Ad Hoc Tree Ordinance Committee

REMINDER FROM THE FIRE MARSHAL

If you see something say something. Please feel free to contact Code Enforcement if you have questions or concerns. Please be aware, however, we cannot take anonymous complaints. In 2021 Florida passed a new law banning anonymous complaints to code officers. The new law is now Florida State Statute (FSS) and prohibits county and municipal code inspectors from initiating an investigation into violations of city or county codes or ordinances based upon an anonymous complaint. It also requires that an individual making a complaint of a potential violation provide his or her name and address to the local government body before an investigation may occur.



CITY COUNCIL NEWS CONTINUED...

City Council Meeting - October 24, 2023

Council:

- Senator Debbie Mayfield Presented the City with \$362,500 in grant funding for the City's baffle box project
- Fire Chief Todd Scaldo presented the Fire Department Medal of Honor to Firefighter William Towers and Battalion Chief Anthony Coleman
- Mayor Nickle issued a special proclamation recognizing Council Member Jim Nolan Sr. and declared October 26, 2023 as Jim Nolan Sr. appreciation day.
- Approved the Regular Council meeting minutes from October 10, 2023
- Appointed Ms. Shauna Hume to fill the unexpired term of Council Member Seat #3 previously held by Deputy Mayor Emeritus Panicola
- Adopted Ordinance No. 2023-10 amending the recreational vehicle and watercraft parking in residential zones.
- Awarded a contract for the Gleason Park Lake Bank Stabilization Project to Solitude Lake Management in an amount not to exceed \$190,000
- Awarded a contract for renovations of the old Police Department to Hedrick Brothers Construction Company, Inc. in an amount not to exceed \$824,000.
- Adopted the revised Personnel Policies Manual

SATELLITE LIBRARY PROGRAMMING

Take "Tea-Time" to Celebrate Monday, 12/11, 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM. End of year book club celebration. Registration requested: speak with Reference staff.

Paint an Ornament with Fred Legg Single classes available Friday, 12/1 & 12/8, 2:30 PM – 4:30 PM. Cost: \$10/session (includes instruction and supplies) payable by cash or check. Class size is limited. Registration required and payment is due in advance at the Reference Desk.

Cupcake Decorating Class: Edible Ornaments Friday, 12/15, 1:00 PM – TBD. Free. Registration is required & begins late November. Class size limited.

One-on-One Basic Tech Help Thursday mornings by appointment. 30-minute session. Register with Reference staff.

Master Gardener Clinic Mondays at 10 AM - 12 PM in the Lobby. Bring your gardening questions and plant problems.

Beachside Strummers 2nd & 4th Fridays, 9:30 AM - 11 AM. Ukulele club. No meetings in November.

Moonlighters 2nd Mondays, 5:30 PM - 7:30 PM. Quilting circle.

Youth Programming

Toddler Story Time: Wednesdays 10:00 AM. No registration required. Ages 15 - 36 months.

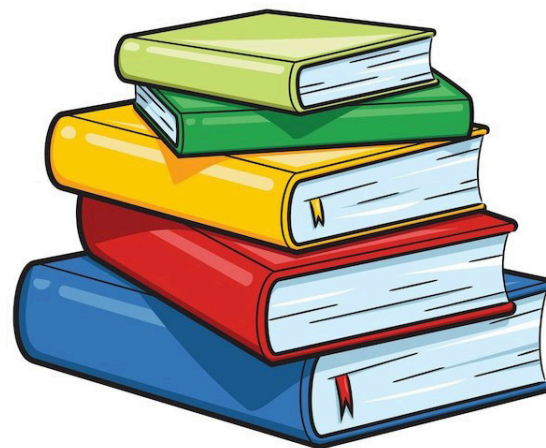
Preschool Story Time: Thursdays 10:00 AM. No registration required. Ages 3 - 5.

Junior Builders Club 1st & 3rd Wednesday 3:30 PM. Brick Builders Club. Ages 5-12. All materials provided.

STEM Wednesday 2nd & 4th Wednesday STEM Activities. Ages 5-12. All materials provided.

School Age Fun Thursdays 3:30 PM. Games & Crafts. Ages 5-12. All materials provided.

Teen Tuesdays 2nd Tuesday 6:00 PM. Ages 13 to 17. Call for activity details.



Satellite Beach Public Library

751 Jamaica Blvd. Satellite Beach
32937

Phone: 321-779-4004

Operating Hours:

Mondays:	9am – 8pm
Tuesdays:	12pm – 8pm
Wednesday – Saturday:	9am – 5pm
Closed on Sundays	

OPERATION HOLIDAY SAFE DISPOSAL

Dumpsters for cardboard recycling will be at the Rec Center parking lot from December 22nd through January 5th. This is to better help people dispose of all those extra card board boxes from the holiday season.

SANTA CLAUSE RUN 2023

The Indian Harbour Beach Volunteer Fire Department will be hosting their annual “Santa Run” where they will escort Mr. Clause through Indian Harbour Beach neighborhoods.



ZONE 1—SATURDAY, DECEMBER 16TH
ZONE 2—SUNDAY, DECEMBER 17TH
ZONE 3—MONDAY, DECEMBER 18TH
ZONE 4—TUESDAY, DECEMBER 19TH
ZONE 5—WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 20TH
NO-RUN—THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21ST
MAKE-UP/CITY BUSINESSES ONLY—FRIDAY, DECEMBER 22ND



ZONE 1: NW SECTION— North of Banana River Drive to Cassia Boulevard, East and West of South Patrick Drive.

ZONE 2: SW SECTION— West of Palmer Road to Banana River Drive and West of South Patrick Drive, Gleason Park south to Eau Gallie Boulevard, Parkside Place West to the Banana River.

ZONE 3: NORTH CENTRAL— Bella Coola Drive, South to Marion Street, between South Patrick Drive and School Road.

ZONE 4: SE SECTION— South of Marion Street to Eau Gallie Boulevard, East of Parkside Place to Highway A1A.

ZONE 5: NE SECTION— Poinsetta Drive South to Marion Street between School Road and Highway A1A.

**There will be no special request visits this year.*

**IHBVFD reserves the right to cancel or reschedule at any time.*

TRUNK OR TREAT HUGE SUCCESS

Our Recreation Department certainly couldn't have put on such a successful trunk or treat without the kindness of our local businesses and families! We appreciate everyone who volunteered their time on a Friday evening and set up some pretty awesome Trunk or Treat decorations as well as those amazing costumes! We hope our residents and their guests had a great time, and we look forward to seeing you all again next year. A special thanks to this year's trunk or treat participants. Lastly, we want to give Police Chief Butler, Nola Butler, Deputy Police Chief Garcia, and Lisa German a special thank you for cooking and serving the hot dogs and refreshments.



CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK



The City's annual Christmas in the Park celebration will be held on Friday, December 8th, from 5:30 – 7:30 p.m. in Gleason Park. Our favorite activities will be offered by the most popular Santa arriving on the IHBVFD decorated fire truck approximately at 5:45 p.m. Santa and his Elf will be in the park until 7:00 p.m. Live entertainment from our local talented students from Satellite High School Ten Tones. Coffee with a cop and the forever favorite Hot Chocolate, Hot Apple Cider, and Cookies, face painting, kids craft station, letters to Santa, and much more.

RAIN BARREL PROGRAM

Did you know that the average rainfall in Brevard County is 54 inches a year? That's 16 inches more than the national average. If you have a roof that is 40' by 80' or larger then it will produce 100,000 gallons, or more, a year in runoff. So install one of MRC's rain barrels and put some of that water to use!

Uses include:

- Watering grass/flower gardens
- Watering house plants
- Filling bird baths, dog pools, or ponds
- Washing your car

Maintenance:

- Drain barrel monthly if not regularly using water
- Keep your gutters clean
- Keep barrels/spigot free of debris
- Algae growth
- Dump, rinse, small capful of bleach
- Check for leaks
- Use aquarium caulk
- Once a year: Drain, rinse, scrub with soap/water or bleach, and let dry

*** City of Indian Harbour Beach residents are eligible for a \$50 rain barrel mail-in rebate**



BAFFLE BOX FUNDING

Senator Mayfield presents Mayor Nickle with a check for \$362,500 to help fund the City's Lake Bank Stabilization/Baffle Box Project in Gleason Park. The project will decrease pollutant loading, lessen turbidity issues, and decrease safety hazards along the lake where children and adults walk. This is accomplished by placing a baffle overlay where the lake bank had previously been. It will pump sediment from the bottom of the lake into the baffles and behind the material stabilizing the lake bank and providing a safe contour to the land. Once the overlay is secured, the sod will be laid on top of the overlay which is manufactured with tiny holes to allow roots to grow, anchoring it further.



MARILYN HAYES VISITS CITY HALL



Marilyn Hayes recently visited City Hall and spent time speaking with city staff and elected officials in the Indian Harbour Beach Council Chamber which is named after her and her late husband LTC Norman C. Hayes.

WELCOME NEW EMPLOYEES

The City of Indian Harbour Beach would like to recognize the newest additions to our team.

- Ryan Kilmer, Public Works Maintenance Specialist
- Kaleb Martin, Police Officer
- Kyle Pank, Public Works Maintenance Specialist
- Lorraine Perez, Communications Officer
- Tiffany Petro, Victim Advocate
- Pete Tridnivka, Public Works Maintenance Specialist
- Gary Apple, Public Works Maintenance Specialist

P&Z VACANCY

The City Council of the City of Indian Harbour Beach is looking for interested persons to serve as an alternate member of the Indian Harbour Beach Planning and Zoning Board.

If you are interested in serving in this capacity please submit a letter of interest and resume to City Clerk Sue Frank at sfrank@indianharbour.org by the close of business December 29, 2023. For more information, you may e-mail or call Mrs. Frank at (321) 773-3181.

** Please note: This is a volunteer position and under Florida Law, the Planning and Zoning Board Members must file annual financial disclosure forms.*

YARD OF THE MONTH OCTOBER & NOVEMBER

The Indian Harbour Beach Garden Club presented the November Yard of the Month Award to 1228 Seminole Drive. Congratulations to homeowner Lorgia Battles. The yard is heavily landscaped and very inviting, with several sitting areas. She has many plants that attract butterflies for nectar and laying eggs; such as firebush, porter weed, red salvia, goldenrod, milkweed, firespike, and pentas.

Rockledge Gardens donated a \$20.00 gift certificate to the award winners.

If you are interested in learning more about the Indian Harbour Beach Garden Club, please contact ihbgc2@gmail.com



UPDATE ON SARNO LANDFILL/RECYCLING



The C&D (construction and demolition) portion of the landfill on Sarno Road is expected to last until January. Once It closes, C&D will have to go to Cocoa until the new landfill on SR 192 opens in roughly five years. Yard waste and household hazardous waste will still be accepted at the Sarno site after C&D is shut down.

Recycling contamination in Brevard is currently at 33%. Waste Management does daily audits of random samples to get this statistic and updates it every year. The largest issues are tangles, including plastic bags and hoses, etc. Other problems are food-soaked items that are too small to be sortable, planting pots, food waste, glass, and larger items like storage bins and lawn furniture.

INDIAN HARBOUR BEACH RECREATION CENTER

1233 Yacht Club Boulevard—Pre-registration is necessary for all classes. 321-0552

Swimming Pool Information

The Indian Harbour Beach City swimming pool began its fall hours on Monday, July 31. Annual memberships are available for the pool, for families or individuals. Daily fees for IHB residents are \$1.50 for youth (under 18), \$2.50 for adults and \$2.00 Seniors (60 years or older). Non-resident daily fees are \$3.00 for youth, \$4.00 for adults and \$3.50 Seniors (60 years or older).

Summer Pool Hours

Adult Lap Swimming	Monday - Friday	5:30 – 9:30 a.m.
General Swimming	Monday - Friday	9:30 – 1:00 p.m.
General Swimming	Monday & Wednesday	3:00 – 4:30 p.m.
General Swimming	Tues, Thurs, Fri.	3:30 – 5:00 p.m.
Adult Lap Swimming	Monday & Wednesday	4:30 – 6:30 p.m.
Adult Lap Swimming	Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat & Sun	5:00 – 7:00 p.m.
General/Family Swimming	Saturday & Sunday	1:00 – 5:00 p.m.
General/Family Swimming	Tues, Thurs, Fri, Sat & Sun	7:00 – 8:00 p.m.

LIST OF CONTINUOUS CLASSES, ACTIVITIES, MEETINGS AND CLUBS

Please check with the office for beginning session dates; several programs have seasonal times and/or brief periods of inactivity. Pre-registration may be necessary for classes. Please call 773-0552.

AARP: AARP: Chapter 1413: Meets the first Friday of each month, 11 a.m. – 2 p.m.

AQUAFIT: Mondays, Wednesdays & Fridays, 8:30 – 9:30am. This class is \$4 per class, but is being paid in full at the beginning of the month at this time. Call Johnette at 321-777-8910 for class availability. Time change to 7:45am start-ing JUNE 5.

BELLYDANCING: Tuesdays 6:30pm, \$100/10-week session. Contact Jacqueline at nadirahjohara@gmail.com for class info. New session starts April 4.

BONE BUILDERS PROGRAM: Exercise program for 55 years and up. Designed to combat osteoporosis. Tuesdays & Fridays, 9:00 – 10:15 a.m. The Bone Builders Exercise Program is offered free of charge. Medical clearance is required.

FIT FOR MOM: Mondays 9:30 – 10 :30 Stroller Strides in the Park. Please contact Rebekah for more information and cost. Rebekahcoates@fit4mom.com

GENTLE YOGA: Tuesdays 10 – 11am. \$5/per class. Contact Gina at 321-536-4175 for more information.

INDIAN HARBOUR BEACH GARDEN CLUB: Third Wednesday of the month, 10am.

KARATE CLASSES: Ages 5 to adults – Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced – Mondays, Wednesdays; \$50 per month. sempai.bach@fournierdojo.com for more information.

SOCCER SHOTS: director-brevard@soccershots.org or 321-704-5999

SPACE COAST MASTERS SWIM TEAM (ages 19 – adults): Saturdays, 7 – 10 am.

SPANISH & JAPANESE CLASSES : Please contact Monsie: wmonsie@yahoo.com for next scheduled class.

TAI CHI: Wednesdays 6:30 – 7:45 pm. Beginner friendly \$10/per class. Contact: Leah Williamson www.beachsideqigong.com.

ZUMBA: Thursdays, 6:30 – 7:30 pm, \$5/ per class

ZUMBA GOLD LOW IMPACT ZUMBA: Thursday 9- 10 am. \$5/per class. Contact Rochelle at 321-233-4664 for more in-formation

**ALL DAY - TIME CLASSES ARE ON HOLD UNTIL AFTER SUMMER.
THE RECREATION CENTER OFFICE IS OPEN
MONDAY THROUGH FRIDAY – 9 A.M. TO 5 P.M..**

BUSINESS HIGHLIGHTS

**Central Florida Breastfeeding
Medicine & Primary Care**
2020 Highway A1A, Suite 101

Take 5 Oil Change
450 E Eau Gallie Blvd

Living Water Wellness Center
2194 Highway A1A, Suite 206

Mimosa Tree Massage
2194 Highway A1A, Suite 206



CITY OF INDIAN HARBOUR BEACH
2055 South Patrick Drive
Indian Harbour Beach, FL 32937

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CITY MEETINGS

City Council:2nd & 4th Tuesdays, 7:00 p.m., City Hall Council Chamber
Planning & Zoning Board:1st Wed., 7:00 p.m., City Hall Council Chamber
Indian Harbour Beach Garden Club:3rd Wed., 10:00 a.m., Community Services Center

CITY OF INDIAN HARBOUR BEACH TELEPHONE NUMBERS

EMERGENCIES (FIRE, POLICE, AMBULANCE) 9-1-1
City Hall 773-3181
Police & Fire Departments 773-3030
Recreation Department 773-0552

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION

Water Department (City of Melbourne) 608-7100 Ext. 4
Sewer (Brevard Utilities) 633-2093
Sewer (Emergency After Hours) 455-1338
Trash/Recycling Pickup (Waste Management) 723-4455
Brevard County Voter Registration (Sarno Road) 255-4455
Brevard County Driver License Division (Sarno Road) 264-6935
Florida Power & Light Residential Service 723-7795
Florida Power & Light Outage 1-800-468-8243

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