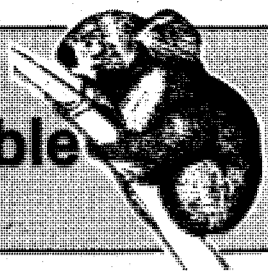


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## Can tourist-tired Islanders become tourists themselves?

Editorial columnist Chelle Koster Walton took a trip last week and proved that, yes, Islanders CAN and DO exhibit typical tourist behavior when out of their own element.

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## Timed bridge openings set for every afternoon Monday through Friday

Effective this week, the Causeway drawbridge will not open for boat traffic between 3:45 and 4:45 p.m. every weekday afternoon.

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## SCCF is one of two Florida recipients of conservation awards

The Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation has received a 1986 Chevron Conservation Award for its seminal work in establishing coastal conservation and wetlands protection programs in Southwest Florida.

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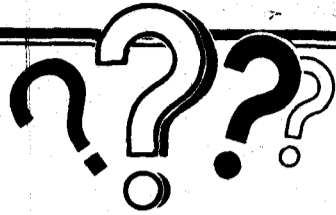


## But which ones are the flowers?

That could have been the question Sunday afternoon when these tiny dancers - themselves looking somewhat like spring blossoms in their ballerina finery - took time out from their recital to pick some flowers in the field across from Sanibel Promenade.

These two wanderers eventually did join the rest of the dance students of Dianne La Croix on stage for their annual recital on Mother's Day. For more photos by Ricki Kosakow Cooper see page 24A.

# ISLAND SHORTS



## WHAT IS IT?

We don't want to know what it looks like or what it reminds you of. We want to know EXACTLY WHAT IT IS.

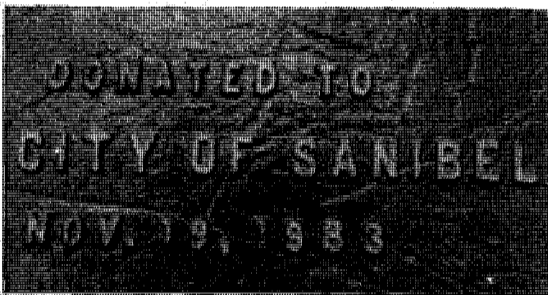
The photos in this weekly stumper can be extra close-ups or odd angles of things we all see every day around the Islands. They might be upside-down, reversed or a portion of the whole.

Sanibel's Anne Newcombe was the first to call last week with the correct answer. The photo was of the vines growing on the side of the Dunham's of Maine store on Periwinkle Way. Marjorie Scott also called with the correct answer.



Last week's stumper

If you think you know what this week's stumper is, call *The Islander*, 472-5185. The first person to call with the correct answer receives his choice of an *Islander* t-shirt or a one-year subscription to the newspaper.



This week's stumper

## Your donation of blood will help other Islanders when they need it

The Sanibel-Captiva Lions, Rotary and Kiwanis clubs and the American Business Womens Association will sponsor a visit of the Lee Memorial Hospital bloodmobile this Wednesday, May 14.

The bloodmobile will be in the parking lot at Bailey's from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and at Jerry's from 1 to 4 p.m.

By donating a unit of blood, you will be helping so-

meone in the Island community who is in immediate need of blood. You will be ensuring yourself or any member of your family that any blood needs will be met.

The Islands' blood reserve has been seriously depleted in recent weeks, and donors are needed more than ever. Please give the gift that keeps on living. Be sure to eat a good meal before donating.

## Sanibel tree-trimmer is recovering in intensive care ward

Friends of Duane Gillingwater, the Sanibel man who was critically injured in a tree-trimming accident last month, will be happy to learn he is recovering in the Intensive Care Unit at Lee Memorial Hospital.

Even though he remains in critical condition, Gillingwater's spirits are good. He would like to thank the many Islanders who

have expressed their love and concern through countless cards and letters, a friend of Gillingwater's said Friday. She added the ICU nurses have voted Gillingwater "the best patient they have ever had."

Gillingwater was strapped to a 40-foot-tall tree when it crashed to the ground and pinned him underneath its branches nearly

four weeks ago. Since then he has lost 30 pounds, undergone four operations and received more than 120 units of blood.

The 37-year-old Gillingwater has no medical insurance. An account has been established in his name at Bank of the Islands for anyone who would like to help in the long recovery that lies ahead.

## May 21 slide show will recount trip to China

Father Jerry Fraser will show slides on China at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 21, in the parish hall at St. Isabel Catholic Church, 3559 Sanibel-Captiva Road.

Fraser visited China in 1979 with the U.S.-China People's Friendship Association. The group went to the cities of Beijing, Shenyang, Shanghai and Canton.

They visited the Teacher's College at the University of Beijing and the China Medical School in Shenyang.

Fraser will lead a group to China this Dec. 1-16, 1986. If you cannot make the slide show but are interested in the trip, call Fraser, 472-2763.

## 'Living Again' support group welcomes bereaved persons

By popular demand, Living Again, the support group for bereaved persons, will continue to meet on Sanibel through the summer months.

Participants gather at 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. every Thursday at Sanibel Community Church. Under the leadership of Dr. Michael Cordner of the Fort Myers

Counseling and Growth Center, they share their ways of dealing with the loss of a spouse or other loved one.

New participants are invited. The group is sponsored by Friends In Service Here. There is no charge for any FISH service or program.

For more information call 472-0404.

25 years ago, in *The Islander's* first year of publication, the paper was published only from November to May.

### 20 Years Ago This Week May 12, 1966

The Sanibel-Captiva Democratic Club has endorsed the development of the J.N. "Ding" Darling Memorial Sanctuary. The officers of the club are: Roy Bazire, president; Griffing Bancroft, vice president; Al Muench, treasurer; Richard Wiebe, treasurer; and Priscilla Murphy, secretary.

Several fifth and sixth graders at Cypress Lake Middle School were given a guided tour of the Islands by school children here last week. The Island guides were Missy Muench, Joan Miller, Carol Nix, Alice Aleck, Jeanie Wooster and Zee Seigler.

Lloyd Wright's purchase of a large gulf-front parcel on Sanibel for \$55,000 was the second largest real estate transaction in Lee County last week. The parcel is zoned for motel construction.

Mario Hutton and Griffing Bancroft reported the sensational sighting of a single flamingo in the Ding Darling Sanctuary near the tower construction site early one morning last week.

### 15 Years Ago This Week May 13, 1971

Progress is being made on the construction of Sanibel's first golf course at Beachview Country Club. Seeding of the first nine holes should be completed



## REMEMBER WHEN?

within the month, and actual playing on the course should be possible by November.

MacIntosh Book Shop advertised two decks of plastic-coated playing cards for 89 cents.

Bailey's advertised smoked ham for 39 cents per pound, spare ribs for 69 cents per pound, sliced bacon for 69 cents per pound, and Folgers coffee for 49 cents per pound.

### 10 Years Ago This Week May 11, 1976

The Blue Circle "Holy Rollers" met for the last time before a summer recess last week at the Captiva home of Frances Shaver. The group has been meeting for 10 years to tear sheets and roll them into bandages for the Catholic Medical Mission Board of New York.

Col. Maxene Michl has been honored and commissioned by the Commonwealth of Kentucky to the rank of Kentucky Colonel. Michl was presented her commission by Kentucky Col. Bob Parcells, who was commissioned in 1974.

Surf Realty advertised a four-bedroom, two-bath,

lakefront home on Sanibel for \$79,000.

### 5 Years Ago This Week May 12, 1981

Sanibel Resources Center, the Island's preparatory day school on Buttonwood Lane, will hold an open house next week.

Duanè White has been elected the new mayor of Sanibel by his colleagues on the City Council. The new vice mayor is Mike Klein.

U.S. Coast Guard officials last week notified Sanibel City Manager Bernie Murphy of their plans to establish a base for training teams at the Sanibel Lighthouse.

### 1 Year Ago This Week May 14, 1985

The Committee of the Islands last week issued a qualified endorsement of the city's proposal to raise the annual growth cap from 180 to 210 dwelling units.

The Three-Star complex, owned and operated by Jim Robson since 1973, has been sold to the Pick-Kwick convenience store corporation.

For the first time in the history of Sanibel, the City Council has agreed to donate funds to support an off-Island organization. The council last week voted unanimously to provide \$5,000 over the next three years to the Lee County Alliance of the Arts to develop a community arts center in Fort Myers.

# WEATHER WATCH



There is a good chance of afternoon rains through Friday. Skies should be partly cloudy with highs forecast in the mid 80s and lows in the mid 60s.

Last week's weather according to records kept by the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce was as follows:

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Monday, May 5	88	69	0
Tuesday, May 6	87	69	.18
Wednesday, May 7	87	69	.09
Thursday, May 8	84	68	0
Friday, May 9	84	71	0
Saturday, May 10	83	70	.19
Sunday, May 11	80	66	0

Last year temperatures around the Islands were considerably cooler the second week in May:

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Monday, May 6, 1985	85	69	.116
Tuesday, May 7, 1985	85	69	0
Wednesday, May 8, 1985	84	73	0
Thursday, May 9, 1985	84	73	0
Friday, May 10, 1985	86	73	0
Saturday, May 11, 1985	83	74	0
Sunday, May 12, 1985	65	72	0

While Islanders begin to feel the heat, humidity and seasonal rains of summer, lots of other folks around the country and in Canada would probably love to trade places. Here is a sampling of highs and lows recorded last weekend.

	LOW	HIGH
Calgary, Canada	33	45
Edmonton, Canada	39	54
Albany, N.Y.	33	73
Anchorage, Alaska	38	41
Boise, Idaho	44	56
Cheyenne, WY.	32	64
Duluth, Minn.	29	51
Seattle, Wash.	43	56
Portland, Ore.	42	52
Boston, Mass.	40	56

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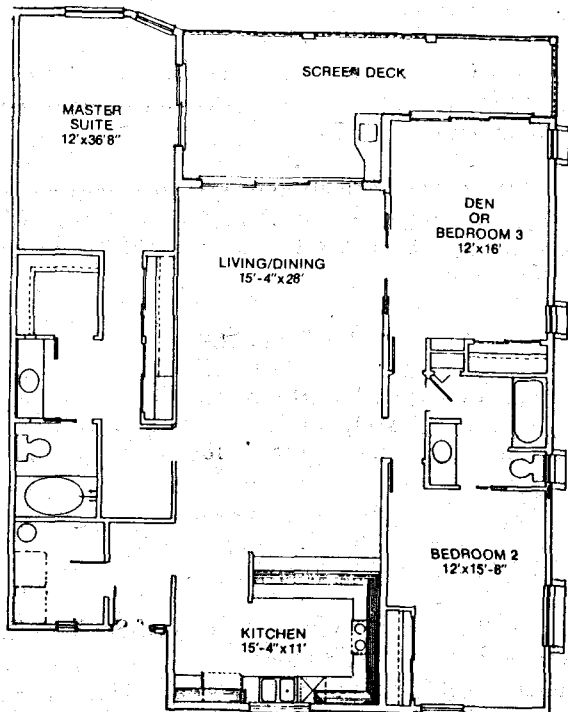
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# COMMENTARY



## ISLAND EYES

By Chelle Koster  
Walton

### Can Islanders be tourists themselves?

I have, upon occasion, been accused of a less-than-loving attitude toward tourists. This cannot be further from the truth. To prove it, I recently became one. It was part of an experiment to see if tourist-tired Islanders could be transformed into tourists themselves.

A couple of dozen Islanders were involved, in a ratio of something like one Islander to 3½ non-Islanders. The latter served as a control group. A margin of error in these results exists because some of the non-Islanders were ex-Islanders still displaying some of the tendencies of current Islanders.

We all were confined for hours on a Greyhound bus, then on a plush cruise ship, in exotic ports, on deserted beaches, and in glamorous casinos. We were subjected to hedonistic pleasures and exhibitionism. It was an exercise in endurance and strength of character.

Here are some of the findings:

- 35 percent more Islanders than non-Islanders experienced a greater-than-normal frequency of finding themselves dressed in gaudy swimming trunks, Hawaiian shirts and even goofy hats.
- Of those Islanders who turned green in the Dramamine Derby, a significantly small population actually went up to strangers and asked to be shot.
- The foot race on Nassau was won hands down by the non-I's. In fact, the only Islanders who made it further than one block drove (oh, this is embarrassing) mopeds!
- The person who survived the longest locked up in a cabin was, of course, an Islander. The Father of the Year Award went to an Islander, although the \$100 cash stipend was forfeited on a technicality.
- Only an Islander was able to stuff as much fruit into her swimsuit as Bailey's stocks in a week.

As for the results in the sensory deprivation series: The first day all Islanders reported sleeping through lunch (not having crows or Island sun to awaken them down there in the bowels of the ship). They solved this problem thereon by falling asleep on deck or in bars serving eye-openers.

The most blatant sign of atypical tourist behavior was displayed by Islanders when the trip back from Port Canaveral was completed. Though dejected because the fun was over and the work week awaited them, Islanders were the only ones happy to be home.

Probably the most bizarre display of deviant behavior, though, was observed in two non-Islanders — technically classified former Islanders with Islander tendencies. These two subjects willfully underwent four days of near-maniac conditions by taking two busfuls of employees on a cruise to the Bahamas. They were last seen bouncing off walls. They blame it on sea legs, but I wonder ...?

Chelle Koster Walton moved to Sanibel five years ago from Minnesota. She works part-time at MCT's restaurant, and recently joined more than 90 of her co-workers and friends on a four-day cruise.

### Recently widowed Islander says support group has helped

To the Editor:

Enclosed please find a letter that was sent to Friends In Service Here from a recently widowed Island woman who has participated in our "Living Again" support group for the bereaved. The group meets at 10 a.m. every Thursday at Sanibel Community Church under the leadership of Dr. Michael Cor-dner. Participation is free, and everyone is welcome.

Marilyn Bradley

Friends In Service Here

can look back and see that through the group's help, I have made a great deal of progress.

Enclosed please find a bit of doggerel which I hoped would express my own feelings and that of most of the group. We are especially fortunate to have Mike Cor-dner, a fine and understanding human being who also possesses the technical background and training to help each of us deal better with some of life's traumas and sad vicissitudes.

Sincerely,

Name withheld upon request

Dear FISH:

I am truly most grateful to have had the opportunity to belong to the FISH-sponsored group for those who have been recently bereaved. While I don't know exactly where I would be "at" without it, I know that I

P.S. I am so happy that FISH will continue to sponsor the group and that it will become an ongoing resource for us on Sanibel. Your board should know how far-reaching and meaningful it has been for all of us.

### We shall each live again

Though we came here with fear  
and great hesitation,  
Through these weeks we've found friendship  
and much consolation.  
We've become more relaxed  
and much more at ease.  
Better able to express feelings  
and better able to please.  
Through each one's strengths  
and the group's constant caring,  
Our sorrows and losses  
we've found ourselves sharing.  
With outbursts of laughter  
and buckets of tears,  
We've looked back at the past  
and far happier years.  
Now each of us found promise  
of a future much brighter,  
Though our hearts are still full,  
our burden's much lighter.  
To Mike, our wise counselor,  
support and good friend,

We've poured out our feelings  
and thoughts without end.  
Yet through each of these sessions,  
some large and some small,  
He's stood out among us —  
strong, faithful and tall.  
He has helped us seek solace  
in new untried directions.  
He's given us insight  
into unsettling reflections.  
We now can accept  
there are no cures and no potions,  
To help us in dealing  
with our doubts and emotions.  
But we've found new strengths  
and bright new hope,  
And each, in his own way,  
has learned how to cope.

So now we've set aside  
much anguish and pain,  
And in our own special way,  
we shall each live again.

The "Living Again" Group

### Dolphin researcher believes in sharing her findings

To the Editor

The Islander

A full year has passed since I began my study of the behavior and ecology of Sanibel and Captiva's bottlenose dolphins. I have spent more than 800 hours on the water, have gotten to know more than 50 individual dolphins, and have learned a great deal about their habits.

Although the results of my research here will be published as a chapter in a technical book and will form the central part of my doctoral dissertation, I feel strongly that my job is not done until I have shared my findings with the residents of and visitors to these Islands.

I believe that science is most valuable when it is shared with the general public in non-technical terms. Therefore, I have designed a booklet entitled "The Dolphins of Sanibel and Captiva" to provide the reader with facts about bottlenose dolphins in general and information about our local dolphins in particular.

The booklet will be illustrated with glossy color and black and white photos of dolphins (from among the 5,000-plus pictures I've taken during the past year). I

believe this booklet will fill a gap because there are no books of this type currently available. It will allow residents and visitors to easily learn a few facts about the dolphins which fascinate and entertain them.

Publishing the dolphin booklet will cost approximately \$4,000-5,000, and thus, I extend a final plea to the people of Sanibel.

I need individuals or groups who would like to sponsor this booklet. Already, the Sanibel-Captiva Rotary Club has generously donated \$500 to this project. The booklet will be the most important part of my study — my tangible contribution to the people of Sanibel and Captiva through which I can share the discoveries I have made about our very own dolphins. Please help make this sharing possible.

I will be glad to discuss the detailed plans of the booklet project with anyone who is interested before return to California on May 20 (call 472-1174, evenings). After May 20 you can write me at: 250 Cottini Way, Santa Cruz, CA 95060.

Sincerely,  
Susan Shane  
Sanibel

### 'Shipshape' employees thank

Bud and Mary LoCicero

To the Editor

The Islander

We the seasick but happy employees of MCT's would like to make a public show of gratitude. Thank you, Bud and Mary LoCicero, for your generosity, indulgence, appreciation, support, friendship and terrific ideas. Thank you for your unequalled ability to throw a great employee party.

Signed,  
Your shipshape crew

# Refuge has new plans for Tarpon Bay Marina

Leases for commercial activities will not be renewed after this year

By SCOTT MARTELL  
Islander staff writer

What is the proper balance between wildlife and human use in a fragile environmental area?

That question was raised by officials at the J.N. "Ding" Darling Wildlife Refuge recently when they looked closely at the commercialism of the Tarpon Bay Marina complex. The area, which includes a gift shop, shell shop and marina, is on refuge property that is leased out to concessionaires.

The refuge staff felt the balance weighed too heavily for human use at

the expense of wildlife, and they have planned some major changes.

The concessionaires, meanwhile, feel the refuge staff might have overreacted. They say the changes will mean the breaking of a "pretty big family" of people who have lived and worked at the marina area for many years. And they also look for any proof that some of their activities are harmful to an area they all recognize as a fragile environment.

When the current concessionaire leases run out in March 1987, they will not be renewed. The shell shop and the Red Pelican gift shop will have to find

new locations. A marina will be allowed, but it will not have wet or dry storage or fresh seafood or deli sales. Fishing and shelling guides will no longer be able to work out of the marina.

"We feel it is just too commercial now," says refuge staffer Chris Olsen. "Things like a gift shop are just too inconsistent with the objectives of a refuge. And we do get complaints about offering guided shelling trips and selling shells on refuge property. To sell shells, you have a commercial harvest of wildlife — that just doesn't fit in a refuge's goals."

The refuge will allow a marina shop with bait and tackle sales. Canoes and skiffs will be rented for fishing and wildlife observations. And the marina will maintain a public boat ramp and boat gas sales. This operation will likely go out to bid in the fall.

Other ambitious plans for the area are contingent on funding and are meant primarily to make the area more self-guiding. Plans include a series of interpretive exhibits, a walking trail and an observation tower.

"We want to capitalize on the marine

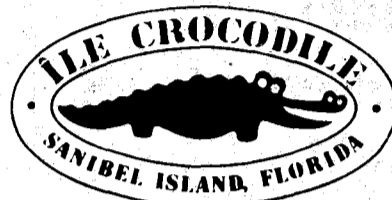
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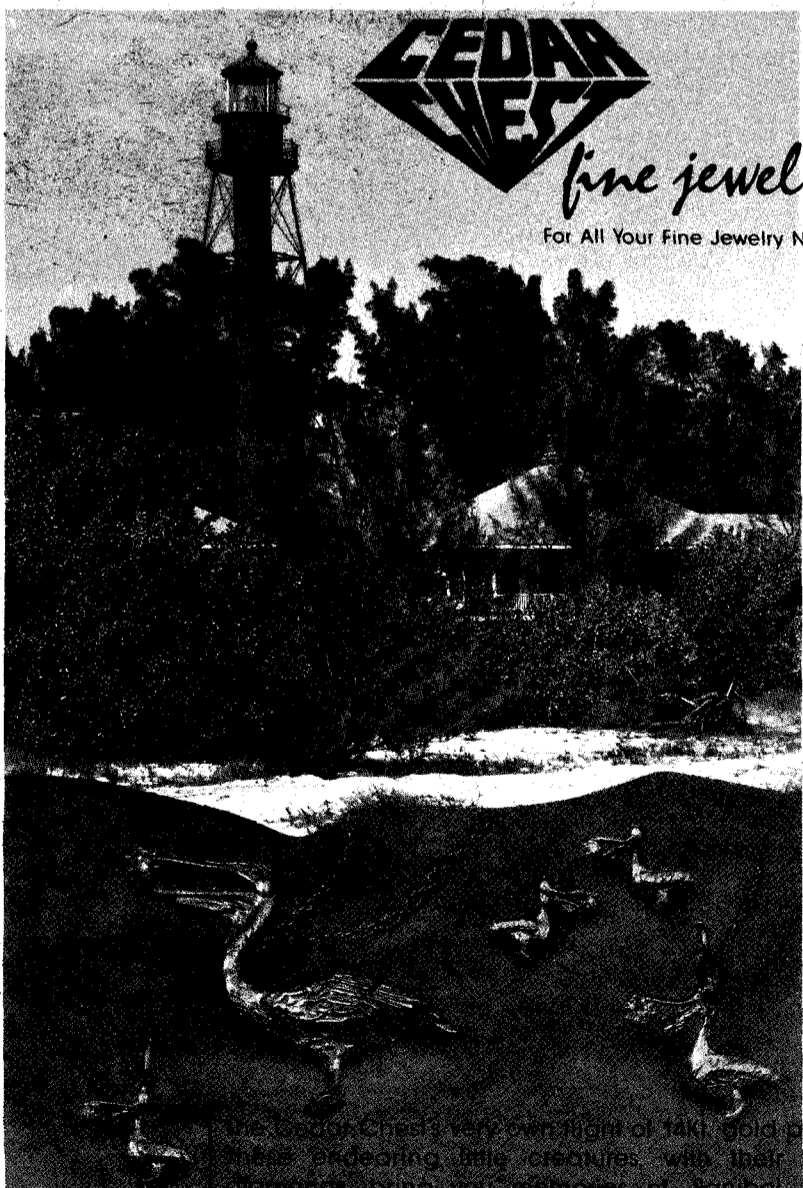
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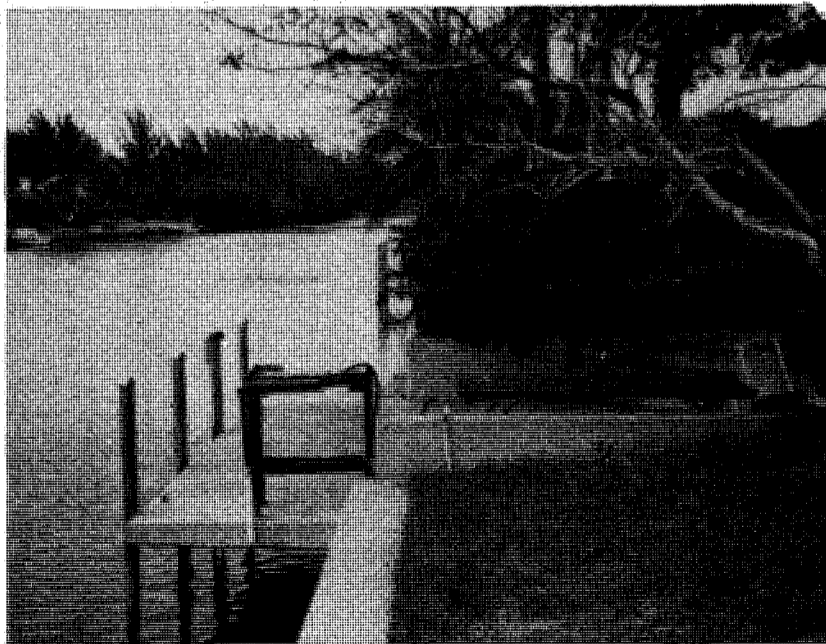


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"We have mixed feelings here. It's not easy to make such a decision. We know some people are going to lose their jobs ... but we hope it will benefit wildlife in the long run."

**Chris Olsen**  
Refuge staffer

environment — maybe present information on the manatee," Olsen said. "Manatees have been using the bay heavily. There is also some interesting history which could be related about Tarpon Bay. This is the type of thing which is more consistent with a refuge."

Olsen said 173,000 people visited the Tarpon Bay portion of the wildlife refuge in 1985. About 750,000 visited the entire refuge.

"So about 25 percent are using the Tarpon Bay area. We want to capitalize on that," she said. "We have a great opportunity to inform the public on certain issues."

"We know that the environment is

fragile here," said Graeme Mellor, who has managed the marina for the past eight years. The changes at the Tarpon Bay Marina mean Mellor will have to find a new job. "But I'd like to see more proof that some of our operations are harmful in any way," he said.

Mellor particularly wondered at how the dry storage could be harmful.

"I think those people who leave their boats here would be among those who are most upset. There are only two places here that have storage facilities," he said.

Mellor added that even the wet storage (docks) at the marina are low-key. The biggest boats that comes in to use the docks are in the 20-foot range,

he added.

He feels the refuge is cutting out all chances a future marina would have to make any profits. At most, the proposed marina operation could support one or two people who would have to work continuously just to make ends meet, Mellor believes.

"But again, we just don't fully understand why the refuge is making some of these changes," he said. "If some of these operations are bad in any way and therefore are not to be allowed, it seems inconsistent with a policy that has allowed the refuge to construct a new dock with davits at the refuge

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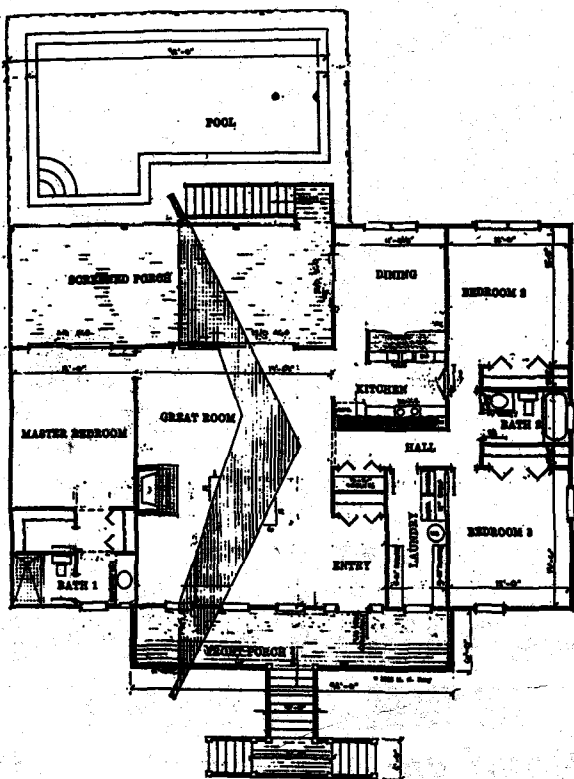


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**Graeme Mellor**  
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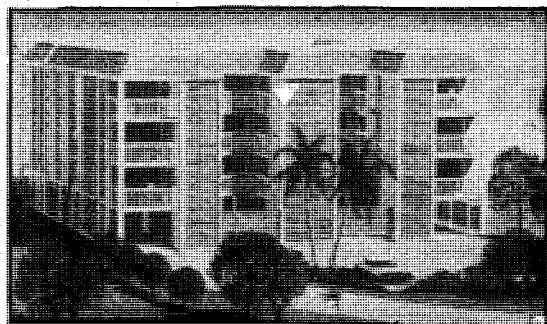
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# POLICE BEAT

All information in the following reports was taken directly from Sanibel Police Department records.

Police disposed of the carcass of a six-foot alligator that was found on Sanibel-Captiva Road near the entrance to Gulf Pines subdivision early Friday morning, May 2.

Later that morning police responded to the Hilton after a woman reported a baby alligator was on the beach in front of the resort. The gator was in the gulf when police arrived. No action was taken.

And that afternoon police received another complaint about a large alligator in the street on Ardsley Way.

Police checked the neighborhood around Nerita Street around 2 a.m. Saturday, May 3, after a resident reported hearing a prowler around her house. Officers found nothing suspicious, however.

An Ann Arbor, Mich., man reported his car was broken into while it was parked at the public fishing pier between 12:30 and 3 p.m. Sunday, May 4. The car had been locked, and police found signs of forced entry on the passenger side. A crow bar or similar instrument was used to pry open the door. A leather shoulder bag, two wallets and a checkbook, a pair of prescription glasses and a make-up case and \$350 cash were taken. Total value of the missing items was estimated at \$975.

"Bird" Westall was called to remove an alligator from the yard of a home on Dinkins Bayou Road around 8 p.m.

Sunday, May 4.

A blue Schwinn bicycle with a white calfskin seat was stolen from Sanibel Moorings sometime between Sunday night, May 4, and Monday morning, May 5. The bike was valued at \$200.

An Easton, Pa., man reported his wife had lost a 3/4-carat diamond ring around Gulfside City Park sometime during the day Monday, May 5. The ring was valued at \$3,000.

Police went to Shell Island Realty around 2 p.m. Wednesday, May 7, after a report that an alligator was in the office parking lot. The gator was gone when officers arrived, however.

Police went to the Dunes golf course around 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, May 7, after a resident reported two boys were riding a motorcycle on the course. Officers found a 15-year-old Sanibel boy who said he was practicing for his up-

coming drivers test. He had a 14-year-old friend as a passenger on the motorcycle. The boys denied driving on the golf course greens or in the sand traps.

Police advised the driver's mother, who said she would secure the motorcycle until her son obtained his license.

A Pickerington, Ohio, man reported he had lost an envelope containing nearly \$500 cash somewhere on Sanibel Thursday afternoon, May 8. The envelope contained one \$100 bill, one \$50 bill and numerous \$20 bills.

A Sanibel man told police he had run over a large alligator on Periwinkle Way near the Island Moped business around 5 a.m. Friday, May 9. Police looked for but could not find an injured alligator in the area.

During the week that ended Friday morning, May 9, Sanibel police issued two citations to drivers for following too closely and one for speeding.



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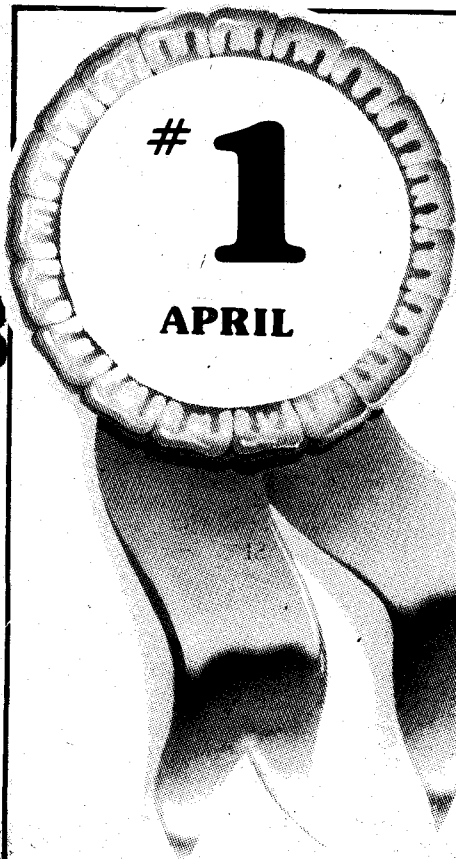
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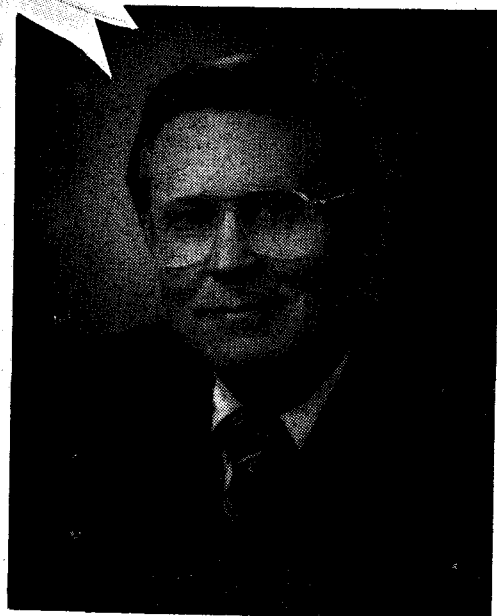
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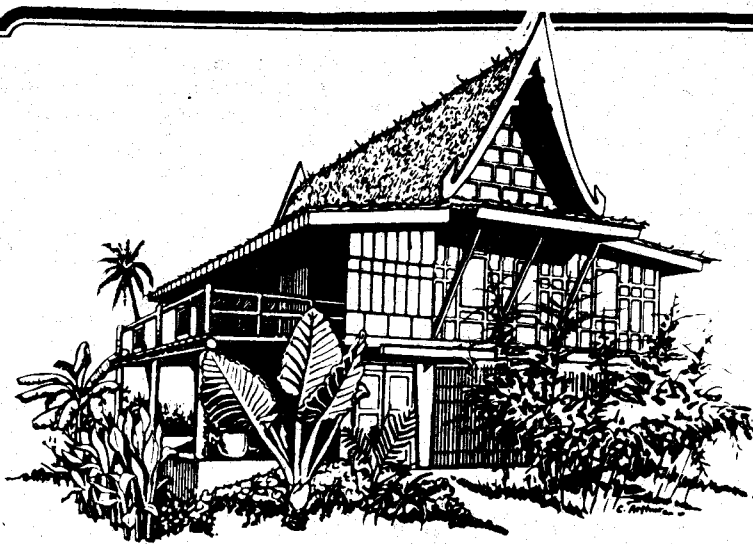
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SANIBEL  
PLANNING COMMISSION MEETING  
COUNCIL CHAMBERS  
MacKENZIE HALL  
800 DUNLOP ROADMAY 13, 1986  
AGENDA

9 a.m.

1. Approval of the minutes of the regular meeting of April 22, 1986.
2. Report from director of planning.
3. Reports from Planning Commission members.
4. Report from Planning Commission chairman.

9:15 a.m.

5. Continuation (from April 8, 1986) of consideration of a request pursuant to Land Development Code Part F, CONDITIONAL USE, to provide for outdoor storage of bicycles and mopeds in conjunction with the Island Moped business located at 1470 Periwinkle Way in Section 19, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; as submitted by Steven C. Hartsell, Esq., for Michael and Kevin Burns and Thomas and Douglas Erdmeir. 86-03-CUP

9:30 a.m.

6. Continuation (from April 8, 1986) of consideration of an application for a Development Permit to subdivide a 6.27 acre, more or less, parcel of land into eighteen (18) condominium units, one nine-unit building, one six-unit building, and three land condominium parcels for single-family houses; said parcel located west of Loggerhead Cay Condominium, south of Gulf Drive, east of Sanibel Beach Club and with frontage on the Gulf of Mexico, in Section 30, Township 46 South, Range 23 East (Tax Strap No. 30-46-23-J0-00019.0000 and 30-46-23-J0-00022.0010); application submitted by Jerry J. Marek. No. 86-3628 DP; and...

Continuation (from April 8, 1986) of consideration of an application for a Development Permit to subdivide a 5.90 acre, more or less, parcel of land into three lots for single-family houses; said parcel is located west of Beach Road, north of East Gulf Drive and east of lots 22A and 23A of Las Conchas Del Mar subdivision in Section 30, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; application submitted by Ronald G. Weaver of Architectural Resources Corporation for Beach Road and Gulf Drive Partnership, Bruce D. Robertson, Managing General Partner. No. 86-3629 DP.

10 a.m.

7. Continuation (from April 8, 1986) of consideration of a request for an Amendment to the Land Development Code, Section 1.D.2.a.(2)(c): BAY BEACH ZONE, CONDITIONAL USES, to permit rip-rap shoreline structures in the Bay Beach Zone, and Section 1.I.3: SPECIFIC REQUIREMENTS FOR CONDITIONAL USES (adding a new subsection) to provide specific requirements and conditions for rip-rap structures in the Bay Beach Zone; as submitted by Hess Associates, for Richard Lindner. No. 86-02 LDC.

10:30 a.m.

8. Continuation (from April 22, 1986) of consideration of a request for a Development Permit for development of 12 Below Market Rate Housing units (four of the proposed structures are to be relocated Hurricane House duplexes) on a 3.24-acre parcel of land having 890.86 feet of frontage on the west side of Beach Road situated approximately 150 feet north of the Sanibel River and approximately 400 feet south of Periwinkle Way in Section 19, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; as submitted by Dunn and Stringer Realty, Inc. No. 86-3611 D.P.

10:40 a.m.

9. Continuation (from April 22, 1986) of Planning Commission review and recommendation as to compliance with the Sanibel Comprehensive Land Use Plan of an ordinance amending subsection 1.G.2.b.(4) of the Land Development Code; clarifying the types of vehicles used in conjunction with a commercial use which may be parked on-site outside of a completely enclosed building; providing for conflict and severance; and providing an effective date. No. 86-16-LDC

11:15 a.m.

10. Consideration of a request for a Development Permit, Section 1.J.3: NONCONFORMING USES OF BUILDINGS AND STRUCTURES, to construct a garage (with storage and laundry room) and new roof above front entry to a single-family residence sited partially in the Bay Beach Ecological Zone, located at 544 Lighthouse Way, in Section 20, Township 46 South, Range 23 East; as submitted by Rex Moon. No. 86-3652 DP.

11:30 a.m.

11. Consideration of a request for a Development Permit to establish a Home Occupation (Mental Health Counselor) pursuant to the Land Development Code Section 1.E.11: HOME OCCUPATIONS; the subject property is located at 2024 Turtle Galt Lane in Cardinal Ridge Subdivision situated in Sec-

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## COMING UP

THURSDAY, MAY 15, MacKenzie Hall, 10 a.m. - Scheduled hearings before the Code Enforcement Board.

TUESDAY, MAY 20, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. - Regular meeting of the City Council.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 21, MacKenzie Hall, 11:15 a.m. - Annual Student Government Day - Special meeting of the City Council with fifth graders from Sanibel Elementary School participating.

MONDAY, MAY 26 - City Hall closed for the Memorial Day holiday.

TUESDAY, MAY 27, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. - Regular meeting of the Planning Commission.

## Council rejects elaborate proposal for appeals

By BARBARA BRUNDAGE  
Islander staff writer

An ordinance amending the Land Development Code calling for a difficult, complicated procedure for City Council approval of denied variances and conditional uses was thrown out last Tuesday.

Following the advice of City Attorney David La Croix and planning consultant Dick Downes, the council unanimously denied the ordinance on first reading.

Planning Director Bruce Rogers also recommended getting rid of the proposed "contrived procedure."

La Croix and Downes drafted the ordinance at the direction of council. Councilmen were concerned that under new LDC rules they can approve requests for variances or conditional uses denied by the Planning Commission only when the commissioners recommend favorable action.

The elaborate process proposed in the ordinance would return to the council its discretion to hear on appeal all denied requests for variances.

Neither La Croix nor Downes favored adoption of the proposal they created.

Tuesday La Croix presented a simple alternative: 1.

Delete the portion of the variances section of the LDC that provides for council hearing of denials on commission recommendation only; 2. Make Planning Commission denials of variance and conditional use requests final, but give all applicants the option to appeal to the council; 3. Give the council the same five criterion as the commission to determine whether the variance can be approved, but allow the council to "stretch to the limits of logic" to find a favorable decision if they want to grant the request.

Basically the council can consider only two issues: would denial of the request create a hardship for the property owner, and would it be a detriment to the public if it were approved?

Mayor Louise Johnson said she would prefer to do away with the second step and allow all denials to be appealed.

She made the motion to "deny the ordinance and get rid of it."

Planning Director Bruce Rogers liked La Croix's new proposal. "It puts the Planning Commission back in its proper role — to make findings by the criteria with (the commissioners') feet held to the fire," he said.



Sanibel city officials welcomed 28 leaders from other cities in Lee, Charlotte, Collier and Hendry counties last week for a meeting of the local district of the Florida League of Cities. Members from the above four counties meet quarterly in

various cities in the district. The next meeting will be in Naples.

While on Sanibel the group toured City Hall, drove through the local district of the Florida League of Cities. Members from the above four counties meet quarterly in

city and county governments can work together) and saw a "typical Sanibel neighborhood," Sanibel City Manager Gary Price said. Photo by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

State marine commission will decide  
on proposed Sanibel live shelling restrictionBy BARBARA BRUNDAGE  
Islander staff writer

• A request for a LOCAL RULE TO LIMIT THE TAKING OF LIVE SHELLS to two per species per day within the corporate limits of the city of Sanibel has been forwarded to the state Marine Fisheries Commission.

Last Tuesday the City Council approved a proposal drafted by the city's Wildlife Committee, under the direction of Chairman Bill Webb, that would find violators guilty of a second degree misdemeanor.

A resolution passed by the council in 1979 encourages all city residents and visitors to limit the taking of live shells. The resolution, however, provides no penalties or force of law.

The Marine Fisheries Commission has the authority to approve local rules to control fishing in Florida and

is being asked to consider Sanibel's request at any early hearing.

In a cover letter to the commission City Attorney David La Croix emphasized that the rule is not intended to prevent or restrict the taking of live shellfish anywhere except within Sanibel's municipal limits, which extend 300 feet into the surrounding waters of the gulf and bay.

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BRIEFS

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# Cityside

## City briefs Continued

Live shellfish are defined as any living mollusk or echinoderm, excluding oysters and clams.

The Wildlife Committee's recommendation to amend the proposal to prohibit the taking of more than two live shellfish per day (instead of two per species per day) was considered too strict by the majority of the council.

Mayor Louise Johnson favored scheduling public hearings to gauge support for such a change.

But councilmen Fred Valtin, Mike Klein and Francis Bailey opposed any further delay and urged approval of the proposal as drafted.

Johnson deferred to their wishes and voted with

them to send the proposal on to the state commission.

• The use of WHEEL LOCKS AS A DETERRENT TO ILLEGAL PARKING was approved by a 4-1 vote of the City Council last Tuesday.

Councilman Francis Bailey cast the dissenting vote. He said the move was an over-reaction to the problem of collecting parking fines.

"It's getting close to a police state," Bailey told his colleagues.

But the rest of the council viewed it as a clear signal that the city is serious about its parking strategy and intends to enforce the regulations.

Councilman Fred Valtin pointed out that there has been "wholesale disregard of the parking ordinance" with rental and out-of-state cars the biggest offenders.

Violators will have 24 hours to pay up before their cars will be impounded.

• Councilman Francis Bailey did not bow but did bend a little under pressure from his colleagues to dedicate a 25-foot strip of right-of-way on Beach Road needed to construct an experimental cul-de-sac.

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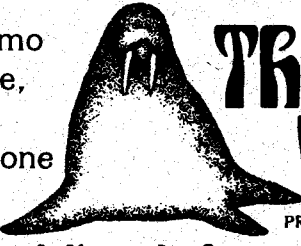
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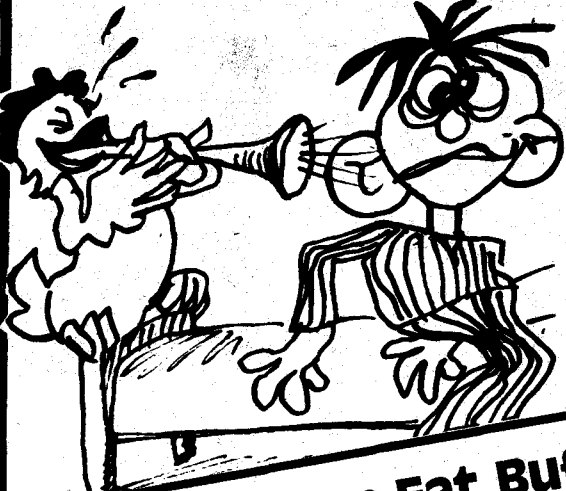
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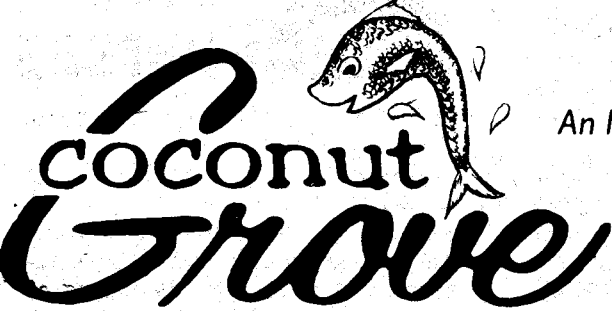


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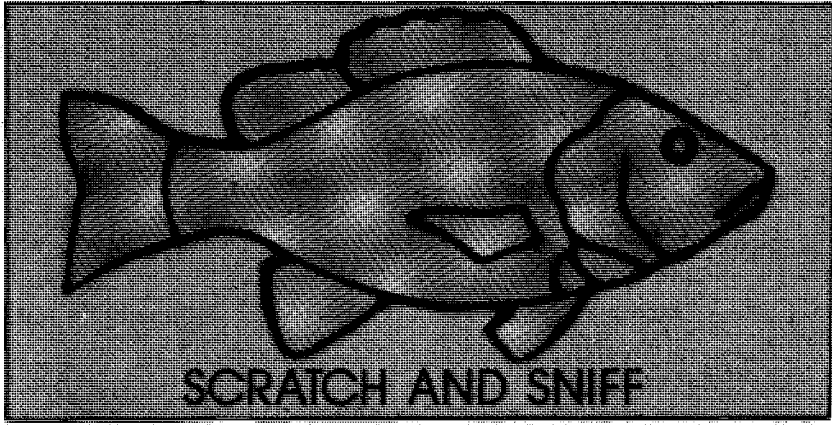
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thought it would solve the problem of speeders and excessive dust," Bailey told the council last Tuesday.

The best solution is to pave the sand-shell road and install speed bumps, he added.

This is also the choice of residents on Beach Road who have petitioned the council to get on with the project of blocking access from Periwinkle Way by creating a cul-de-sac. That plan was approved 14 months ago.

Bailey said the decision was only 50 percent his since he shares ownership of the parcel with his brother, Sam.

But in response to the pleas of other council

members to give the land and let the cul-de-sac be built as an experiment, Bailey said he would give it "very serious thought" and discuss the situation further with City Manager Gary Price.

To mitigate the life-threatening situation of clouds of dust that obscure motorists' view of the road, the council ordered the street watered down four days a week.

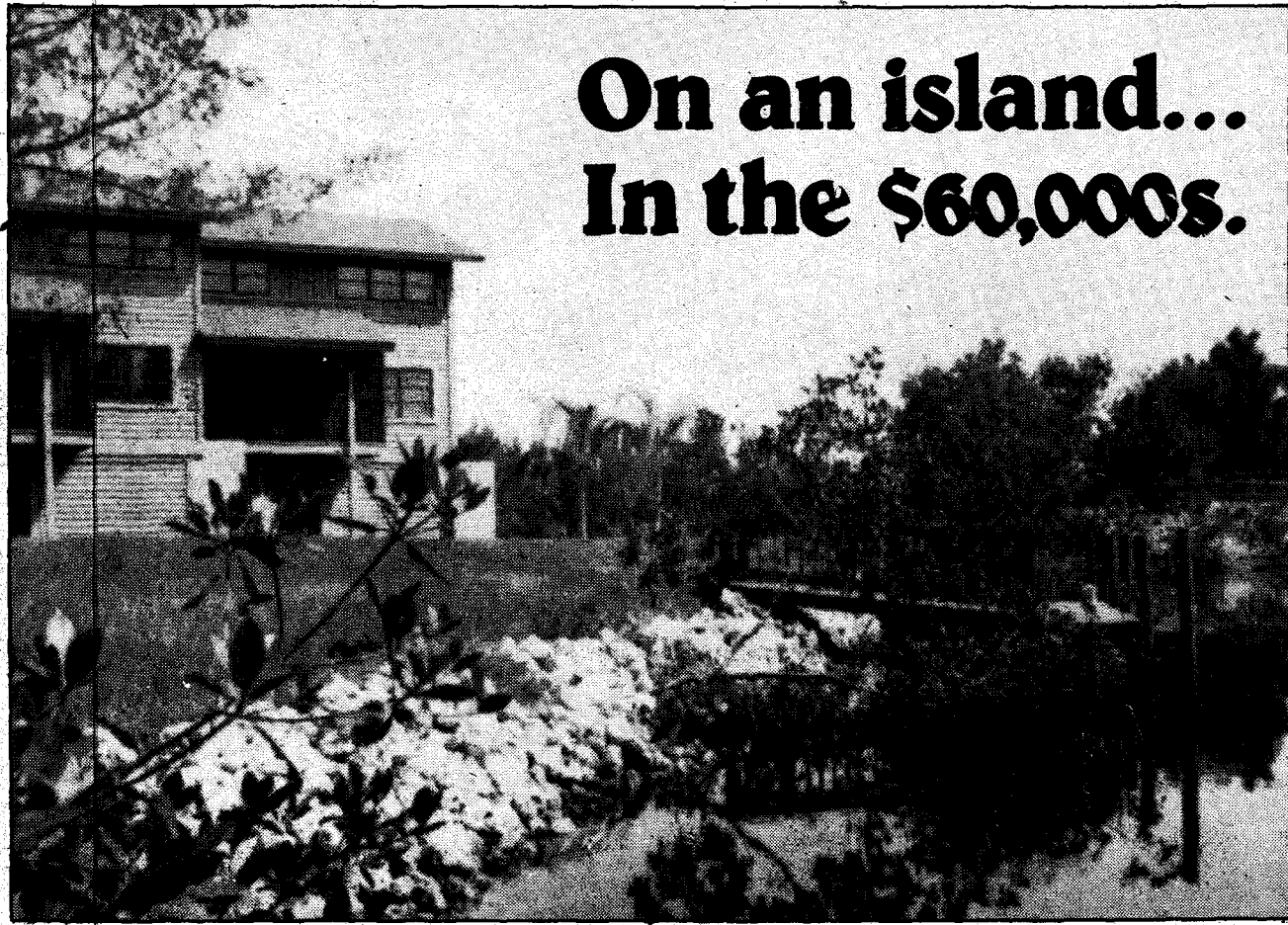
•The City Council has given its blessing to the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge's long-range plan to CONDUCT PRESCRIBED BURNS PERIODICALLY over a four-year period ending in

1989.

Ralph Lloyd, assistant refuge manager, told the council last Tuesday that prescribed burns will restore and maintain native marsh vegetation and wildlife in the wetlands. "Spartina grass and the native marsh habitat on Sanibel and in the refuge is disappearing due to the absence of native wildfires," Lloyd said.

Over the next four years the refuge plans to conduct prescribed burns on the Bailey Tract along Tarpon Bay Road and on the Darling tract at the American

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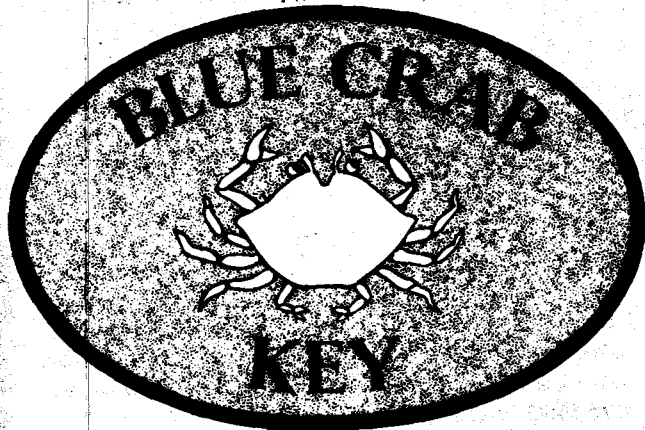
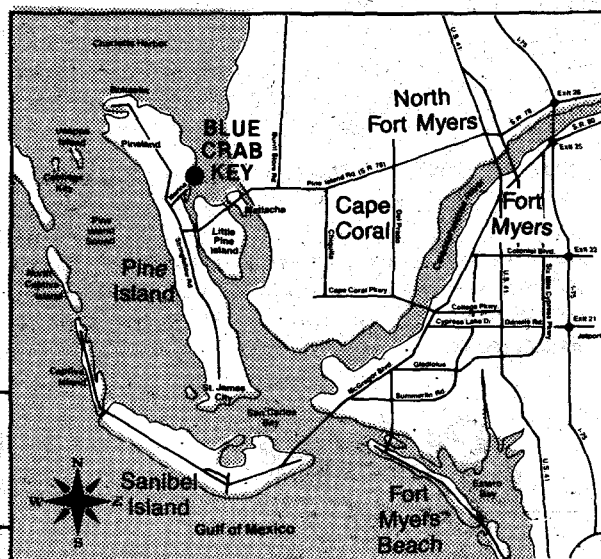
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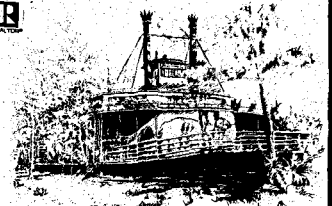


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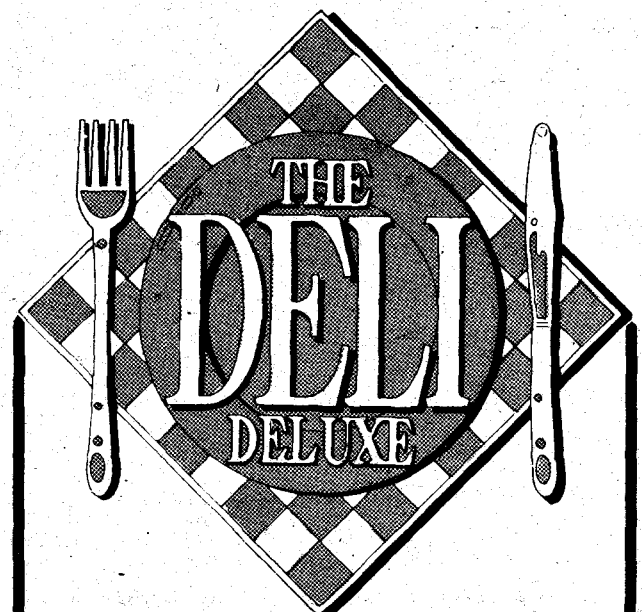
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Lloyd said this year's prescribed burn is planned for sometime this month. The exact date depends on weather and ground conditions. "Safety is the first consideration," he emphasized.

All burns will be under the supervision of the fire management officer at the Merritt Island refuge on Florida's east coast. Fire crews will be composed of firefighters from the Merritt Island and "Ding" Darling refuges and a helicopter pilot.

Planning for each burn begins one year in advance, Lloyd said, adding refuge officials needed assurance from the city that their habitat management program can be continued on a long-range basis.

"A four-year permit would give us this assurance and a good start toward restoring and maintaining Sanibel's flora and fauna in the refuge marshlands," he said.

Mayor Louise Johnson and Councilman Mike Klein initially had a problem with approving a blanket permit, fearing the loss of city control.

Both were reassured when Lloyd said the city manager, Sanibel Fire Control District and Sanibel police would be informed well in advance of any burns.

Johnson and Klein then joined their colleagues in the unanimous vote to permit periodic burns in specific areas of the refuge for the next four years.


● **Revocable licenses to permit TWO BOAT DOCKS IN PUBLICLY-OWNED CANALS IN SHELL HARBOR** were granted by the City Council last Tuesday.

City Attorney David La Croix advised the council that licenses are required to permit encroachments into public rights-of-way on water as well as on land.

The dock owners assume the liability for any damages, and the city is "off the hook," La Croix said.

One week earlier the Planning Commission approved a development permit for a canal dock on property owned by Albert Ernecke after ruling the dock was not

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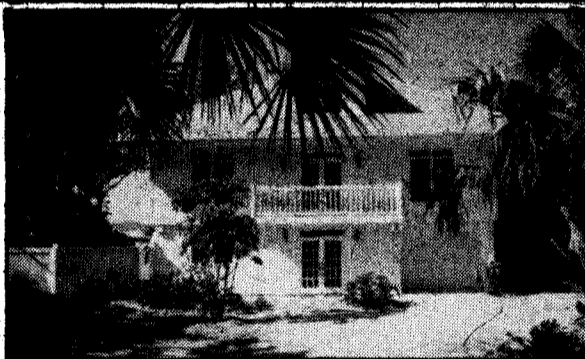
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an accessory use of an adjacent vacant lot. But issuance of the permit was contingent on the council's approving a revocable license to permit the dock in the public waters.

James and Betty Brunner were issued a short-form development permit for a dock on a Shell Harbor canal on the same condition.

Under the Land Development Code docks are an accessory use and are prohibited on sites that do not have a principal structure.

Councilmen Fred Valtin and Francis Bailey were puzzled as to what the harm would be in permitting a dock on a vacant canal-front lot.

"Why deny the owner use of his property for boating purposes only?" Valtin questioned.

Bailey pointed out that permitting the dock would only improve the quality of life.

Valtin's motion to direct staff to draft an amendment to the LDC to allow boat docks as a principal structure on a parcel of land passed by a 5-0 vote.

• **A \$20,000 UPGRADING OF THE SANIBEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL RECREATION COMPLEX** will be a joint venture of the city of Sanibel and Lee County.

The City Council last Tuesday approved an interlocal agreement that provides for the city to super-

vise the project with the county providing the financial backing.

Dick Noon, Sanibel's director of parks and recreation, said the one-time facelift will include: grading and resodding the men's ball diamond and re-laying the infield; recrowning the infield of the women's Little League ball diamond; installing a sprinkler system and water meter; replacing the existing light tower; and purchasing soccer goals (elementary standards).

Noon said the existing arrangement with the county paying for the maintenance of the facility and the city's recreation department scheduling events and coordinating its use will continue.

• **Carrie Lund, executive director of the PIRATE PLAYHOUSE, NEEDS ONLY A GROUP ENTERTAINMENT OCCUPATIONAL LICENSE** to produce plays at the community theater, the City Council decreed last Tuesday.

Under planning staff interpretation of the city's ordinance, Lund was conducting two businesses and needed a second occupational license as a theatrical producer.

During her first season at the Playhouse Lund paid the tax of \$150 for the group entertainment license and \$100 for theatrical producer under protest.

Last November she renewed her theatrical producer license for the 1985-86 season but refused to pay the second tax.

On Feb. 21 Code Enforcement Officer Dick Baker cited Lund for failure to obtain a group entertainment license.

At a Code Enforcement Board hearing in April Lund was found guilty and ordered to pay the license fee plus a late penalty totaling \$187.50. She paid the fee and appealed Baker's decision to the City Council.

Lund did not attend last Tuesday's hearing, but in a letter to the council she maintained she was conducting only one business and it was inequitable to require her to pay two occupational license taxes.

"I fail to see how I could possibly be a theatrical producer without presenting entertainment by actors," she said.

The council sided with Lund and voted 5-0 that she needed only a group entertainment license to produce plays at the Pirate Playhouse. The \$187.50 she paid this year will be refunded.



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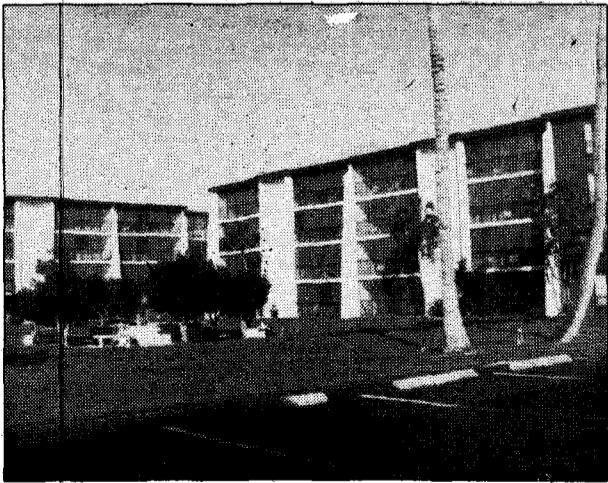
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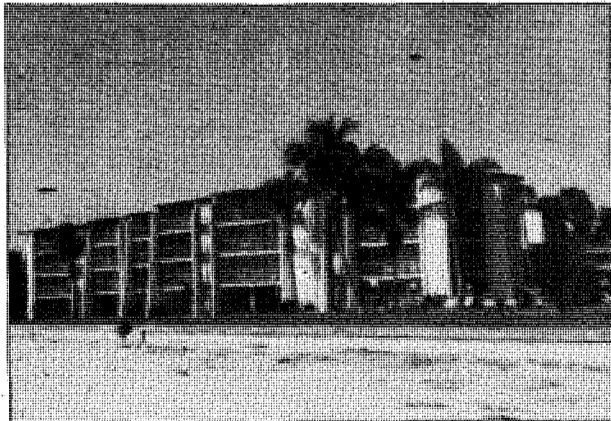
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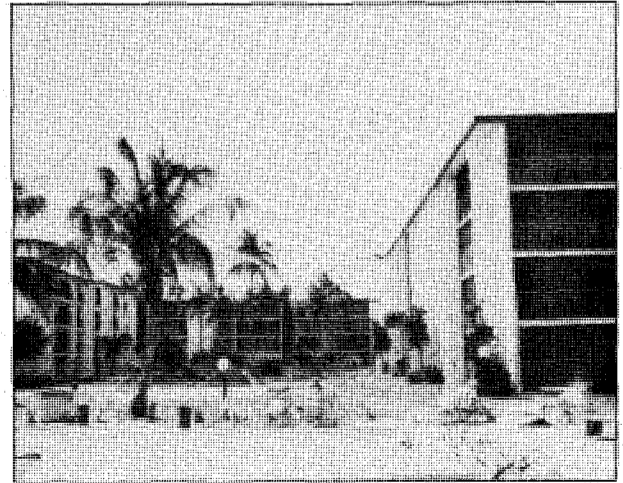
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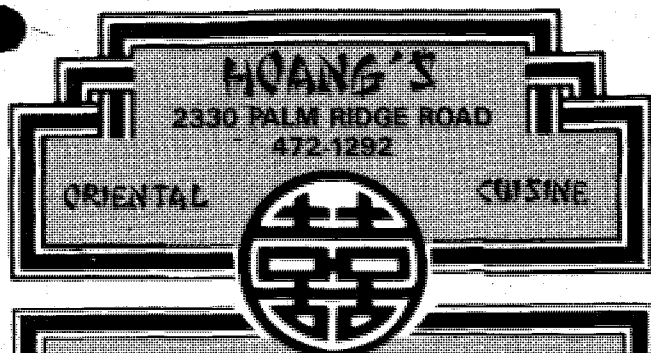
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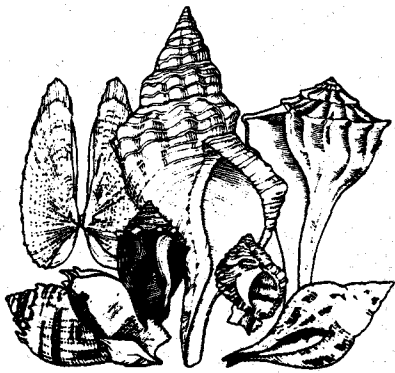
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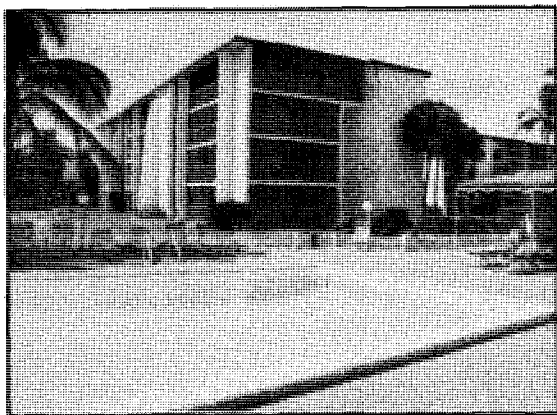
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# BUSINESS



## MONEY SENSE

By Mark Webb

### Various stocks can turn into good investment

Equities or stock are issued by corporations to give the shareholder an ownership interest in the corporation. Holders of common stock usually have voting rights in the corporation. Most major listed corporations pay dividends to their common shareholders (many have done so for more than 100 years).

Among the investments that are suitable for a retirement plan, common stocks present the greatest opportunity for capital gains to the investor. Generally, when the corporation prospers the value of the common stock reflects the success. The potential gain to the investor is unlimited, but the possibility of a loss exists (limited to the purchase price).

Preferred stock is also an equity security — evidence of ownership. Because it is entitled to receive dividends before the common shareholders, it is called "preferred." Preferred stock combines some characteristics of common stock (ownership) with characteristics of bonds (usually a fixed rate of return).

Convertible preferred stock can be converted into a specific number of common shares at the option of the owner. Convertible preferred stock offers appreciation possibilities linked to the earnings and growth of the company.

As the common stock rises in value to reflect this growth, the price of the convertible preferred should also increase.

Most listed securities give the investors liquidity. The continuous trading on an exchange allows the investor to buy or sell shares promptly at the open auction price.

The selection of equities should be based on one's investment objectives. There are potential long-term growth stocks for investors interested in long-term price appreciation with little concern for current yield. There are stocks that pay a high rate of return in established quarterly dividends, with the possibility of price appreciation.

For conservative investors, there are shares of long-established corporations with a history of dividend payments ("blue chips").

And for short-term potential capital appreciation, there are more speculative issues for the aggressive investor.

Sanibel resident Mark Webb is a vice president and financial consultant with Advest, Inc., in Fort Myers. He encourages readers to send questions they would like him to answer in this column. Questions should be directed to Webb's attention in care of the Islander, P.O. Box 56, Sanibel 33957. Or readers can call Webb at 936-0005.

### They've got what it takes

## These Sanibel couples enjoy the taste of success in their ventures

By SCOTT MARTELL  
Islander staff writer

Almost every month, we receive in our office a press release encouraging small business owners to come to free workshops and seminars at the Fort Myers Chamber of Commerce or at Edison Community College.

The press release inevitably starts out: "One expert estimates that 50 percent of the 200,000 small businesses starting in Florida in 1986 will fail ..."

Sanibel and Captiva certainly have their share of businesses that do not succeed. But Ken Meeker, executive director of the Islands' chamber of commerce, says the 50 percent figure for failure is way too high for new businesses here. Charmaine Kornieck, who

handles occupational licenses for the city of Sanibel, agrees. She says the failure rate is nowhere near 50 percent on Sanibel.

However, with high commercial rental costs, over competition in some kinds of businesses, seasonal fluctuations in visitors and other complications Island businesses can and do run into trouble.

But some flourish, often to great extent.

President Ronald Reagan has picked next week as national Small Business Week. And in our continuing series of articles on small businesses, we will tell the stories of four couples (two this week, two next week) who have found Sanibel and Captiva to be the genesis of success in business. We'll focus specifically on how they have achieved that success.

In November 1982, Marvin and Helene Gralnick opened Chico's in Periwinkle Place. Fifteen months ago they opened a second clothing store — at Palm Ridge Place. And just three months ago the Gralnicks opened their third Chico's — at Chadwicks Square on Captiva.

The future holds even more Chico's — two are already in the planning stages, one on Worth Avenue in Palm Beach and another on St. Armand's Circle in Sarasota. Other locations are under consideration, both for company-owned stores or even for franchised operations. And within another year or two the Sanibel business might go public — as on the stock market.

Have the Gralnicks "arrived" as far as small business success is concerned?

"Of course not," Marvin says. "You are always learning and growing — it's a constant process. If you say 'I've arrived,' then you'll likely begin to head backward."

The Gralnicks have hardly looked backward in the past four years. What triggered this success?

First, before they came to the Islands, the couple built a foundation on which they knew a venture such as Chico's would be on fairly solid ground.

Marvin has been involved in the importing business since he was a teenager. His family was in the business, and after he and Helene were married they spent considerable time in Mexico, working as craftsmen, designing leather goods and becoming involved with designing cotton clothing.

The two design 60-70 percent of all the clothing in Chico's. Their designs are crafted overseas and imported back to Sanibel.

But the Sanibel operation was really the first time the Gralnicks tackled all the details of owning and operating a small business.

"You always have doubts when you start a new venture, but you have to allow your enthusiasm to calm those doubts," Marvin says. "You have to be confident that you can be successful. It's that trust and faith that spurs you on."

The major problem the two had to overcome four years ago was the lack of a place to start their business. It took them more than a year to find a retail space to rent. A commercial building boom that is just now coming to an end makes that problem obsolete, they feel.

Although they agree location is important for a new business, the Gralnicks maintain the most important aspect of a successful business is the owners' ability and willingness to adapt to the market and find the right business formula for that market.



Helene and Marvin Gralnick clown Chico's. Photo by Ricki Kosakow around with some merchandise in Cooper. their Palm Ridge Road branch of

The Gralnicks' business formula evolved from their strong belief in natural fibers. They had learned that natural fiber clothing is practical, comfortable and healthy. Unlike synthetics, natural fibers allow the body and skin to breathe.

They took that concept and developed a unique line of Island-style clothing, most of which they design themselves.

"We felt if we didn't have our own look, our own design, we could be any store — and we didn't want that," Helene emphasizes.

Designing their own line of clothes is one of the best moves the two feel they have made. Another "good move" is importing their completed work from southern Europe and other locations, they believe.

"But there are disadvantages in doing this, too," Marvin says. "You have to handle quotas and customs, be able to transfer cash overseas, realize that overseas there is often no recourse for problems that come up. And you have to buy in tremendous quantities. So you have to be very sure you know what you're doing."

The other key to the success of Chico's is the Gralnicks' relationship with their employees. In fact, they think it might be the most important aspect of success. To bring their employees more into the



# Business

## Success Continued

business, the Gralnicks hold regular breakfast meetings to solicit input from employees.

Chico's has grown to three stores in four years and will likely spread even further afield in the future. But the Gralnicks are determined not to grow just for the sake of growth.

"We've turned down a lot of offers from people who want to set up a Chico's. We'd rather have five or six great Chico's than 15 or 20 mediocre ones," Marvin says. It's important for us to grow slow with a strong foundation compared to fast and haphazard growth. We don't want to dilute the concept."

Sanibel to vacation and use the Island as a base to send out resumes.

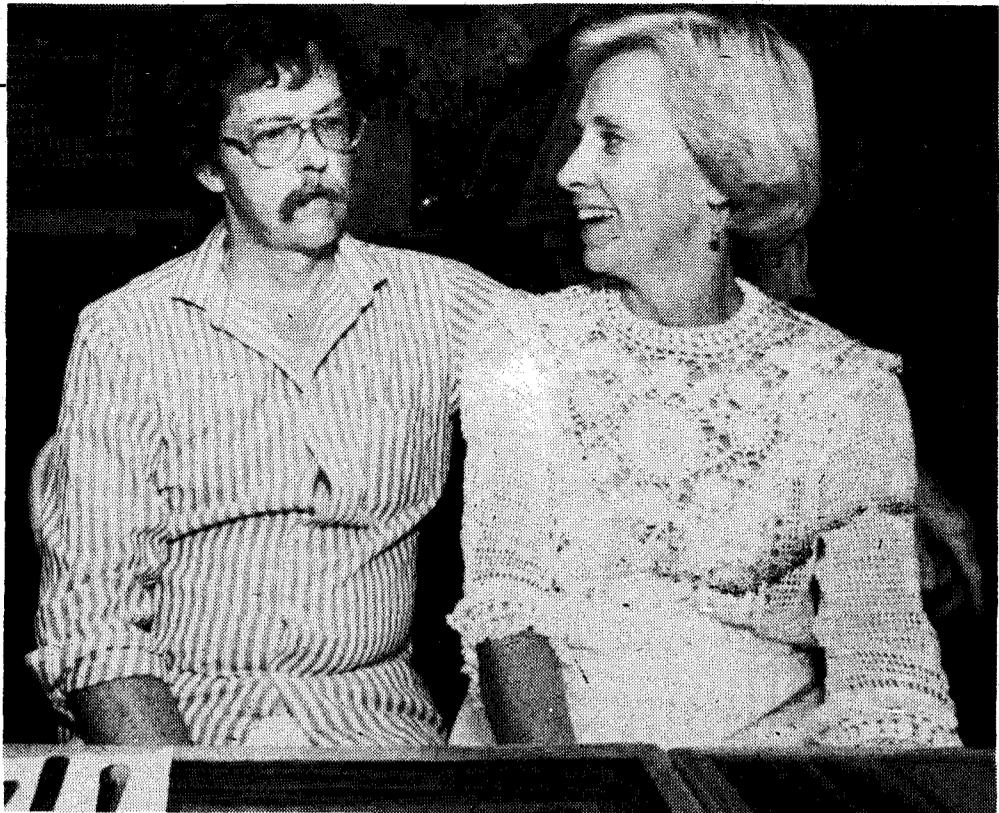
A year later Gail Boyd moved to the Islands, looking to support her two children.

The two met, married, and in the past 5½ years have started nine businesses. Rightfully so, they are proud that all are successful, even if now many are run by other people.

The Boyds began by working for other people, and now they own their own shopping center — Olde Sanibel on Tarpon Bay Road.

"We've done well here, but we've worked hard for it," Bill says.

And with the hard work came risks — but the Boyds made sure to take those risks in a logical, step by step manner.



Please see **SUCCESS**, next page Gail and Bill Boyd in their Post Office Deli. Photo by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

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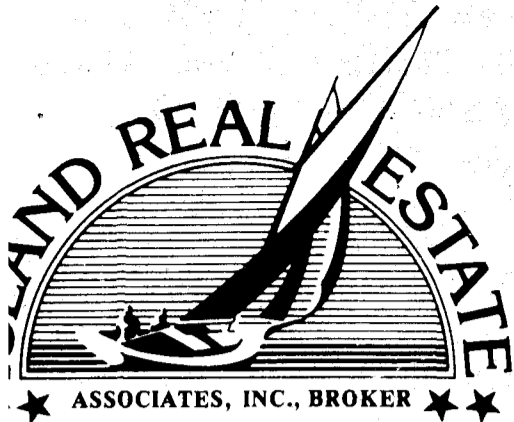


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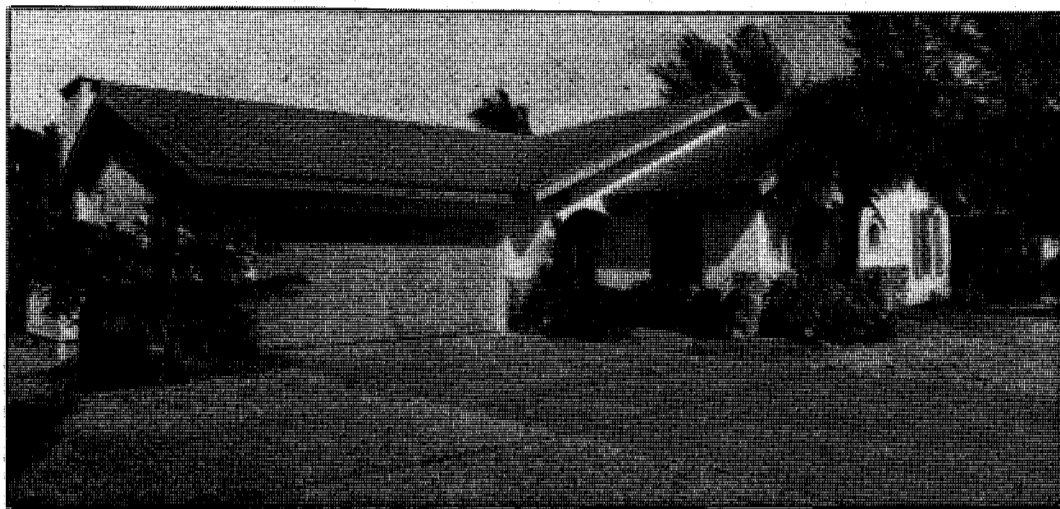
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# Business

## Success Continued from page 17A

Before they met on the Island, Bill was an investigator in the Air Force and Gail was a suburban housewife with a degree in education. It might not seem the ideal background for a successful business career. But Bill's hobby was cooking, and his first jobs on the Island were as a chef. Gail picked up work when she arrived as a manager of a motel.

With their combined cooking and management experience, the two were ready to take their first steps into business on their own. First, Bill and a partner bought Casa del Mama restaurant and changed it to the Quarterdeck.

Later that year Gail drove by the old Post Office and saw a "for rent" sign. Without any idea of what they might put there, she quickly told the owner she would take it.

"We had to make a quick decision. We took a risk that we could develop something," Gail says. "But the key was the location. We just had a feeling it would work out."

With Bill's background, it made sense to focus on a restaurant — the old Post Office became the Old Post Office Deli.

Six months later the adjacent building, a dress shop, became available. The Boyds took another risk and rented it. Then the parcel of land on which the two buildings sat went up for sale.

"We figured we owned the two businesses, so we should go ahead and buy the land," Bill says. "One thing led to another."

But the Boyds were not yet ready to sit on their accomplishments. They planned a two-phase development of the property. To finance the first phase they sold the Quarterdeck and the Post Office Deli. To finance the second phase they found partners.

"We didn't start with unlimited resources," Gail says. "We built one thing on another. We always took a risk, but we did it one step at a time."

The second phase of Olde Sanibel center was completed almost three years ago. Since then the Boyds have once again taken over the deli. They also run the Sanibel Five and Ten in the center. Gail does the bookwork for the businesses and runs the dress shop.

"We're at a plateau for now," Bill says. "It's time to consolidate and appreciate."

The Boyds continually stress it was hard work that brought them success.

"If you're in business, you've got competition somewhere. Based on what you put into it, you'll either make it — or you won't," Bill says.

"For us, this wasn't an investment," Gail adds. "We're working to support ourselves. Business is too hard to do here as a hobby."

## Today Continued from page 10A

tion 27, Township 46 South, Range 22 East; as submitted by Margaret P. Mullins. No. 86-14-HD.

RECESS FOR LUNCH

1 p.m.

12. Continuation (from April 22, 1986) of discussion of proposed changes to commercial development regulations.

3 p.m.

13. Planning Commission review and recommendation as to compliance with the Sanibel Comprehensive Land Use Plan of an ordinance amending sub-sections I.B.2.c.(1) and I.B.2.c.(2) of the Land Development Code; re-defining the terms "accessory structure" and "accessory use"; providing for conflict and severance; and providing an effective date. No. LDC-86-18

3:15 p.m.

14. Planning Commission review and recommendation as to compliance with the Sanibel Comprehensive Land Use Plan of an ordinance amending the Land Development Code by the inclusion therein of a new Article IV., Part C., providing for housing foundation acquisition of land and dwelling units as an alternative to negotiated restrictive covenants for increased-density SMRH conditional uses; providing for conflict and severance; and providing an effective date. No. LDC-86-19.

3:30 p.m.

15. Consideration of a request pursuant to Land Development Code Article III. ADMINISTRATION AND ENFORCEMENT: Part D. INTERPRETATION OF LANGUAGE, to determine whether a multi-family apartment building containing a common area with kitchen and dining room facilities and an examination room for visiting physicians is a permitted use in the Mid-Island Ecological Zone as submitted by Dunn and Stringer Realty. No. 86-02-H.

3:34 p.m.

16. Adoption of a resolution approving Home Occupation Development Permit No. HO-86-12.

Adoption of a resolution approving Development Permit No. 86-3946, subject to City Council approval.

Adoption of a resolution approving Land Development Code Amendment No. 86-17-LDC.

Adoption of a resolution approving Land Development Code Amendment No. 86-16-LDC.

Adoption of a resolution granting Variance No. V-86-15, with recommendation for City Council approval.

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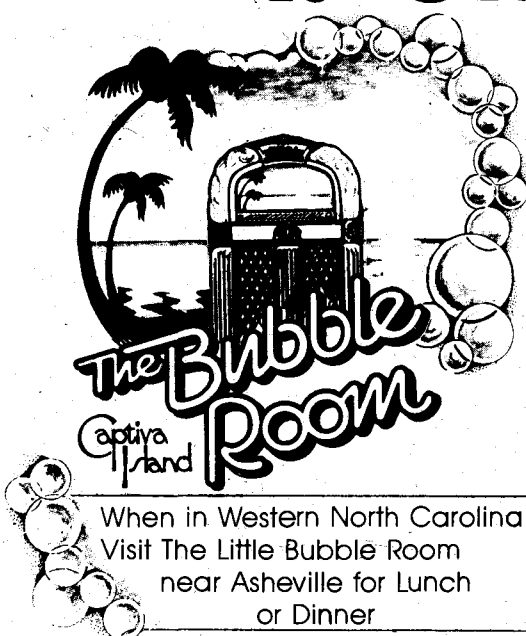
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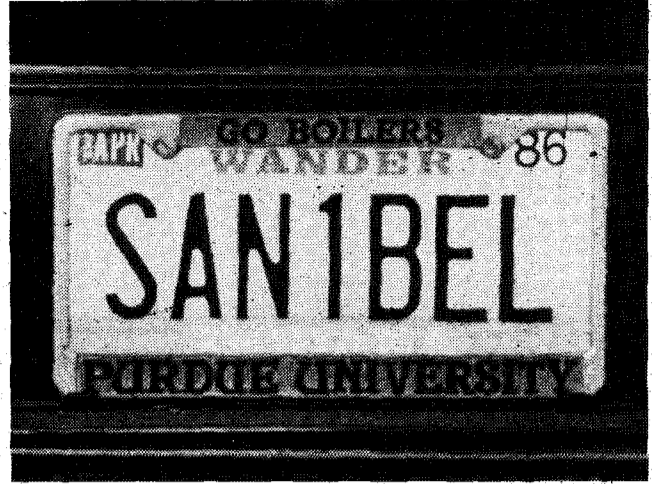


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The U.S. Coast Guard has granted a request from the County to partially restrict openings of the drawbridge on the Sanibel Causeway.

Effective Monday, the bridge will not open for boat traffic between 3:45 and 4:45 p.m. Monday through Friday. If boats are waiting, however, the drawbridge will be raised at 4:15 p.m.

Although they acknowledge that the restricted opening schedule is a step in the right direction, county officials plan to continue their campaign to put the drawbridge on a timed opening schedule for extended hours seven days a week.



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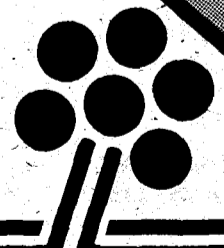
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## CLUB NEWS

### Republican women will hear from county GOP chairman

The Lee Republican Women Federated is holding a luncheon meeting at 11:30 a.m. Thursday, May 15, at the Brown Derby restaurant, 1800 College Parkway, Fort Myers.

Lee County GOP Chairman Roy Wilson will speak about candidates seeking office and current issues.

Cost for the luncheon is \$7. Reservations must be made no later than Tuesday, May 13. Call 995-8194 or 267-3952.

### Rotary breakfast guest has 50 years perfect attendance

Only eight visitors joined 31 Island members for breakfast at the Sanibel-Captiva Rotary Club meeting last Friday. One of the visitors had 50 years of perfect attendance at Rotary meetings.

Members were reminded of the bloodmobile visit this Wednesday, May 14. Already 14 members have pledged to donate in the Rotary name.

Festivity Books are available from Paul Adams at the Sanibel Post Office and also at the Captiva Trading Company.

President Dan Martin read a letter from dolphin

researcher Susan Shane acknowledging the receipt of a \$500 grant from the club.

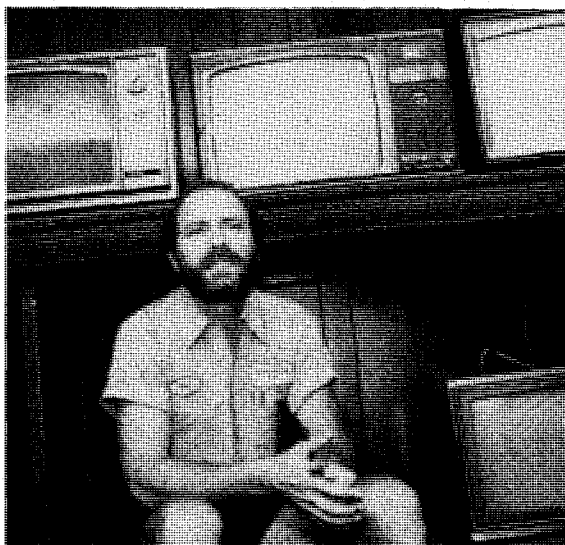
Guest speaker for the morning was Susan Fletcher, director of the Institute of Management Development at Edison Community College. Fletcher, who holds a doctorate from Wayne State University in Michigan, said the average student at ECC is 29 years old and that 70 percent hold down full- or part-time jobs in addition to attending classes. Enrollment at the college is approximately 8,000, she added.

### Sons of Norway will celebrate Independence Day with pot luck dinner

The Sons of Norway Everglades Lodge 529 will celebrate Syttende Mai (Norway's Independence Day) with a pot luck supper this Friday, May 16, at the Sportsman's Club, 1401 SE 47th Street, Cape Coral.

Attitude adjustment hour begins at 6:30 p.m. Dinner is at 7 p.m. Bring a dish to share. There will be slides, sing-a-long, games and dancing. For more information call 472-0344.

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## Club news

### Lions auxiliary dinner will be last meeting until next fall

The regular meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Auxiliary will be held at the home of June Bailey this month. Cocktail hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. next Wednesday, May 21. The hostess will arrange dinner and the cost divided among members.

Those who have had or will celebrate a birthday in May should bring a wrapped gift valued at \$5 for the raffle.

Guests will be welcome. For reservations call Sally Cooperrider, 472-3289, no later than noon next Monday, May 19.

This is the final meeting of the auxiliary until the fall.

### Lions report \$38,000 raised from car raffle

The regular meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club took place May 7 at the Sanibel Community Association. Nine visitors, four vacationing from out-of-state, joined the Island members.

President Francis Bailey reported several new members will be inducted at the May 21 meeting. There will be a seminar for all new officers in Bonita Springs at 6:30 p.m. May 19. A new record-keeping system will be explained, and all new officers are urged to attend.

Jack Valentine reported the final accounting of the car raffle showed more than \$38,000 was collected,

most of which will benefit Lions charities.

Members were reminded that the bloodmobile will be at Bailey's from 9 a.m. to noon and at Jerry's from 1 to 4 p.m. this Wednesday, May 14. The Islands' blood reserve has been seriously depleted in recent weeks, and donors are urged to "give the gift of life" this week.

Installation of new officers will be conducted at a dinner-dance at Tween Waters Inn beginning at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, May 24. Cost will be \$20 per person.

The next meeting of the club will begin at 6:30 p.m. next Wednesday, May 21.

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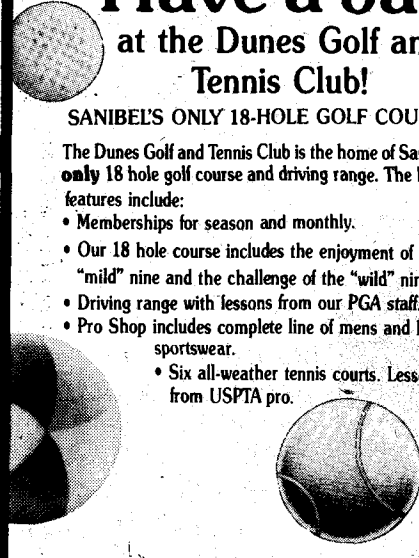
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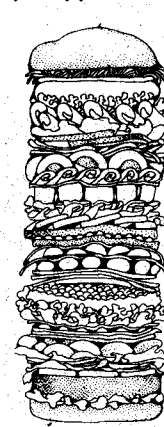

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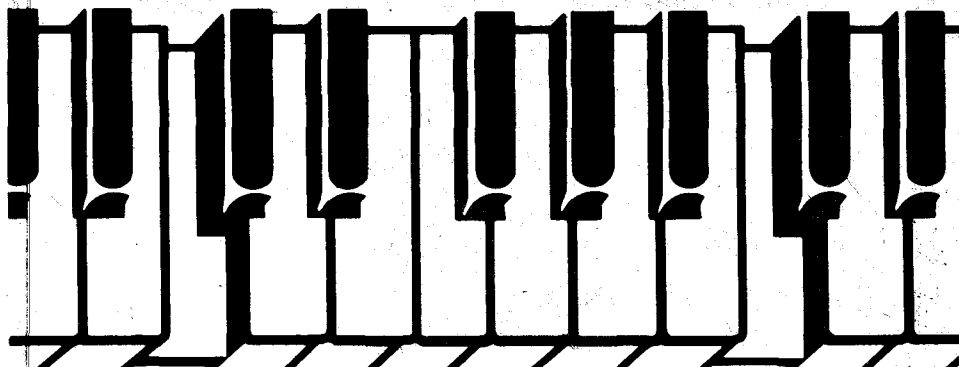
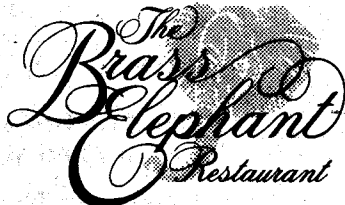


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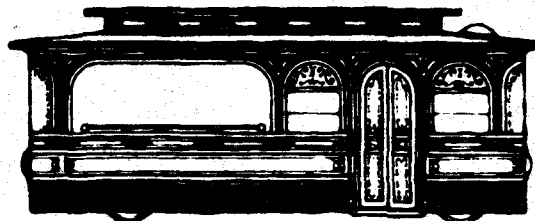
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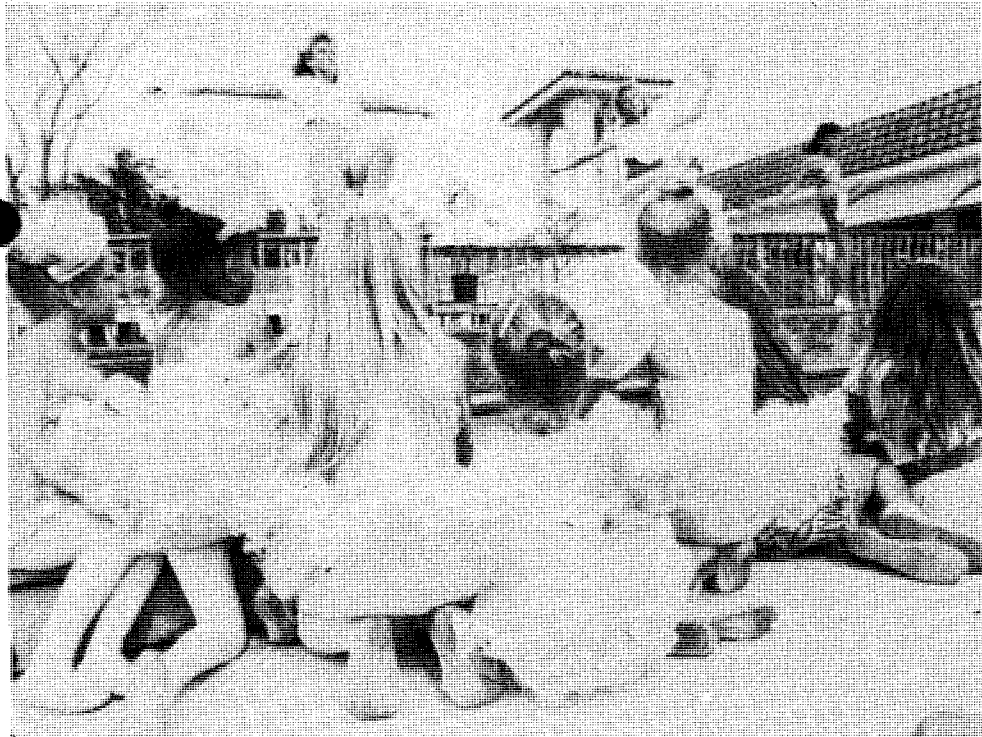
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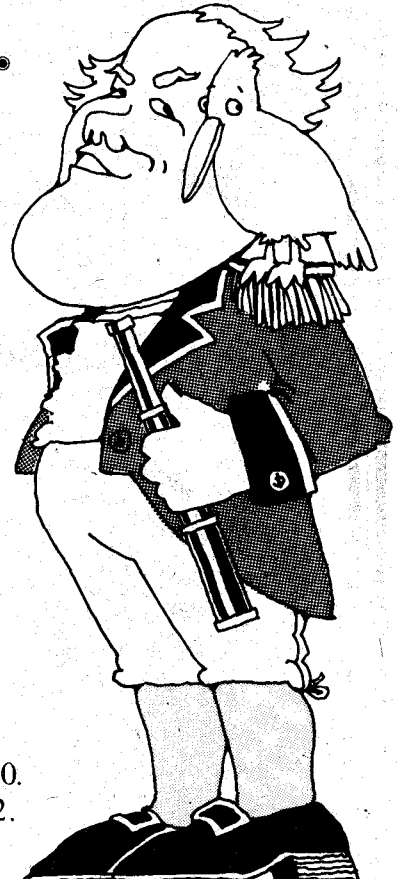
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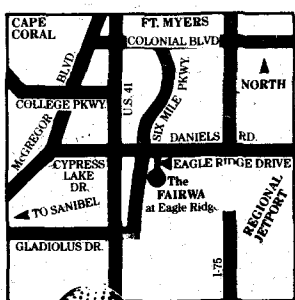
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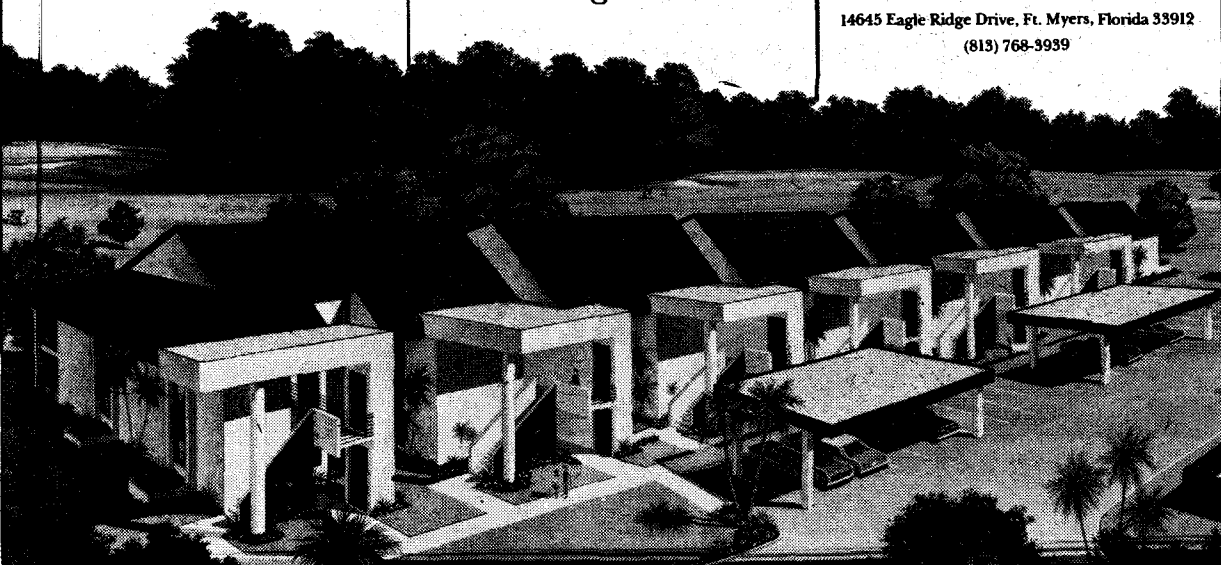
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# PERMITS AND DEEDS

Building permits for construction projects on Sanibel were issued during the week ending March 9, 1986, to:

- Rathbun Mather, 4309 West Gulf Drive, for pool. Contractor: Bahama Pools. Valuation: \$8,400.
- Lawrence Paul, 1150 Harbour Cottage Court 4B, for storage room and deck. Contractor: Damex Corp. Valuation: \$2,000.
- O.G. Pogue, 5A Harbour Cottage, for slab. Contractor: Owner. Valuation: \$550.
- Michigan Homes, 1238 Par View Drive, for pool enclosures. Contractor: Abaco Aluminum Co. Valuation: \$2,500.
- Beachcomber (BTS-Dev), 635 East Gulf Drive, for pool and deck. Contractor: Aladdin Pools. Valuation: \$26,000.
- Gary Sheffield-Sheffla Development, 1157 Bird Lane, for LP tank. Contractor: Tropigas. Valuation: \$279.50.
- Island Inn, 3111 West Gulf Drive, for balcony air. Contractor: George Parker. Valuation: \$5,000.
- C.B. Todd, 918 Beach Road, for addition. Contractor: Kenney Co. Inc. Valuation: \$14,000.
- Sheffla Development Corporation, 1157 Bird Lane, for repair boat dock. Contractor: Sheffla

Development Corporation. Valuation: \$2,600.  
 Excellency Homes, 670 East Rocks Drive, for single-family residence. Contractor: Excellency Homes. Valuation: \$66,075.  
 By the Sea Condominium Association, 2611 West Gulf Drive, for repair stucco. Contractor: John Wilker. Valuation: \$3,990.

The following deed transactions involving Sanibel and Captiva property were completed in Lee County during the week ending May 4, 1986. These deeds recorded are for more than \$70,000 only:

- Bruce Drobnyk to Albert Hann, lot 35, Phase III Dunes at Sanibel, \$302,000.
- William Rusch to Wilbur Rice, lot 27, Gulf Pines, \$225,000.
- William Trimerco to John Stroud, lot 28, block B, unit 1, Del Seg, \$223,000.
- John Boggs to Paul Pitts, lot 18, block A, Dunes at Sanibel Island, \$130,000.
- Bank of the Islands to Lynn Mann, section 24, township 46 S., range 22 E., \$105,000.
- Carolyn Russell to James Cummings, lot 104, Sanibel Bayous, \$105,000.
- Rufus Dodrill to Franklin Jackson, portion of lot 3, section 25, township 46 S., range 22 E., Sanibel Island, \$100,000.
- Donald McElligott to Richard Kavanagh, section 18, township 46 S., range 22 E., Sanibel, \$100,000.
- South Seas Plantation Development Company to Kodor Associates, unit 1604, building Acacia, Lands End, \$499,000.
- Becs Florida General Partnership and Sheldon Goldstein to Jean Burgdorf, unit 304, Pine Cove of Sanibel, \$385,000.
- Becs Florida General Partnership and Sheldon

- Goldstein to Willard White, unit 204, Pine Cove of Sanibel, \$352,000.
- Richard Byers to Donald Dietlein, units A1 and A2, Village Sanibel, \$271,000.
- Mary Dale to George Rising, building, 1, Lighthouse Point, \$225,000.
- Frank Johnson to Janet McNaughton, unit 133, Sanibel Surfside, \$202,500.
- Rubin Kadens to Blue Ink Partners, unit 11-103, Sundial Sanibel, Phase 3, \$199,500.
- Patricia Wilmeth to Thomas Wilmeth, unit 325, Lighthouse Point, \$186,000.
- W.G. Baker to Lewis Conner, unit 572, Loggerhead Cay Phase II, \$175,000.
- Patrick Griffin to Guy McDermott, unit 1032, Sanibel Mooring, \$168,500.
- Howard Johnson to George Whitson, unit 321, building 1, Lighthouse Point, \$166,000.
- Joan Crisan to Warren Schwab, unit 324, Loggerhead Cay Phase II, \$142,500.
- Edward Dolinar to Raymond Perry, unit 6, building H, Sanibel Arms West, \$130,000.
- Louis Martelli to Livia Gatti, unit 921, Sanibel Mooring, \$122,000.
- Doyle Alexander to Walter Page and Jerome Leibman, unit F-101, building F, Blind Pass, \$115,500.
- Barrier Island Corp. to R. Alan Prosswimmer, unit 5, Casa Blanca Sanibel, \$112,000.
- Richard Byers to Robert Owens and Keith Owens, unit G-1, Village Sanibel Comm., \$111,300.
- Richard Byers to William Arthur, unit E-1, Village Sanibel, \$88,200.

Friends In Service Here needs summer drivers.

Call 472-0404 if you can help.

ON THE GULF

ON THE BAY



## The Old Captiva House

### SEAFOOD BUFFET FRIDAY \$14.95

1986 is the year of the Seafood Buffet at the Old Captiva House - the island's original all-you-care-to-eat seafood extravaganza. You'll love this year's version - particularly the price - only \$14.95 per person (plus tax & gratuity) substantially less than that charged by our friendly imitators.

The price covers the works. A large variety of local seafood (as available) plus seafood chowder, seafood salads and beverages (non-alcoholic) and desserts.

Over 250,000 contented diners since 1960!

RESERVATIONS  
**472-5161**  
 Dinner 5:30-10:00

Piano Stylings  
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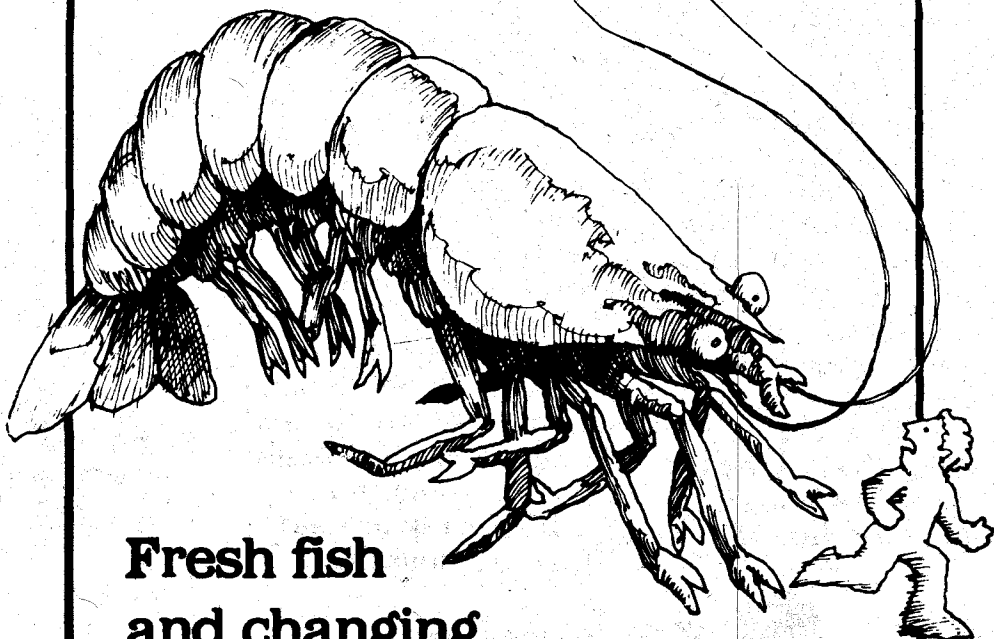
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**BOP-KATS**  
 May 6 - May 18



## McT's Shrimp House & Tavern

### all you can eat... Shrimp or Alaskan Crab



Fresh fish and changing chef's selections daily  
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The best shrimp house in Florida... ask anybody

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Dinner served 5-10 Major Credit Cards Accepted

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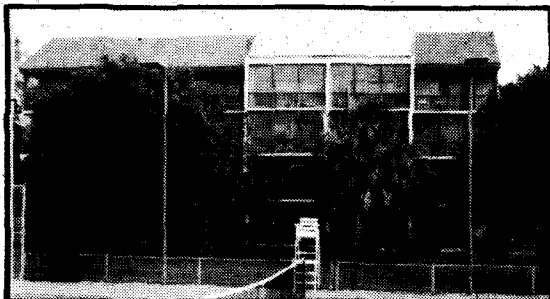
- 1 VIP has the only on site real estate office at South Seas Plantation. Our sales staff has more knowledge and experience with South Seas property, the resort, resort programs and activities.
- 2 VIP is responsible for a vast majority of all sales at South Seas Plantation.
- 3 VIP has more listings and is responsible for more sales, both in units and dollars, than all other REALTORS® combined.
- 4 VIP is the #1 Independent Real Estate Company in Southwest Florida, with convenient offices throughout the area.



### BEACH HOME

#6 - \$475,000 - Two bedroom/Two Bath/Plus loft. Call Lyle Jackson, SALES MANAGER 472-1556.

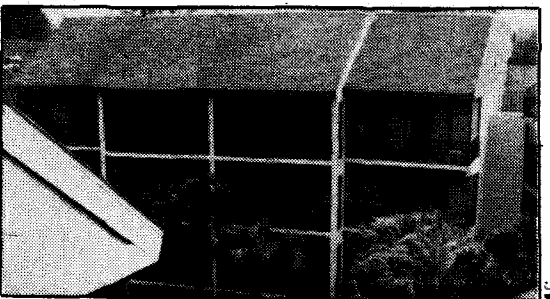
The Beach Homes offer the ultimate in private island living within a residential resort community. Located on 1700 feet of Gulf frontage, these secluded homes feature roomy two, three, and four bedroom floorplans, custom designed for the perfect blend of indoor and outdoor living. All sited on heavily wooded sites with mature tropical vegetation.



### TENNIS VILLA

Unit #3118 - \$118,000. One bedroom/One bath. Call Lyle Jackson, SALES MANAGER 472-1556

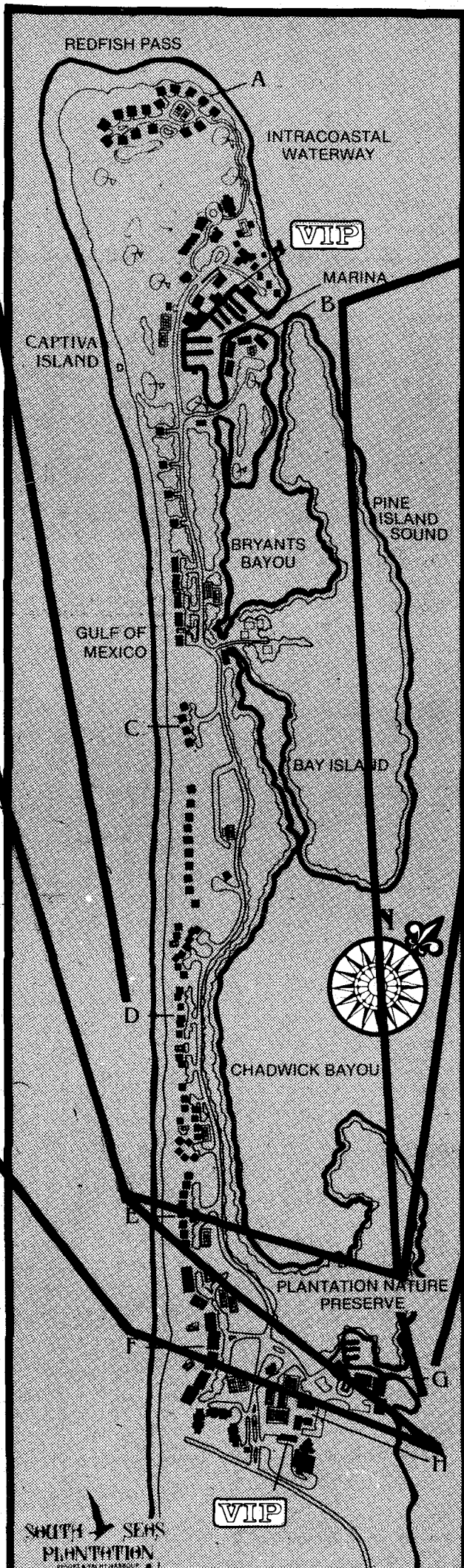
Sixty special villas nestled amid the island vegetation over look the private tennis courts and pool area. Excellent guaranteed income programs for these one and two bedroom residences in paradise.



### BEACH VILLA

Unit # 2638 - \$305,000. Three Bedroom/Three Bath/Plus Loft. Call Lyle Jackson, SALES MANAGER 472-1556.

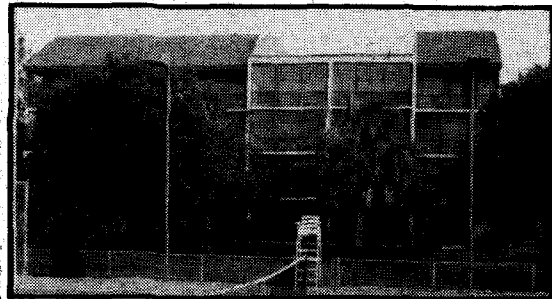
Villas feature one, two, and three bedroom plans, each with screened porch viewing the beautiful Gulf of Mexico. Landscaped with native vegetation with pools and tennis courts private to the complex. Guaranteed incomes available.



### BAYSIDE VILLA

Unit #4206 - \$130,000. One Bedroom/Two Bath. Call Kris Hawkins, REALTOR-ASSOCIATE 472-1556.

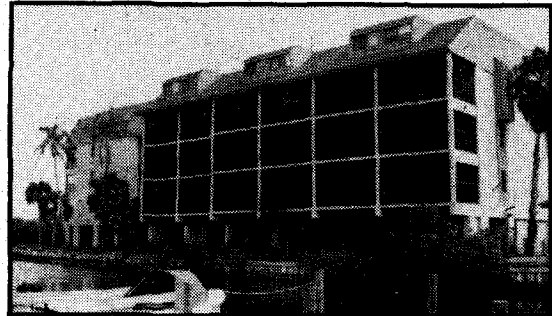
Luxury condominiums privately overlook bay and marina vistas at South Seas Plantation. Extra large pool, pool bar and Jacuzzi spa make living especially wonderful in these one and three bedroom units. Rental and guaranteed income programs.



### TENNIS VILLA

Unit #3234 - \$170,000. Two Bedroom/Two Bath. Call Douglas J. Davlin, BROKER-SALESMAN 472-1556.

Sixty special villas nestled amid the island vegetation overlook the private tennis courts and pool area. Excellent guaranteed income programs for these one and two bedroom residences in paradise.



### BAYSIDE VILLA

Unit #4301/02 - \$230,000. Three Bedroom/Three Bath. Call Sandra J. Barany, BROKER SALESWOMAN 472-1556.

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Resort & Yacht Harbour

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- D. BEACH HOMES
- E. BEACH COTTAGES
- F. BEACH VILLAS
- G. BAYSIDE VILLAS
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## • Banks

**BANK OF THE ISLANDS**  
MAIN OFFICE  
1699 PERIWINKLE WAY  
472-4141  
Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday. Drive-in window open 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday.  
Closed Saturday and Sunday.

**BANK OF THE ISLANDS**  
BRANCH OFFICE  
BAILEY'S SHOPPING CENTER  
472-5173  
Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday; 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday. Closed Sunday.

**BANK OF THE ISLANDS**  
CAPTIVA BRANCH  
472-3212  
Open 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Thursday, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday.

**FIRST FEDERAL**  
SAVINGS AND LOAN  
PALM RIDGE ROAD AND  
FLORENCE STREET  
SANIBEL  
472-1537  
Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday. Closed weekends.

**FIRST INDEPENDENCE BANK**  
5 PALM RIDGE ROAD  
STAR CENTER  
SANIBEL  
472-1314  
Open 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday.

**GULF COAST FIRST NATIONAL**  
BANK  
SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
AND ANDY ROSSE LAND  
CAPTIVA  
472-6666  
Open from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed weekends.

**HONOR SYSTEM**  
24-HOUR TELLERS  
Provided by Bank of the Islands at Bailey's and Jerry's on Sanibel and at 110 Chadwick Square, Captiva.

## • Beaches

On Sanibel **UNRESTRICTED PARKING WITH NO STICKER** is permitted for everyone along the Causeway, at the Sanibel Lighthouse and Fishing Pier at the eastern tip of the island, at Gulfside City Park off Casa Ybel Road, on the east side of the Sanibel end of the Causeway, at the gulf end of Tarpon Bay Road and at the Trout property on Tarpon Bay Road.  
Off-Islanders with **RESTRICTED PARKING STICKERS** can find beach access at Bailey Road, Beach Road, Dixie Beach Boulevard, Nerita Street, Donax Street, Fulger Street and on the Sanibel side of Turner Beach.  
Island residents with **RESIDENTIAL PARKING STICKERS** can park on West Gulf Drive west of Rabbit Road, the bay and gulf sides of Buttonwood Lane, the bay and gulf sides of Seagrape Lane, Colony Walkway, Bay Drive and on Henderson Road at Castaways Lane.  
The user fee for the COUNTY PARK AT BOWMAN'S BEACH

on the western end of Sanibel is \$2 per car.

The fine for parking in a restricted or residential area without the proper permit is \$35. ON CAPTIVA public beach access for no charge can be found at Turner Beach or further north just past the entrance to South Seas Plantation.

State law prohibits nude sunbathing on all Florida beaches. Violators will be prosecuted.

## • Biking

The extensive network of bike paths on Sanibel is clearly marked along the edge of the road. Observe caution when driving near the bike path.

A state law and city ordinance combine to prohibit parking or driving on the bike paths. Mopeds are not permitted on the bike paths.

If you plan to spend some time on a bike make sure your vehicle is equipped with a horn, good brakes and a light for night riding.

Under Florida law bicycle riders have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle drivers.

## • Camping

Camping on the beach is prohibited, as are open beach fires. Fires are permitted, however, in approved cooking containers (not to exceed 48x24x12 inches deep) with an extruded metal grill for non-commercial food preparation.

After you have your beach party please assume responsibility for cleaning up any litter or debris from the area.

## • Churches

**CAPTIVA CHAPEL BY THE SEA**  
CHAPIN LANE, CAPTIVA  
472-1646  
J. DEAN DYKSTRA, D.D.  
Sunday non-denominational worship at 11 a.m.

**FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH**  
SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
PASTOR JAMIE STILSON  
472-1018  
Sunday - Sunday school, 9:30 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.  
Wednesday - Bible fellowship, 7:30 p.m.  
Nursery available for all services.

**FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
SCIENTIST, SANIBEL-CAPTIVA  
2950 WEST GULF DRIVE  
472-4449  
Sunday - 11 a.m., worship and Sunday school.  
Wednesday - 8 p.m.  
Reading room open from 10 a.m. to noon Wednesday and Friday.

**GREEK ORTHODOX CHURCH**  
CYPRESS LAKE DRIVE  
FORT MYERS  
482-2099  
THE REV. FR. ARTHUR KONTINOS  
Sunday - 9:30 a.m., Orthos; 10 a.m., Divine Liturgy.

**SANIBEL COMMUNITY**  
CHURCH  
1740 PERIWINKLE WAY  
DR. DENNY DENNISON  
PASTOR  
472-2684  
Sunday Worship - 10 a.m. includes children's ministry and

childcare. Mother's Morning Out - Fridays at 9 a.m. All-a-non - Friday noon. Church office open 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Monday through Friday.

**SANIBEL CONGREGATIONAL**  
UNITED CHURCH  
THE REV. RICHARD STEIN  
472-0497 or 472-8100

Sunday worship services at 10 a.m. at the new church across from Periwinkle Place shopping center, 2050 Periwinkle Way. Child care provided.

Adult Bible class 10 a.m. Friday.  
Church office open 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

**ST. ISABEL CATHOLIC**  
CHURCH  
3689 SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
472-2763  
MSGR. ROBERT SCHIEFEN,  
PASTOR  
REV. JEROME FRASER,  
ASSOCIATE

Saturday Vigil - 5:30 p.m.;  
Sunday Mass - 8:30 and 10:30 a.m. Daily Mass - 8:30 a.m.; Holy Day schedule same as weekends.

**ST. MICHAEL AND ALL**  
ANGELS  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH  
THE REV. THOMAS WALKER  
472-2173  
472-3356 (thrift shop)  
Sunday service - 7:30, 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday service - 9 a.m.  
Thursday service - 7:30 a.m.  
Holy Days schedules are announced.

**TEMPLE BETH-EL**  
2721 DEL PRADO BOULEVARD  
CAPE CORAL  
574-5115  
RABBI SOLOMON AGIN  
Sunday - 9:30 a.m., children's religious school.  
Friday - 8 p.m., service.

**UNITARIAN UNIVERSALISTS**  
OF THE ISLANDS  
REV. WM. BURNSIDE MILLER  
472-3892 (island chairman)  
An affiliate congregation of the Fort Myers Unitarian Universalist Church. Services held at 7:30 p.m. on the first and third Sunday of every month at the Sanibel Public Library. Services in Fort Myers held at 10:30 a.m. every Sunday.

## • Clubs

**ALANON**  
Meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday and at noon every Friday at the Sanibel Community Church on Periwinkle Way. For more information call 472-3935.

**ALCOHOLICS ANONYMOUS**  
At St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church, Periwinkle Way - All meetings at 8 p.m. No smoking. Thursday: Closed discussion. Friday: Open speakers. Sunday: Closed step.  
At Sanibel Congregational United Church, Periwinkle Way. 10 a.m. Monday - Women's closed discussion, no smoking. 8 p.m. Tuesday - Closed discussion; noon Thursday Men's closed big book discussion.

**AMERICAN ASSOCIATION**  
OF RETIRED PERSONS  
472-5517  
Next meeting set for May 9 at 1:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association.

**AMERICAN BUSINESS**  
WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION

Meets for dinner and business at 5:30 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the Putting Pelican restaurant at the Beachview Country Club. Any woman who is employed either part- or full-time is welcome. Reservations must be made by Monday prior to the Thursday meeting. Call Judy Lofton 472-1302 for reservations. Call Theresa Louwers 472-6553 for membership information.

**CALUSA AQUATIC PROGRAM**  
472-9282

A non-profit organization dedicated to increasing marine awareness. Explore the marine world of our barrier islands; seine grass flats for fish, shrimp and other invertebrates; wade in a mangrove swamp; explore the beaches and mudflats. Information collected is forwarded to the Florida Department of Natural Resources.

For ages 12 to adult, Tuesday and Thursday. Children's program on Saturday. Family program on Sunday afternoon. \$25 per person. Transportation provided.

**CIVIL WAR REINACTMENT**  
SOCIETY  
WIGHTMAN LANE, CAPTIVA  
472-0482

Bi-monthly meetings. Call for more information.

**ISLAND CHILDREN'S**  
COOPERATIVE  
Island babysitting exchange. For more information call 472-0344.

**ISLAND FISHING CLUB**  
Meets at 6 p.m. on the first Tuesday of every month at the Jacaranda Inn (formerly Gib's restaurant) on Periwinkle Way.

**KIWANIS**  
Meets for breakfast at 7:30 a.m. every Wednesday at the Putting Pelican, Beachview Country Club. Visiting Kiwanians welcome. Call John Friedlund, 472-1537.

Men's non-denominational Bible study sponsored by the Kiwanians meets at 7:30 a.m. every Tuesday at Jacaranda Inn (formerly Gib's restaurant), 1223 Periwinkle Way.

**LIONS**  
Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first and third Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Association hall.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
LIONS AUXILIARY  
Meetings will resume in the fall at 6:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at the Dunes. Call Dottie Withington, 472-5555.

**NEW BEGINNERS CLUB**  
An informal monthly gathering for women who are new residents of the Islands. Call Peggy Jackson, 472-1694, for meeting date, time and place.

**ROTARY**

Meets at 7:45 a.m. every Friday at Sundial resort. All visiting Rotarians, guests and interested individuals are welcome. Call 472-2880 for information.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
AMERICAN LEGION  
Meets on the second Tuesday of each month at the legion hall on Sanibel-Captiva Road. Call 472-9979.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
AMERICAN LEGION  
AUXILIARY  
Meets the first Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p.m. in the legion hall on Sanibel-Captiva Road. For more information call 472-9979.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
ART LEAGUE  
Outdoor workshops from 9 a.m. to noon followed by a sack lunch and critique every Thursday year 'round. Phone 472-4594 or 481-4789 for locations. Indoor workshops held January, February and March. Membership open to all area artists. Phone 472-2819 for information.

**SANIBEL COMMUNITY**  
ASSOCIATION  
Meetings held at 6:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of every month November through May at the community association hall on Periwinkle Way. Office hours are from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 472-2155 or 472-1316.

**SANIBEL JAYC'S**  
Meet at 6 p.m. every Thursday at the Coconut Grove restaurant. Call Tom Kontinos, 472-1366, for more information.

**SANIBEL LEAGUE**  
OF WOMEN VOTERS  
Meets at 9:30 a.m. on the third Monday of every month at the Sanibel library. Call Charlotte Hamlet, 472-2927.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
POWER SQUADRON  
General membership meetings held on the second Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Community Association. Luncheon every Wednesday at noon and executive meetings the first Wednesday of every month at the Coconut Grove restaurant. For information call 472-1316.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA**  
SHELL CLUB  
Meets at 8 p.m. on the third Monday of every month October through May at the Sanibel Community Association. Dues are \$6 for individuals, \$10 for couples. Call Mill Backus, assistant membership chairman, 472-4709, or write Sanibel-Captiva Shell Club, P.O. Box 355, Sanibel 33957.

**SANIBEL SINGLES**  
"The alternative to the bar scene" meets at 7:30 p.m. every Wednesday. Call Joel 472-0058 for details.

## • Courts and courses

**GOLF**

**BEACHVIEW GOLF COURSE**  
PAR VIEW DRIVE  
OFF MIDDLE GULF DRIVE  
472-2628  
SEMI-PRIVATE  
Open 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Reservations required. Public welcome. Green fees: Nine holes, \$9; 18 holes, \$16. Electric carts: Nine holes, \$6; 18 holes, \$12.

**THE DUNES COUNTRY CLUB**  
949 SANDCASTLE ROAD  
472-2535  
SEMI-PRIVATE  
Open daylight to dusk. Call for starting time. Public welcome. Green fees: \$9 for nine holes; \$14 for 18 holes. Electric carts: \$9 for nine holes; \$14 for 18 holes. Pull carts: \$2 and \$3. Club rentals: \$5 and \$10.

**PROFESSIONAL**  
TENNIS TRAINING  
P.O. Box 1135  
472-9191  
Coaching and instruction from top teaching pro available for lessons, drills or playing sessions at your resort, condo or private location.  
Call USPTA and AMF-Head advisory staff member Jak Beardsworth for information and appointments.

**THE DUNES COUNTRY**  
CLUB  
949 SANDCASTLE ROAD  
472-3522  
SEMI-PRIVATE  
Full racquet facilities. Open daylight to dusk, \$10.50 per hour per court. Call for court time. Lessons available.

**ISLAND TENNIS SERVICES**  
P.O. Box 417  
472-0588  
Professional instruction at your resort or private court. Specializing in beginning couples or individuals, juniors and advanced players. Racquets supplied. Video playback optional.

**SUNDIAL BEACH AND**  
TENNIS RESORT  
1256 MIDDLE GULF DRIVE  
472-4151  
Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Full tennis facilities with 13 courts (laykold and har tru). Ball machine.

**SANIBEL ELEMENTARY**  
SCHOOL  
SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
PUBLIC COURTS  
Lighted evenings until 10 p.m. No reservations. No charge.

**RACQUETBALL**  
SIGNAL INN  
OLDE MIDDLE GULF DRIVE  
472-4690  
Two air-conditioned inside courts open by appointment. Call for reservations.

## • Doctors

**GENERAL PRACTICE**

**JEAN GENTRY, M.D., P.A.**  
2250 Periwinkle Way  
472-4188

**STEPHAN HALABIS, M.D.,**  
FACS  
2426 Palm Ridge Road  
472-3163



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## Service stations

**GULF SERVICE STATION**  
1215 PERIWINKLE WAY  
472-1878  
Open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekends. Certified licensed mechanics.

**ISLAND EXXON**  
2345 PERIWINKLE WAY  
472-2012  
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days. 24-hour road service and complete auto repair. AAA.

**ISLAND GARAGE**  
1609 PERIWINKLE WAY  
472-4318  
Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. 24-hour wrecker service. American and foreign car repair. AAA. NO GAS.

**SANIBEL STANDARD**  
1015 PERIWINKLE WAY  
472-2125  
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days. 24-hour road service and complete auto repair. AAA.

**SOUTH SEAS PLANTATION CAPTIVA**  
472-5111, ext. 3384  
At the entrance to South Seas Plantation. Open from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. seven days. Closed for lunch from noon to 12:30 p.m.

**3 STAR GROCERY TARPON BAY AND PALM RIDGE ROADS**  
472-5400  
Open from 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday through Friday, 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. Diesel, gas, MC, VISA, Shell charge cards accepted.

**KURT'S '76**  
2495 COCONUT DRIVE  
BLIND PASS AREA  
Open 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Gas, diesel. Cash only, please.

## Shelling

The city of Sanibel has a resolution limiting the taking of live shells to two per species per day per person. In order to preserve Sanibel's beautiful shelling beaches most collectors refuse to take any live shells whatsoever.

## Things to do and see

**CROW CARE AND REHABILITATION OF WILDLIFE**  
SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
472-3644

Open house for the public from 1 to 3 p.m. on the last Sunday of every month through winter season. Board meetings are at 1:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of every month.

**J.N. "DING" DARLING NATIONAL WILDLIFE REFUGE**  
472-1100

The five-mile, self-guiding Wildlife Drive, Bailey Tract walking trails and two canoe trails are open daily from sunrise to sunset. The Visitor Center off Sanibel-Captiva Road is open as stated on the sign at the entrance to the center. All facilities are free of charge. For naturalist program information check at the Visitor Center or call during normal business hours.

**ISLAND HISTORICAL MUSEUM ADJACENT TO SANIBEL CITY HALL**  
800 DUNLOP ROAD  
472-4648  
Open to the public free of charge from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday and Saturday. Closed on holidays.

**SANIBEL-CAPTIVA CONSERVATION FOUNDATION**  
SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ROAD  
472-2329

Dedicated to the preservation of wetlands and wildlife on the islands. The Foundation offers exhibits, nature trails and a gift shop. Admission for non-members is 50 cents for children, \$1 for adults.

Open 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday, May to November. Guided trail tours upon request with 24 hours notice.

Open 9:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday thru Saturday, December to April. Guided trail tours daily.

SCCF's Native Plant Nursery specializes in growing and selling native species. Nursery is open to the public from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Call 472-1932.

**LIGHTHOUSE AT THE EASTERN TIP OF SANIBEL**  
The historic Lighthouse is close to the Sanibel fishing pier, which offers excellent fishing, a lovely beach and view of San Carlos Bay.

**BRIDGE GAMES AT THE SANIBEL COMMUNITY ASSOCIATION**  
Weekly Duplicate Bridge and Bridge for Fun sessions will resume in November.



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# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		May 13	14	15	16	17
			Bloodmobile 9 a.m.-12:30 p.m., Bailey's 1-4 p.m., Jerry's International Folk Dancers 8 p.m., BBMPAH	Living Again support group for bereaved 10 a.m., SCC Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.		Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
			China slide show 7:30 p.m., SICC	Living Again support group for bereaved 10 a.m., SCC Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.		Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
				Living Again support group for bereaved 10 a.m., SCC Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.		Early registration for 1986-87 school year Children's Center 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Island Historical Museum, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.
June 1	2	3	4	5	6	7
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CML - Captiva Memorial Library  
DDR - J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge

SCA - Sanibel Community Association  
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SECTION B

# Koalas in trouble

By GEORGE CAMPBELL  
 Illustrated by ANN WINTERBOTHAM

This darling of nature lovers soon could be on the verge of extinction because of disease

On a recent trip to Australia we learned that the darling of nature lovers, that species that even rivals the giant panda in public esteem, the koala, is in real trouble throughout much of its range.

For years, road kills and fires have been buffeting the remaining populations of koalas. But more recently a serious disease has entered the picture and is causing much mortality. It is conceivable that the species will soon be on the verge of extinction unless something be done to combat this serious threat.

A good example of the koala population crash is in the state of Victoria on Phillips Island. As recently as 1973, there was a total population there of nearly 1,000. Today it has crashed to 150. The main factor probably is the disease *Chlamydia psittaci*.

*Chlamydia* is not unknown in these parts. It is the causative agent of psittacosis, a disease originally thought caused only by members of the parrot family, the psittacine birds. Later it was found that doves, willets and egrets also carried the disease to man. At that time a broader name, ornithosis, was contrived to describe the disease. This term no longer restricts the carrier members of the parrot family but includes many other birds.

A kind of *chlamydia* is very prevalent in America today. It represents a new kind of venereal disease. Almost 5 million new human cases are expected in 1986. So far it has received little attention (so little, in fact, that it has been called the "invisible disease"). Were it not for the catastrophe of AIDS, I am sure *chlamydia* would be all over our newspapers.

For a long time *chlamydia* was thought to be viral. More recently it has been perceived as being closer to the bacteria for several reasons:

1. It responds to tetracyclines and erythromycin. Viruses are not affected by antibiotics.

2. The organism contains both DNA and RNA and has a structure similar to the gram negative bacteria.

Consequently, these fixed, non-motile, intracellular parasites are considered to be true bacteria.

Wild birds have been found infected with this disease in South America and the United States as well as in Australia. In Australia heretofore the disease was commonly associated with parrots, cockatoos, lorikeets and budgerigars, and also with some non-parrots such as doves, willets and the snowy egret.

Birds are believed to become infected by inhalation. When people get this disease it is usually from inhaling dust in a variety (or via the common venereal route as suggested above).

That this infection, historically considered to be con-

finned largely to birds and humans, would now endanger the already severely endangered koala is alarming to say the least.

Richard Jones, who heads the Fund for Animals in Australia, told me that if immediate and accelerated research on the relationship between *chlamydia* and the koala cannot be funded, then we are in danger of saying goodbye forever to that most cherished of animals. Jones will mount a campaign to raise the necessary funds so that studies can be accomplished

Australia.

We visited a CROW-like establishment in Queensland called Lone Pine Sanctuary. We looked in vain for a lone pine, but in our search we found many other interesting things.

At Lone Pine we saw the largest of all bats, the flying fox of Australasia. One was hanging on an electrical wire, presumably dead from electrocution, but its grip was strong even in death and it hung to rot in the dampness. One wonders whether six weeks hence a picked-clean skeleton will hang from that wire.

Lone Pine Sanctuary is devoted to the care of many wild animals, much as is our CROW, but there they emphasize the koala. They have some 100 specimens, even a pure white albino one. This must be about the rarest of all rare creatures in the world. At Lone Pine they are very successful in breeding these finicky and delicate creatures.

There we were able to examine many koalas, even hold one in our arms to examine its structure in detail.

Too many people speak of the koala "bear." This is not a proper term to use because the koala really is a marsupial, that large group of animals that has done so well and radiated, and speciated into all habitats in isolated Australia.

The young of all marsupials are born at a very early stage in their development, in some cases only 12 days of gestation. These tiny embryonic, hairless, blind creatures crawl from the birth canal up along a saliva-dampened route on the mother's underbelly which leads to the opening of the pouch. There they secure a lockhold on a teat, where they remain through the major developmental period until they are able to live independently of the mother's milk, often several months later.

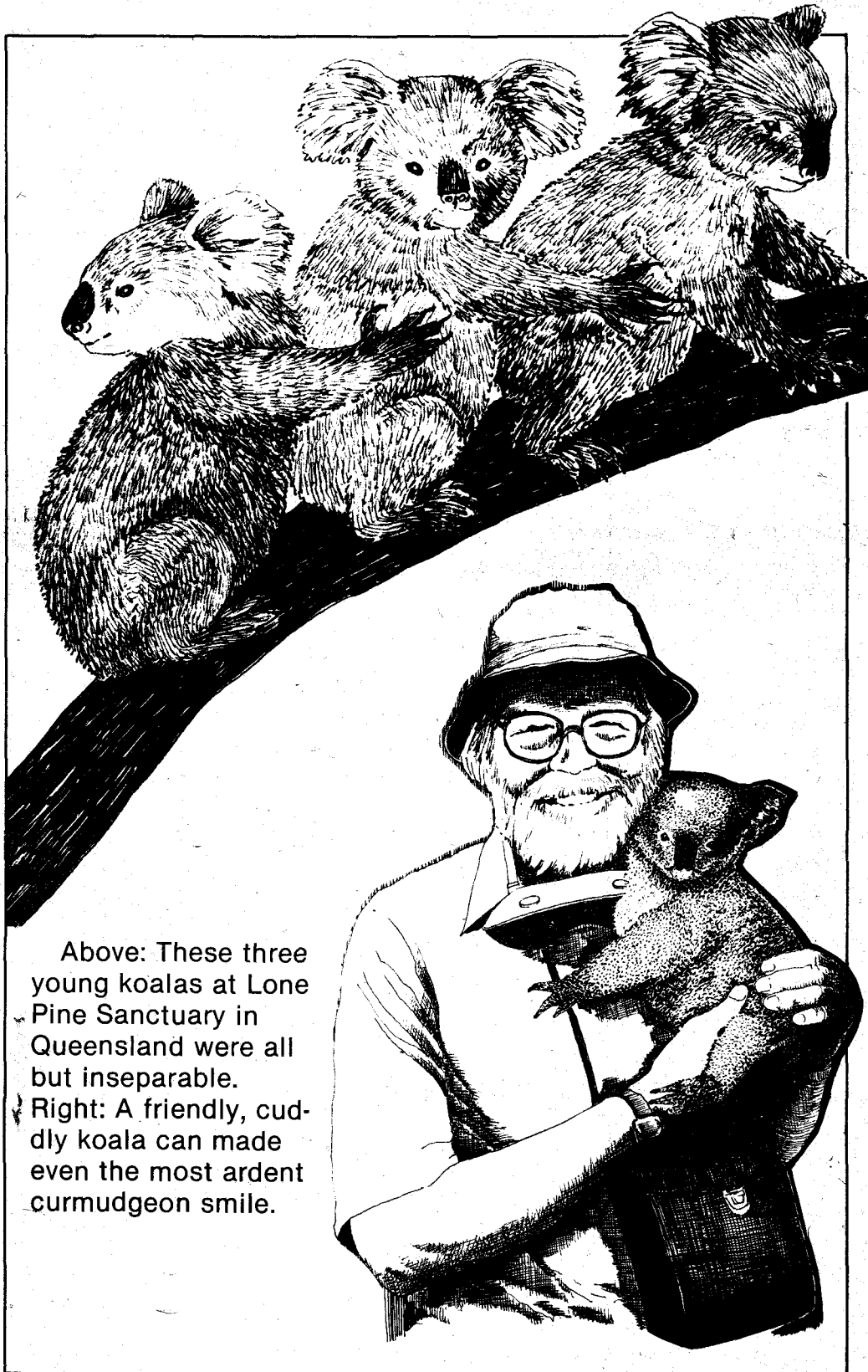
So unlike the placental mammals who develop quite extensively in the mother's womb and some of which are born in a very precocious state with eyes open and fully equipped with hair, etc., (e.g. the guinea pig), the marsupials undergo their major development after they are locked onto a teat in the pouch. Months later their heads pop out of the pouch and can be readily observed.

It would be sad indeed for the world to lose this living emblem of Australia to the disease *chlamydia* which, given a bit of research, can be conquered. Perhaps the almost 5

million new *chlamydia* human cases in America will spike research whose findings can be spun off to help save the koala.

Many people in America seek to support Jones' efforts to save this animal. Anyone who reads these lines and wants to help should write a check made payable to the Australian Fund for Animals. If sent to me in care of The Islander, P.O. Box 56, Sanibel 33957, I will

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Above: These three young koalas at Lone Pine Sanctuary in Queensland were all but inseparable.

Right: A friendly, cuddly koala can made even the most ardent curmudgeon smile.

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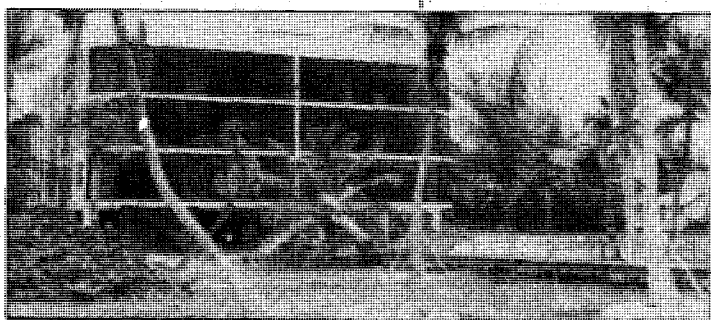


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# ENVIRONMENT

## REFUGE REPORT

### Give wildlife a voice by volunteering at the Visitor Center

By KRISTIE SEAMAN

Are you spending the summer in the Sanibel-Fort Myers area? Do you like meeting people? Do you enjoy wildlife? Do you have extra time now that all of your house guests are gone?

If you have answered any of these questions affirmatively, then you should consider volunteering at the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge.

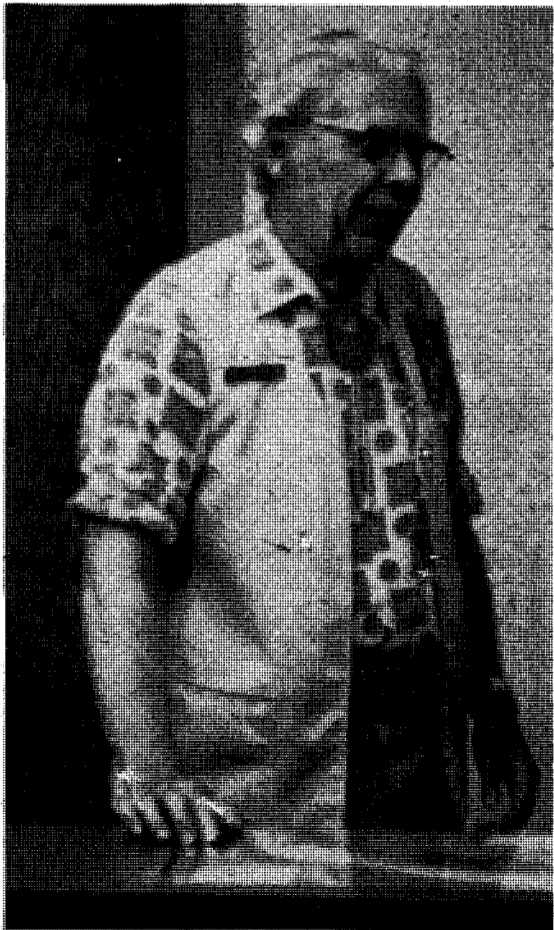
The refuge is looking for volunteers to serve as staff at the Visitor Center at the refuge entrance on Sanibel-Captiva Road. Volunteers work an average of three hours each week.

Anyone interested in volunteering should call Kristie Seaman, 472-1100. The next scheduled orientation meeting will begin at 12:30 p.m. this Thursday, May 15, in the Visitor Center.

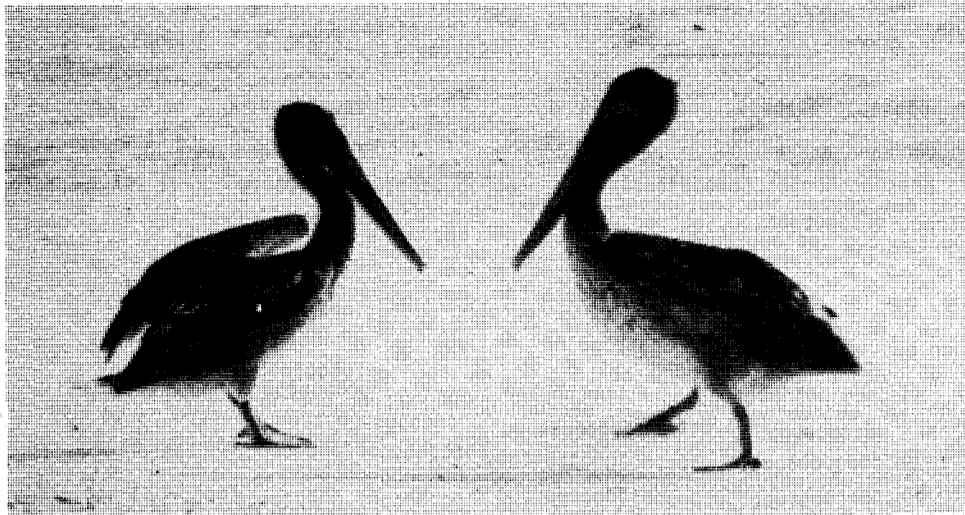
The volunteer program at the refuge has grown tremendously in the past three years. Training is provided for newly recruited volunteers. Come join us and do something for wildlife.

Volunteering your services to help visitors gives a voice to the wild creatures of the Islands. Come help speak up for the egrets, herons and other native species that make Sanibel such a special place.

Kristie Seaman is an outdoor recreation planner at the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge.



Chace Sherman is one of 96 volunteers at the Refuge.



### Your place or mine?

Or what did one pelican say to the other when they met on the beach one recent morning? Photo by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

## SCCF honored for conservation efforts

### The foundation is one of only two organizations in Florida to receive a 1986 Chevron Conservation Award

The Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation has received a 1986 Chevron Conservation Award for its seminal work in establishing coastal conservation and wetlands protection programs in Southwest Florida.

The non-profit foundation was responsible for the formation of the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge and numerous educational programs that promote the understanding and appreciation of Florida's barrier islands, interior wetland systems, wildlife habitat and native plant communities.

Many of the environmental programs initiated by the foundation now serve as models for similar programs throughout the nation.

In all, 1986 Chevron Conservation Awards went to 20 individuals and five groups from the public, private and non-profit sectors. The recipients represent a cross-section of people from 12 states, the District of Columbia and Mexico. Each will receive a \$1,000 cash award, a citation and a bronze plaque commemorating their achievement. The awards will be presented at the Chevron Conservation Awards ceremony on May 22 at the Four Seasons Hotel in Washington, D.C.

William Penn Mott, director of the National Park Service, will deliver the keynote address at the ceremony.

Although 1986 marks the first year Chevron Corporation has sponsored them, the conservation awards date back 32 years and constitute the oldest program of its kind in the nation. It is designed to pay tribute to various individuals and organizations throughout North America that have spent years, often an entire lifetime, preserving and protecting key

elements in the environment.

Gulf Oil Corporation sponsored the awards from 1980 until last year, when it became part of Chevron. Prior to 1980 the program was sponsored by American Motors Corporation.

Ed Zern, outdoor writer and director of the awards program since its inception 32 years ago, said the honorees' accomplishments reflect a widespread but often unsung commitment to the conservation of America's wildlife and natural resources.

"We are pleased to honor individuals and groups who are dedicated to conserving our renewable natural resources," Zern said. "The range of honorees' activities shows how our concept of conservation has matured over the past three decades," he added.

Noting that these honorees often work in virtual anonymity and do not seek or expect recognition for their efforts, he said, "Through their work, which often goes unnoticed by the rest of us, the quality of our environment and the quality of life have been improved significantly. This is something that will be good for all of us and for our children, and for theirs."

Among the winners are three each from Montana and California, two each from Florida, Virginia and New York, and one each from Alaska, Georgia, Michigan, Missouri, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, Utah and the District of Columbia.

The various contributions of the Chevron Conservation Award winners have been significant in molding and shaping conservation programs throughout the country on the local, state and national levels.

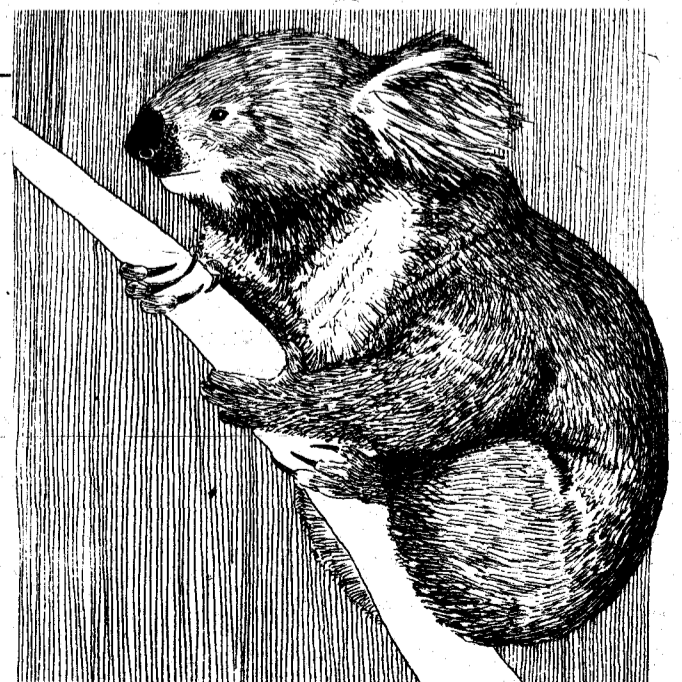
## Koala

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make sure it is forwarded to Jones for his laudable efforts.

Naturalist-conservationist George Campbell participated in a New York Zoological Society study on Sanibel nearly 50 years ago. Subsequently, he visited the Island many times and moved here in 1974. Before moving to the Island he spent 25 years establishing and working with pharmaceutical manufacturing laboratories in two dozen countries all over the world. He is founder and chairman of the Southwest Florida Regional Alligator Association and international coordinator for the Fund for Animals, Inc.

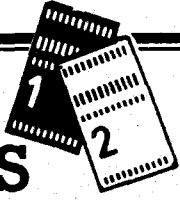
Naturalist-illustrator Ann Winterbotham moved to Sanibel 20 years ago from Massachusetts, where she was born and educated and taught art for many years. Through her efforts as a founding member of the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation and as chairman for seven years of the Sanibel Planning Commission, much of Sanibel remains a nature preserve.



Koalas are threatened with extinction by a disease called Chlamydia.

# ARTS • LEISURE

## COMING ATTRACTIONS



### EXHIBITS

• The EXHIBIT OF SANIBEL-CAPTIVA ART LEAGUE MEMBER AUDREY CHIARADIO continues through May at the Sanibel Public Library.

Chiaradio, whose artistic career has spanned nearly 50 years, paints strictly in oils; her subjects include everything from portraits to seascapes.

The library at the corner of Palm Ridge Road and Florence Street is open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Saturday and from 7 to 9 p.m. Wednesday.

### PERFORMANCES

• THE INTERNATIONAL FOLK DANCERS from Brigham Young University will perform at the Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall on the campus of Edison Community College at 8 p.m. Wednesday, May 14. The performance is sponsored by Westinghouse Gateway Communities, Inc., as a benefit for the Lee County Alliance for the Arts. Tickets for reserved seating are \$10 and are available from the hall box office. For information call 489-3033.

### PRESENTATION

• The SOUTHWEST FLORIDA JAZZ SOCIETY presents its first SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS at 8 p.m. Monday, May 19, in Room F119 at Edison Community College. For information call 945-0556 or 629-6857.

No meetings will be held in June, July and August.

### CLASSES-WORKSHOPS

• A workshop series on "DEVELOPING WINNING STRATEGIES IN RETAIL SALES" will be held May 21 and 28 at Edison Community College. The two-part program is designed to increase retail sales by enhancing salespersons' awareness of how customers make purchasing decisions, according to Suzanne Fletcher, Assistant Director of Continuing Education.

The seminar meets on consecutive Wednesdays from 8-10 a.m. Advance registration is required and can be handled by mail or in person at the ECC Continuing Education office. The \$35 registration fee includes training materials and breakfast at both sessions. For more complete program information call the college, 489-9235.

### PROGRAMS

• Business leaders and community members are invited to learn what local experts are predicting for Lee County's future by attending a half-day seminar, "LEE COUNTY AT THE CROSSROADS," from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Friday, May 16, at Edison Community College.

Registration by May 14 is recommended due to limited seating. Registration for the public is \$35 in advance or \$40 at the door, and RESSI members pay \$30 in advance or \$35 at the door.

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## Polly Matsumoto

### BIG Arts' new president has big plans for bringing arts to the Islands and taking Islanders to the arts

By JULIE NIEDENFUER  
Islander staff writer

At its annual end-of-season banquet two weeks ago, Barrier Island Group for the Arts, among other things, elected new officers for the coming year. Installed as its president was a former Island resident whose name is almost synonymous with the visual arts in our community.

The election of Polly Matsumoto seems especially appropriate because she is a founding member of the organization.

At her Fort Myers home, surrounded by her huge textured wall hangings and husband Ikki's colorful prints, Polly talks about what she hopes to accomplish as BIG Arts' president and her short-range goals for the organization.

Nearly two years ago she and her family moved away from Sanibel, and though she maintained charge of the very successful annual craft fairs, she says she became "uninvolved" with BIG Arts. She felt this year would be the right time to become reacquainted with the Island arts community, partly because she and Ikki plan to open a gallery on Sanibel this fall.

But there are other reasons, too. Matsumoto has a head full of fresh ideas that as president she hopes to have the power to implement.

"The last few years BIG Arts has been continuing what it was doing" and that partly meant concentrating on the performing arts, she says. She would like to shift that focus a little by bringing visual artists to the community to conduct workshops — and by taking the community to the artists.

"I'd like to organize a bus trip to the new art museums in Miami," she says.

As she shows visitors a number of hand-carved, highly stylized wooden animals she obtained in Mexico, she explains that she would like to make a film of the Indian who carved them, showing him in his environment producing his art. And she hopes to bring the artist here for a visit.

The project would require extensive funding by both BIG Arts and the Florida Fine Arts Council, but Matsumoto is determined to carry out the plan even if it means doing it on her own.

Matsumoto also wants to continue some of the events that have become almost Island institutions (and which also happen to be the big money

makers) the arts and crafts fair and Jazz on the Green. She adds, however, that at this point she is not sure how involved BIG Arts will be with the latter event.

Chicago Lyric Chamber Ensemble members may or may not return next year. If they do, Matsumoto hopes there will be a change among the members — perhaps the addition of a soloist or a dif-

ferent musician or two, just to give Islanders a change of pace.

"I would also like to do the house tour again," she says. For that event, a past favorite of some Islanders, several Island homes were opened to the public for tours. Matsumoto says she has a few friends "who have great houses" and hopes to talk them into hosting the tour this year.

Matsumoto was one of the original handful of Islanders who wanted to organize an arts group as an antithesis to the city's policy of taxing artists.

"There weren't any organizations around to help promote the arts," she says.

And that, she says, is still the group's main objective. "Our role is to provide some (cultural) inspiration for residents — and some entertainment for tourists."

Soon a planning committee will be formed to begin working on the 1986-87 calendar. She encourages anyone to let her know of any particular event they would like included this year. Write to Matsumoto in care of BIG Arts, P.O. Box 563, Sanibel FL 33957.

While mulling over a list of activities, she also will be getting ready for the opening of the Matsumotos' new art gallery this fall. The building, a restored old Island home, will house both her weavings and Ikki's works, as well as the work of other folk artists such as the wood carver mentioned above.

Finding an appropriate building for her gallery was not easy; finding a place to hold BIG Arts events has proven for past administrations to be an even more difficult task — and likely will continue to be.

"The lack of a good facility is our biggest problem," she laments. "But it's unrealistic at this point to expect to get

our own place this year."

But there is one goal for BIG Arts she hopes is within reach during her tenure.

"It would be kind of nice if we could make the events pay for themselves," she says.



"Our (BIG Arts') role is to provide some (cultural) inspiration to residents - and some entertainment for tourists."

**Polly Matsumoto  
President, BIG Arts**



Polly Matsumoto. Photos by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

# Arts • Leisure

## So you think you might like community theater...

The Pelican Players Community Theater has scheduled an informal reading for actors and actresses interested in a summer theater performance of "We Blew Up The Bridge, Didn't We?"

The first reading will be held at 7:30 p.m. Friday, May 16, at 6463 Pine Avenue on Sanibel. (Turn right just before the Santiva MiniMart near the Blind Pass Bridge.)

According to playwright Mike Fuery, this is the first time the comedy, the Pelican Players' first play, has been done in more than two years.

A large cast is needed for the Island-theme play, including the "gold shirt" protest group which requires between four and 15 actors.

There are several parts open for major roles and five less demanding parts.

"This is really a fun play to produce and to act in," Fuery says. "We've got good guys, we've got bad ones, we've got romance for the young and the older. And we touch on a subject much in the news and important to all Islanders and visitors, too."

Show dates are tentatively set for three weekends in July.

Fuery says those who attend the Friday night reading should not take it too seriously. "It's a time for you to look over the script, hear how the play reads and think about whether you want to be in community theater for a few weeks this summer.

"Our producer and director will be taking notes as we try to draw together a cast. It's not a tryout for a part, just a look and see thing for all involved."

Call Fuery at 472-3459 for more information.

## Coming attractions

Continued

Checks for advance registration should be made to Edison Community College and sent to the Institute for Management Development, ECC, 8099 College Parkway SW, Fort Myers, FL 33907. For further information, call the college, 489-9200 or 489-9235.

## CANCELLATION

• John Walsh, who was scheduled to speak at the concluding session of Guardian Ad Litem's "THE EXPLOITED CHILD" seminar May 14 and 15, has cancelled for medical reasons.

Because of this, there will not be a presentation Thursday evening at the Barbara B. Mann Performing Arts Hall; however, the rest of the two-day conference will go on as scheduled and is open to the public free of charge.

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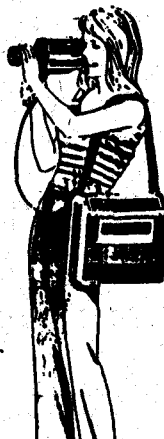
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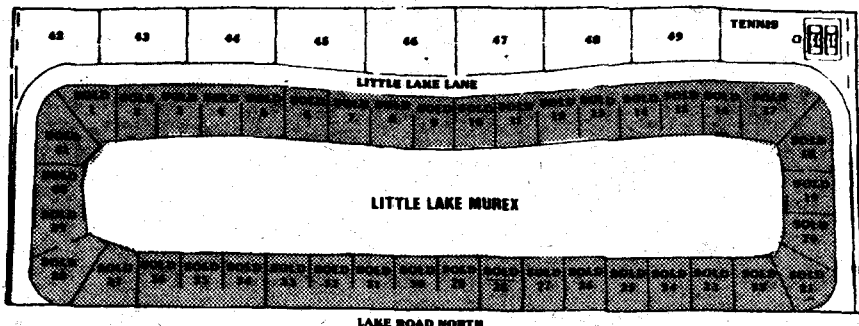
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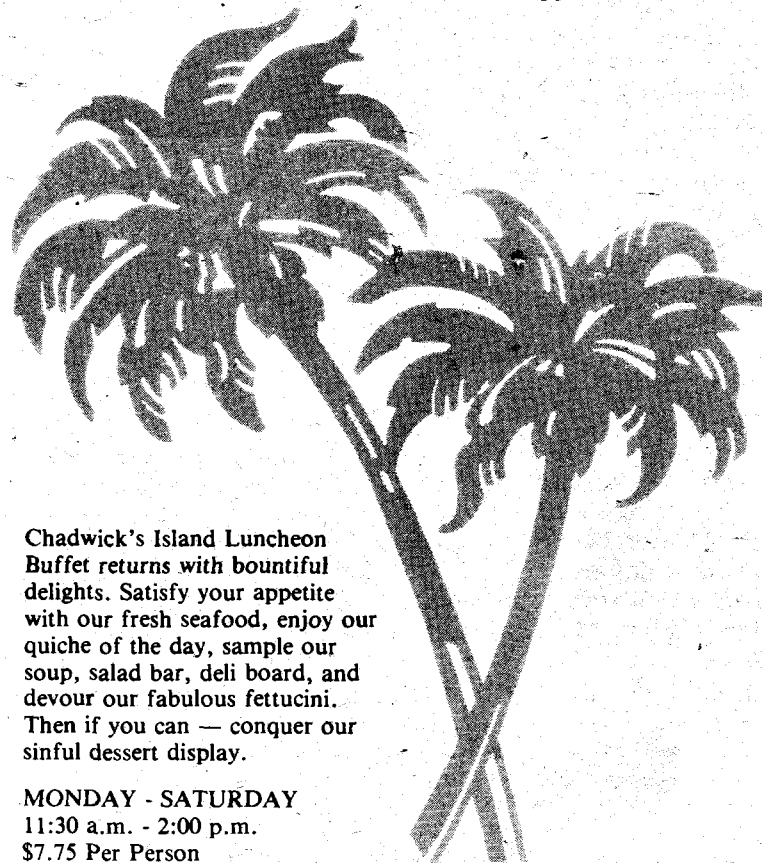
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The capped sleeve pullover displays three kittens (five for the adult size) across the front yoke. The back of the sweater shows the kittens' tails. The child's sweater will fit a 3- to 10-year-old; the adult size is medium. Because it is knitted with large needles, the stitch has quite a lot of elasticity.

Use number seven and number 11 needles and one 100-gram skein (two for the adult size) of a good quality four-ply worsted yarn.

With number 11 needles, cast on 40 (58) stitches. The large needle gives ease to the ribbing. With number seven needles, rib in knit one, purl one for 10 (16) rows.

Change to number 11 needles and knit (k) one row, purl (p) one row for 30 (44) rows or eight inches (12 inches) from the bottom. Begin the following steps on the knit side.

- Step 1 — Cast on two (six) stitches, k 42 (64).
- Step 2 — Cast on two (six) stitches, k four (six), p 36



### NEEDLE POINTS

By Barbara Boulton

- (58), k four (six).
- Step 3 — k four (six), p 36 (58), k four (six).
- Step 4 — k 44 (70).
- (For the adult size, repeat steps three and four three times more.)
- Step 5 — k four (six), p three, \* k two, bring yarn forward between the two needles (yf), slip one, throw yarn back between the needles (yb), k two, yf, slip

one, yb, k two, p three, \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, k four (six).

• Step 6 — k seven (nine), \* p eight, k three, \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, k four (six). Repeat steps five and six five times more.

• Step 7 — k four (six), p three, \* slip two stitches onto cable needle, hold in back, k two, then k two from cable; slip next two stitches onto cable, hold in front, k two, then k two from cable, p three, \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, k four (six).

• Step 8 — same as step six. Repeat steps seven and eight three times more.

• Step 9 — k four (six), p two, \* slip one stitch onto cable needle, hold in back, k one, then k the stitch from the cable, k six, slip one on cable and hold in front, k one, k one from cable, p one, \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, p one more, k four (six).

• Step 10 — k seven (nine), \* p one, k six, p one, k three \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, k four (six)

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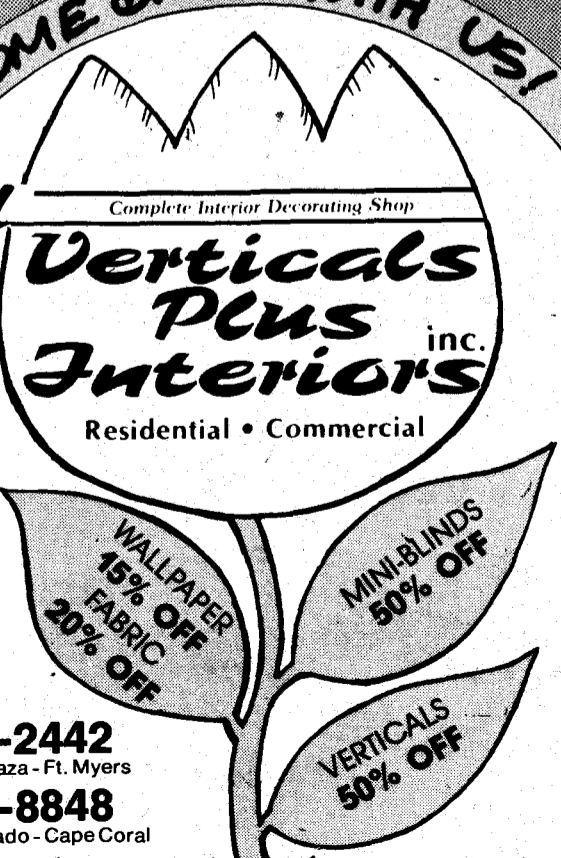


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## Pullover

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more.

• Step 11 — k six (10) rows, bind off loosely.

Sew 1/2-inch buttons for eyes. Tie a six-inch piece of black six-strand embroidery floss into a square knot for the nose and whiskers. Trim and separate the six strands. Spray with hair spray to keep them separated.

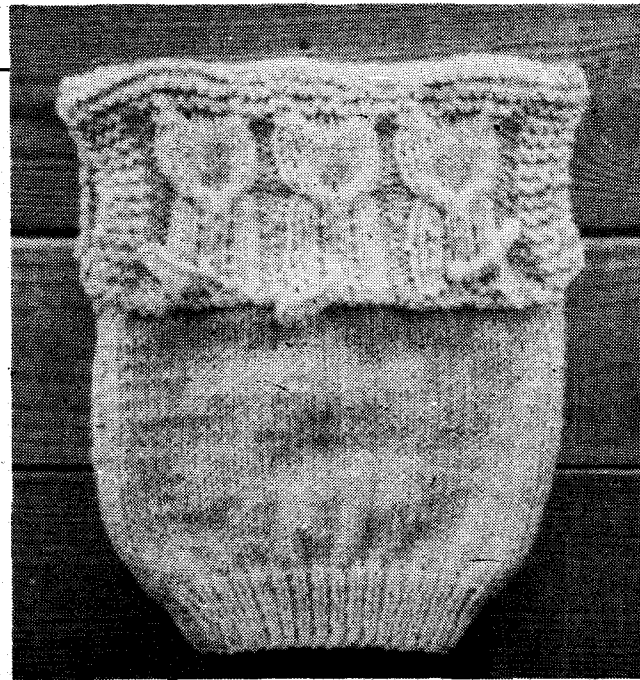
Follow the same steps for the back. On the first repeat of Step 5, knit the tails as follows: k four (six), p three, \* k two, yf, slip one, yb, k one. With number seven needles, cast on 10 stitches by knitting into the next k stitch and each new k stitch made. Now bind off 10 stitches, k one (this has probably already been knit in the binding off process), yf, slip one, yb, k two, p three, \* repeat between \*s three (five) times, k four (six).

Make three-inch (four-inch) shoulder seams by overcasting the edge. Backstitch a narrow side seam.

Barbara Boulton, a former school teacher in New Jersey, has been needleworking for more than 20 years and has had her Idle Hours shop on Sanibel since 1976.



Front.



Back.

If you have any questions about the above article or about your own needlework projects, stop by Idle

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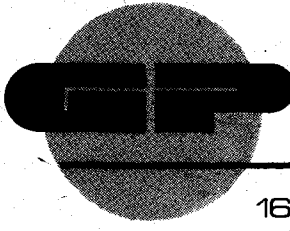
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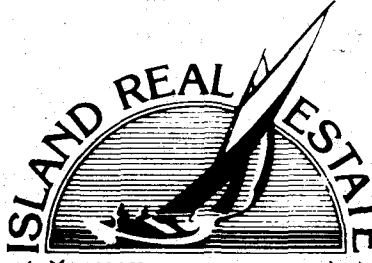
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♥ 8 6 4  
♦ A 3  
♣ K J 9 2

**WEST**  
♠ 8 7 4  
♥ A Q 7  
♦ K Q 6 2  
♣ Q 7 5

**EAST**  
♠ 5  
♥ 10 9 5 3 2  
♦ J 10 9 5  
♣ 8 6 4

**SOUTH**  
♠ A Q 10 6 2  
♥ K J  
♦ 8 7 4  
♣ A 10 3

South	West	North	East
1♠	Pass	3♠	Pass
4♠	All Pass		

Opening lead -- ♦K

## POINT COUNT



By ALFRED SHEINWOLD

"How do you guess which opponent has a queen?" a fan asks. "As declarer in the accompanying hand, I took the ace of diamonds, drew trumps and led dummy's jack of clubs as a finesse.

"Even if this lost, I thought, West wouldn't be able to lead hearts through my king-jack. Maybe I forgot to tell you that East played the jack of diamonds at the first trick.

"Anyway, West took the queen of clubs and led a low diamond to East. Back came a heart, and down I went.

"What should I have done outside of

write to my guru?"

My correspondent made only one false move: He should let West hold the first trick with the king of diamonds.

Then East never gets in to lead hearts, and eventually South can take the ace of clubs and overtake the 10 with dummy's king to discard a heart on the nine of clubs.

South is sure to lose a diamond. The important point is to lose it in such a way as to prevent the defenders from getting back and forth by way of diamonds.

### WEEKLY QUESTION

You hold: ♠K J 9 3 ♥8 6 4 ♦A 3 ♣K J 9  
2. Partner bids one diamond, you respond one spade, and he then bids 1NT. The opponents pass. What do you say?

### ANSWER

Bid 3NT. A rebid in clubs would indicate greater length in the black suits and a possible interest in game at one

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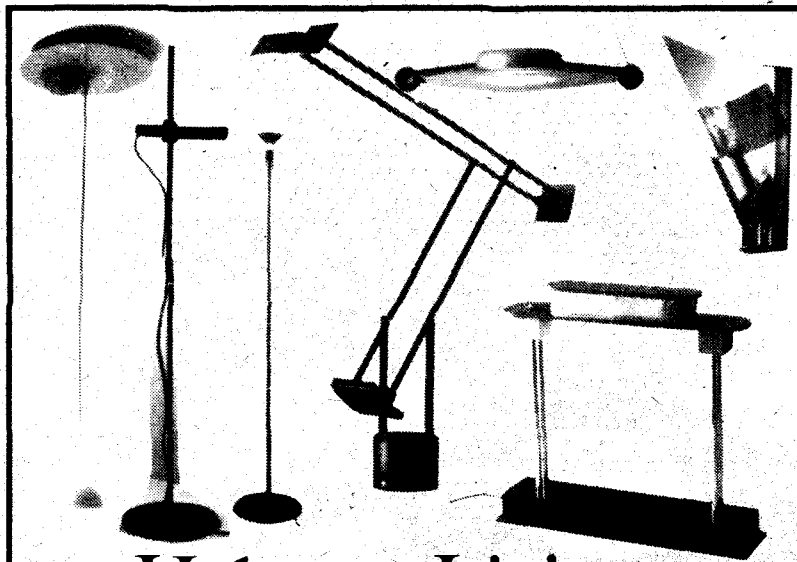
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# RECREATION

## Like riding a bike, you never forget how to row

By JULIE NIEDENFUER  
Islander staff writer

Gingerly, I stuck my toe in the boat. At 25 inches wide, the craft didn't look very stable. I looked dubiously at John DeVere, the boat's owner, who was urging me to get in.

"It won't tip," he reassured me for the 10th time. I eyed the boat again and took a deep breath. It

wasn't that I was afraid of falling in — it was losing my self respect I was worried about.

Earlier I had told DeVere (somewhat boastfully) that I had been on a women's eight crew in college. I thought handling a smaller craft, such as the ones he owned, would be a cinch. I just hadn't fathomed that the rig would be this small. What if I were to land in the drink? But the humiliation of looking like a chicken proved the bigger motivating factor. I got in.

Not only was the boat much smaller than the ones I had rowed in college, it was ever so much more sensitive to my every movement, I quickly discovered. As I leaned forward to strap my right foot in, the boat suddenly lunged to the port side. As I over-compensated, it lunged back to starboard. The little shell, like a thoroughbred under an inexperienced rider, shuddered nervously.

Finally, after much ado, I managed to push free of the dock and after several awkward maneuvers, made it to the middle of the canal. It had been years — too many — since I felt the solid grip of an oar handle in my hand. Yet the feeling was familiar, as though I had rowed the day before.

Memories of my college rowing days came back to me. I remembered carrying the cumbersome paddles, and I remembered the hardness of the wooden seats. I could even smell the water of Lake Mendota that stretched out along the University of Wisconsin campus.

I remembered the anxiety of race mornings, and the knot that my stomach became as we waited on the starting line for the command to row.

The long and torturous workouts came back to me; I thought of the way our coach used to shout at us from the motorboat flanking our shell, and how that used to inspire me. I remembered the camaraderie among the crew, and the self-discipline it took to belong.

I remembered the parties — how odd it was to walk into a room where nobody was smoking and everybody, for once, was at my eye level — or even taller. (Most people who row are above average in height.)

I recalled those extraordinary mornings when the water was like glass, smooth enough to put the crew in a fine mood. On those days the boat would glide so fast and so gracefully I felt I was part of a precise, well-oiled machine and that I could row forever.

Of course, there were many times when I wanted to stop rowing and jump out. The stroke, contrary to how it might look, is ac-

### REPORTER'S NOTEBOOK



This week is the last of regular season play for boys and girls who compete in the Sanibel Little League. Photos by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

## As regular season draws to a close, Little League Angels win their first game

By SCOTT MARTELL  
Islander staff writer

The Angels have taken the monkey off their back. On Tuesday the team used tough defense to defeat the Rangers, 4-3. It was the Angels' first win of the season.

Meanwhile, the Astros continued to roll, using the homerun-over-the-fence as a devastating tool of destruction against the Yankees. The Rangers came back to defeat the Angels on Saturday, but in a close game. And the Dodgers also rolled along in girls' softball, defeating the Phillies, 9-0.

On Thursday the Astros defeated the Yankees, 20-8. John Galanis hit two homeruns over the fence, and Joel Cramer blasted one over the fence to lead the way for the Astros. The Yankees' Garrett Graham, in his last game before moving to California, knocked out two hits and came on

to relief pitch.

Cramer took up where he left off on Saturday for the Astros. He blasted a two-run homerun to tie the game with the Yankees, 8-8, in the sixth inning. The Astros went ahead to win, 9-8. Mark Holland picked up Ritzzy Player of the Game honors for the Yankees.

And the Rangers, behind the pitching and batting of Jay Colter, defeated the Angels, 10-7. Colter blasted two homeruns and was the winning pitcher. Chris Stone added a homerun for the Rangers and also made a dazzling double play.

This week's schedule is as follows:

• Thursday, May 15 — 6 p.m., Angels vs. Yankees.

• Saturday, May 17 — 9 a.m., Yankees vs. Angels; 10:30 a.m., Dodgers vs. Phillies; noon, Rangers vs. Astros.

This is the last week of the



regular season. Next week the number four team will play the number three team on Tuesday, and the number two team will play the number one team on Thursday. These games will set up a single elimination tournament for Saturday, May 24. This tournament will be followed by the annual league awards and picnic at 2 p.m.

Standings as of Monday, May 12, are as follows:

Astros, 15-2  
Yankees, 10-7  
Rangers, 8-9  
Angels, 1-16  
Dodgers, 9-0  
Phillies, 0-9

## Wednesday is Island Little League Night at Terry Park

Wednesday, May 14, will be a big night in the Sanibel-Captiva Little League. In fact, the night has been named after the Island players.

At Terry Park in Fort Myers, where the minor league Fort Myers Royals play, it will be Sanibel-Captiva Little League Night.

Youngsters from the league are out selling tickets to Islanders for the game. Proceeds from the sale of

these tickets will go to help support the Island league.

The Little League teams will be introduced on the field before the start of the professional baseball action.

Islanders are encouraged to support the league — and to watch some exciting professional baseball this Wednesday evening at Terry Park.

## Regatta weekend will provide a taste of rowing

By JULIE NIEDENFUER  
Islander staff writer

There is a newcomer to the Southwest Florida Regatta this year, — thanks to the efforts of Sanibel resident John DeVere.

For the first time rowing will be included among the boating events that make up the annual regatta.

The United States Rowing Association-recognized event, sponsored by Miller beer and Pepsi, will take place from noon to 5 p.m. this Sunday, May 18, in front of the Robert E. Lee hotel in Fort Myers. DeVere says a 500- and a 1,000-meter course will be set up for the racers.

DeVere, president of the Sanibel-based Orca Rowing Club, is not sure exactly how many shells will compete. His main concern is that the event will give peo-

ple unfamiliar with sculling a chance to become acquainted with the sport. Regatta planners anticipate that 500-600 spectators will turn out for the rowing event.

A self-proclaimed rowing "evangelist," DeVere stresses that throughout the day clinics will be held giving people the opportunity to try rowing first hand.

"Somebody will be around all day to answer questions. We'll be happy to show them how," he says.

DeVere himself is a relative newcomer to the sport. "I've just discovered something that's been around for 200 years," he says.

In the short time he's been rowing his blood pressure has dropped from 120 over 80 to 100 over 64. It's not surprising that DeVere, who owns 2½ (he co-owns one) shells, touts sculling as the best sport in

the world as far as physical fitness is concerned.

He claims rowing also has helped his daughter Jennifer's diabetes condition. A skilled and avid rower, the 12-year-old often takes one of the family's shells out alone, rowing out in the bay to count dolphins or to a nearby island for a picnic. Sometimes the whole family, including John's wife Julie, go out on the water together.

"There's no place better in the world for rowing," DeVere said, citing the extensive canal and water systems in Southwest Florida.

Those interested in joining Orca, or finding out more about this weekend's race, can call DeVere, 472-5468. He's more than willing to convert newcomers into his rowing "religion."

Please see ROWING, next page

# Recreation

## Rowing Continued

tually a precise, difficult and strenuous motion that utilizes practically every muscle in the body.

During races I used muscles I didn't know I had.

Stroke after stroke, I pulled until my arms and shoulders were ready to fall off and my thigh muscles were about to spring. Just about the time I decided I simply couldn't pull that oar one more time through the water (which by that time felt like peanut butter), the puny coxswain screamed "POWER TEN!" (our cue to drive the boat even harder for the next 10 strokes). Repressing the desire to hit her over the head with my oar must have triggered bursts of adrenalin, because somehow I always managed to call up that extra umph to cross the finish line — often in the winning boat. There was never any doubt that the effort was worth it.

Now, years later on Sanibel, I found myself barely able to keep my rig from crashing into a docked yacht as I attempted to dodge an oncoming power boat. Eventually, I got the feel of the little shell enough to go a distance up the canal and back. As I did, it occurred to me that my

lingering regret over having to give up rowing when I left school could be remedied by taking up sculling. With a little practice, I might just get the hang of it, I thought hopefully.

At the moment, however, my paramount concern was returning to the dock — where DeVere stood watching — with my boat and my dignity

intact.

Well, the boat made it back in one piece, anyway.

Staff writer-graphic artist Julie Niedenfuer covers the arts and various feature stories for The Islander.



Once she got the hang of it, Julie Niedenfuer skimmed the water with the ease of a seasoned sculler. Photo by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

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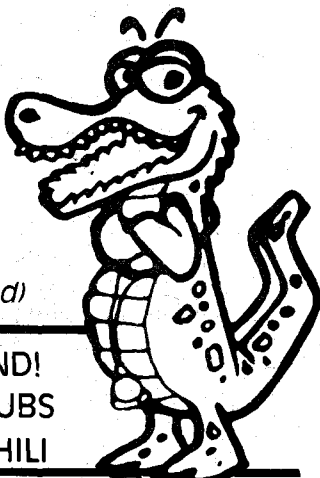
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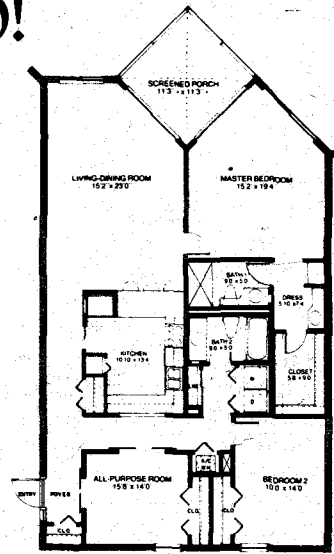
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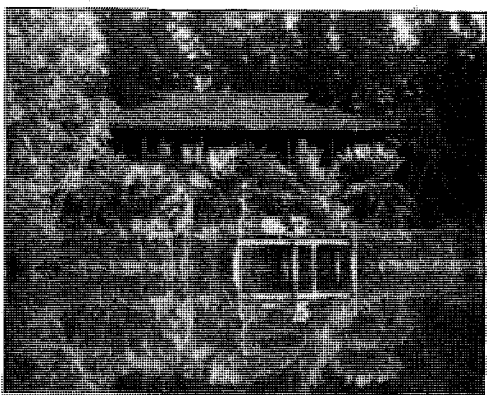
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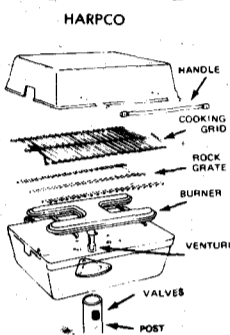
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# Recreation

## SPORTS SHORTS



•The Sanibel MEN'S SLOW PITCH SOFTBALL LEAGUE will have a final organizational meeting at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday, May 13, at the Sanibel Recreation Complex.

All managers of teams planning to participate should attend. The discussion will focus on the upcoming Old Sports for Youth Sports softball tournament scheduled for Friday, May 30, through Sunday, June 1, and on regulations for the 1986 season.

May 13 is the deadline for entry fees. The cost per team this year is \$450.

•Members of the DUNES MEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION drew out their clubs and went after the tough Dunes course in a "Blind Foursome" competition last week.

Bob Davison, Bob Maloney, Corky Collins and Al Lloyd blasted a net 276 to capture the 18-hole win. Wendell Lapp, Henry McKee, Erhard Becker and Paul Cornelius ripped out a net 280 for second place. Joe Vasko, Bob Bulcock, Len Lorenson and Bob Curtis nabbed the nine-hole title with a net 133 score.

Two weeks ago Corky Collins and Harry Glaeser blasted a 57 to pocket first place in "Scotch Foursome" 18-hole competition. Collins and Glaeser were followed by Bob Davison and Roger Froemming with 58, Bob Maloney and Al Lloyd with 59, and

Erhard Becker and Orville Pogue with 60.

Bob Bulcock and Jim Minor grabbed the nine-hole division win by shooting 24. They were followed by Art Johnson and George Kalvin with 28, and Ray O'Neill and Fred Glaser with 28. (Johnson and Kalvin took second on a scorecard playoff.)

•The 1985-86 golf season ended for the DUNES WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION on April 25. But there is no rest for the ambitious. The women moved into informal summer play Friday, May 2.

In this first competition of the summer league, Enid Bever pocketed first place in Class A. Dorrie Van Derbeck notched the low putts honor. In Class B Louise Johnson nailed first place. And Billie Tyler grabbed low putt honors.

•Members of the BEACHVIEW WOMEN'S GOLF ASSOCIATION challenged the course in a high-individual points contest May 7. Eileen Casparis and Betty Puff tied for individual honors with plus five.

In team play Thelma Hilton, Ann Alquist, Nancy Ruedig and Jan Kinder blasted plus seven for first place. Mary Jane Preston, Dorothy Corbin, Betty Puff and Agnes McClintock powered out a plus 10 for second place.

•The Dunes and the Bank of the Islands once again are co-sponsoring FREE TENNIS CLINICS. All ages and abilities are welcome. The clinics are coordinated at the Dunes by tennis professional Terry See for the month of

Please see SPORTS SHORTS, next page

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# Recreation

## Weekend races will test the power of speedboats and racing sculls

By SCOTT MARTELL  
Islander staff writer

Two more different boating races probably could not be conceived. Both take place this weekend as part of the Southwest Florida Regatta. And both should be of interest to Sanibel and Captiva residents.

The Nissan Dealers Offshore 150 will send powerboats soaring off at speeds approaching 120 mph. The second race will be the first-ever first Southwest Florida Sculling Championships.

The offshore races will be visible to Islanders from the Lighthouse Beach all the way past the Sundial, according to Regatta executive director Dave Auble. The races will run between 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. WEVU television will broadcast three hours of live action on the 150-mile race.

"The speeds have really jumped amazingly in the past year. Some of these boats can do 140 mph," Auble

said. "In the first two races of the season, the bigger boats are averaging over 100 mph. Last year most boats averaged in the 80s."

This year's course probably will not produce any record speeds, Auble said, because it was drawn up to be most advantageous for spectators and has plenty of turns. However, Auble added, under peak conditions boats could approach 120 mph.

Rowing sculls can move pretty fast, too, but they are, of course, moved by muscle power. The sculling races will happen off the Best Western Robert E. Lee Motel in North Fort Myers, on Sunday afternoon, May 18.

The genesis of this race is the Orca Rowing Club, which was started on Sanibel by John DeVere.

When DeVere got the club moving last summer, he called sculling "the sleeper sport of the 80s." And already it is part of the Southwest Florida Regatta.

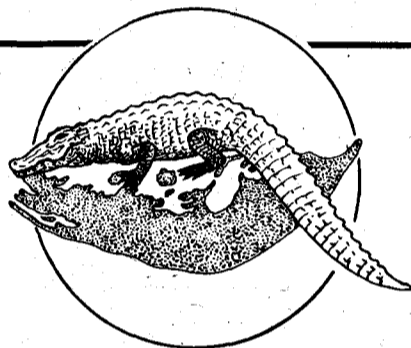
## Sports shorts Continued

May.

The clinics are set for Mondays at 3:30 p.m. (beginners and advanced beginners) and 4:30 p.m. (inter-

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## SPORTS QUIZ



### Billiards trivia couldn't stump avid quiz fans

Last week we tried to bluff our sports trivia fans with outrageous questions — but three people just wouldn't be bluffed and answered both parts of the quiz correctly.

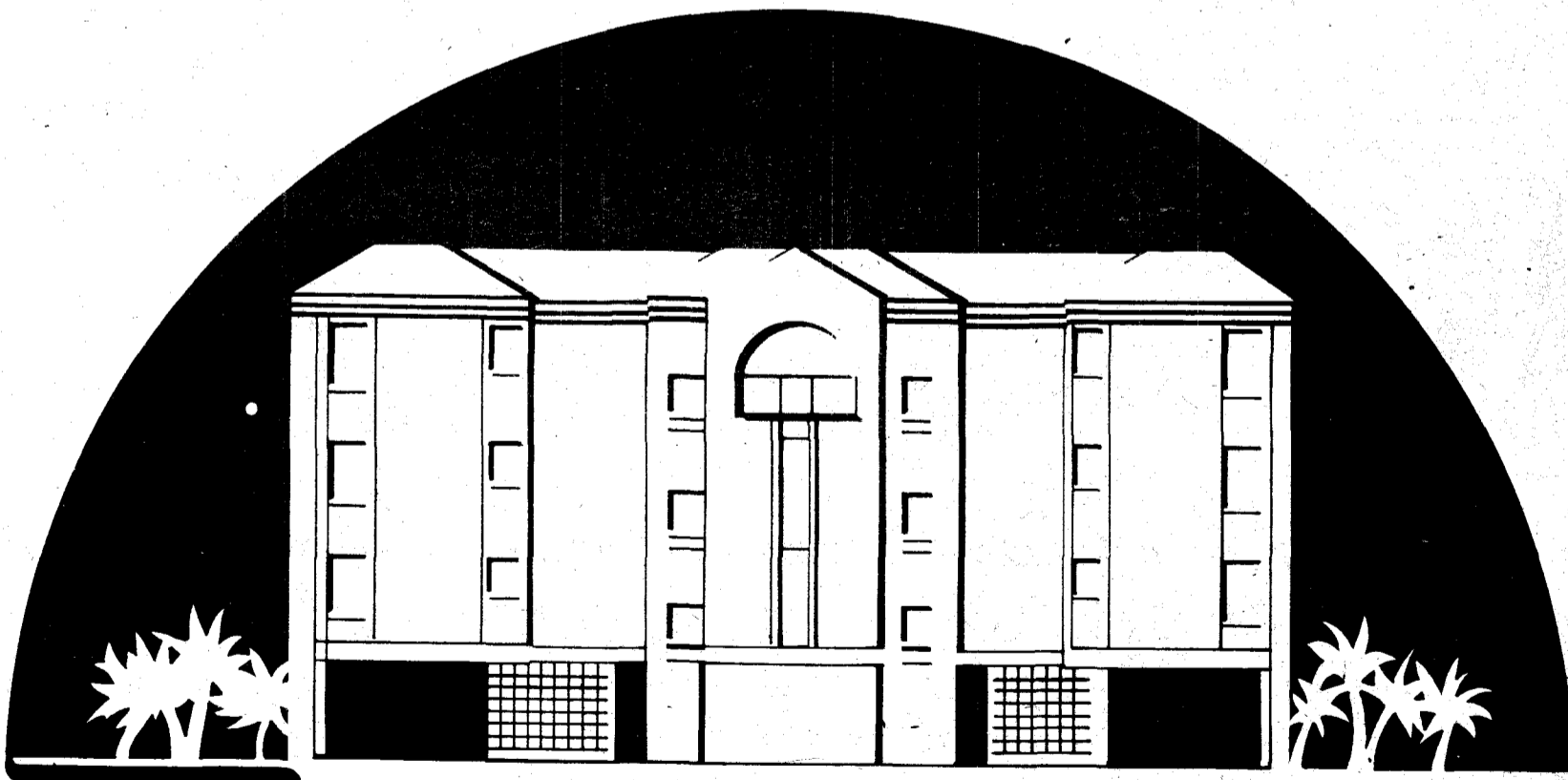
Pop Murphy, "Jimmy the Greek" and "the Associate" all guessed that someone must have pocketed 600 balls in a row in pool. Michael Eufemia holds the record, with a total of 625. He set the record in 1960 at Logan's Billiard Academy in Brooklyn, N.Y.

Nor were these three sports fans stumped by the second part of last week's quiz. They believed that someone had actually spent 24 hours sinking 11,000 balls into a pocket. The man was Gary Mounsey, who sunk 11,700 balls in 1979 in New Zealand.

This week we leave the obscure and head back to football. First: Name all the teams in the Big Ten of the NCAA. And second: In what Super Bowl were the most points scored?

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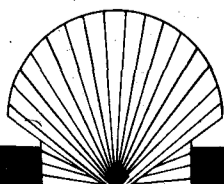
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# Recreation

## We've got two more weeks to land the elusive snook

The last day of this month marks the end of the snook season for two or possibly three months. That means we've got only a couple of weeks to catch these great eating Florida gamefish. But first a few heart-to-heart thoughts about catching this popular fish.

In all my time as a fishing guide I've only had one group specifically ask **not** to catch snook. They had tried it. And they had tried it again and again after that. They would fish for anything but snook. Why?

Unless you are a fanatic, snook are not easy to catch. There are a few snook fanatics around, but I think they are vampires because you only see them at night. They like solitude. They like not fighting for a place to fish. And they have discovered a few very important things about old Mr. Snook.

One is that snook are less cautious at night. Maybe they can't see the leader attached to the live pinfish or shiner. Maybe they can't detect the sinker. Maybe the light of day irritates their eyes. Maybe a hundred things. But early morning and evening into late night are good times to catch them.

Bait is important in two respects. It must be very fresh and it must be alive. You might find it interesting to note that up at Boca Grande Pass the first tarpon are caught on large shrimp. Yes, a fish that can weigh in excess of 100 pounds likes to eat a four-ounce shrimp. Snook are the same way in early



### ON THE WATER

By Capt. Mike Fuery

spring.

Shrimp of over four inches or so make good snook bait. Other fish love these baits, too, so get as many as you can.

Many area marinas are stocking small live pinfish. These baitfish will also take snook this time of the year. The pilchards, or shiners as we call them locally, are also a top bait if you're going after snook.

If you are a caster, then hook up with one of the new rattler-spinner tail MirroLure plugs. Those with red head and white body seem to be as good as any. Up under the Blind Pass Bridge, where many snook are caught at this time of the year, casters like to take the larger, leadhead, plastic body lures and cast right under the bridge from the shore. Tip

the jig with a little shrimp. Green bodies and white bodies seem to be working, too. Be prepared to cast a lot and to lose many rigs.

Wading on either side of the free public pier at the Lighthouse is always a good bet, too, with an outgoing tide and at night. You want to cast close to the pier pilings. This popular spot can be absolutely loaded with anglers during the day, so you don't even want to show up until 10 p.m. or so.

When you wade fish, you really should have a couple of items. One is a landing net, another is a small flashlight and of course a pair of pliers to cut line to change lures. Don't forget the bug spray, either.

For those with boats, the wait for dark or dawn is not as critical. With a boat you can get to more isolated passes or structures and do just as well as the shore-bound anglers.

So it's a matter of fresh bait, persistence and timing. Around bridges and piers, I would say an outgoing tide is best; on the beaches, the incoming tide will be better.

Good luck this week. Remember that you can only possess two snook, both of which must be at least 24 inches long.

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# Recreation

## It's spring, and all sorts of strange things are washing ashore

Spring brings some pretty strange looking things to our beaches. Some are interesting, others are comical, and still others present minor problems for shellers.

It took a long time for me to realize that there are seasons in the ocean just as there are on land. Spring is the rebirth of many kinds of sea life, and that's why you can observe a wider variety of beach life now than you could in the winter months.

One thing that always draws the curious is the sea cucumber. These greenish creatures are about five to seven inches long and do, if you squint, look like cucumbers. The big difference between the two is that the sea cucumber moves. There are times when spring storms will wash many of these harmless things ashore.

It's fun to examine them, but then you should return the living ones to the water. They remind me of a large land snail without a shell.

Sea cucumbers are not really what you want for collecting purposes. But next time you see one, take the time to examine it.

You probably know what horseshoe crabs look like. These primitive animals have a wide range of living habitat, and it's not unusual for folks from as far north as Cape Cod to be familiar with them.

Horseshoe crabs are mating right along the surf now. They are very shy, unaggressive creatures,



## SHELLING TIPS

By Capt. Mike Fuery

and you can easily step on them. They all have a long, sharp-rigid tail that they wave around when they are picked up or disturbed.

I've always suspected that people who report they have been stung by a ray might have accidentally stepped on a horseshoe crab instead. Either way, take time out to observe the horseshoe crabs. Once dead, they make interesting shell displays. But please give the live ones room as they swim in our waters.

One of my favorite springtime animals is the lovely little sea hare (more correctly called the Wilcox sea hare). When you see one gliding effortlessly by, you probably won't know what it is at first.

Sea hares have soft, rounded bodies and light,

delicate wings. I've always felt they were the original underwater butterflies. They have little ability to fight strong winds or currents, so if you are working a beach with those conditions at this time of the year, you just might come upon sea hares.

Once on the beach, sea hares often release a purple dye. This is harmless to us, but it serves as a sort of protective smoke screen for the hares. They can grow up to 10 inches and are a brownish color.

There is supposed to be a small shell inside this very unusual mollusk. As you know, most mollusks have an exterior hard shell, but sea hares are just the opposite. I've looked over several dead sea hares and have yet to find any indication of a shell. Scientists say it's a small nut-like structure.

Good shelling this week. Please observe the live shell restricting of two per person, per species. And if you should find a can or bottle on the beach, please make a little room in your shell bag for it and help keep our beaches clean for everyone to enjoy.

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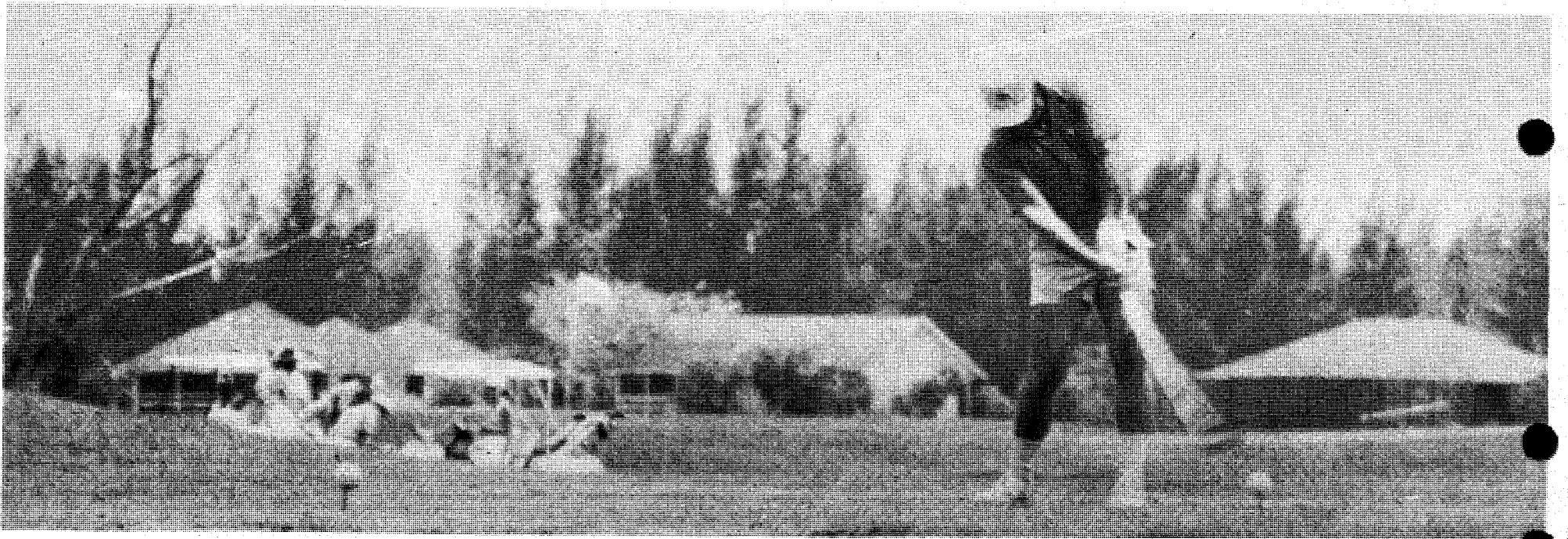
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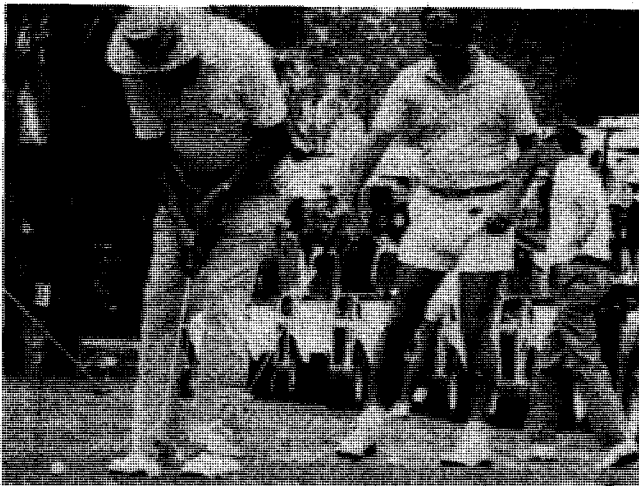
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Above: Before the Bob Potts Tournament began, the clubhouse area was full of activity as golfers practiced putting. Photo by Ricki Kosakow Cooper.

## Bob Potts Memorial tournament raises \$4,000 for Lions charities

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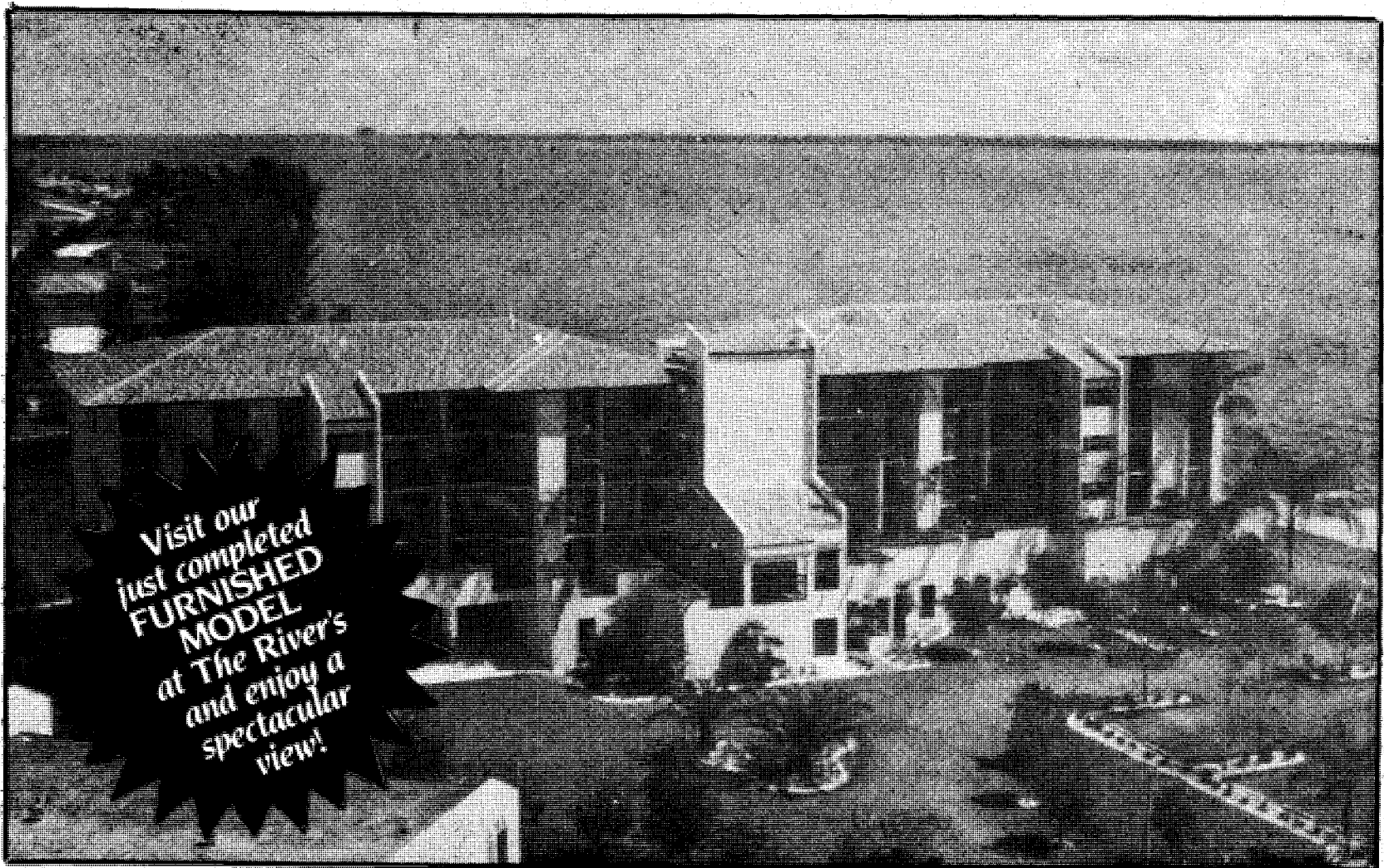
But the tournament, begun by Bill Potts in memory of his brother Bob Potts, also had its serious side. It raised more than \$4,000 for various Lions Club charities.

Potts, who owned Huxter's Market and R B Liquor on Sanibel for many years, was a Lions club member for 37 years. The primary beneficiary of the funds raised through the tournament is the Conklin Center

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109 men and women played in the tournament. Every golfer won some kind of prize or another, ranging from a \$25 gift certificate from Bailey's to a savings bond from Bank of the Islands.

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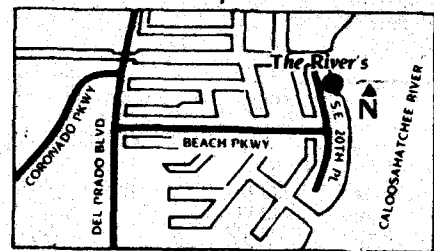
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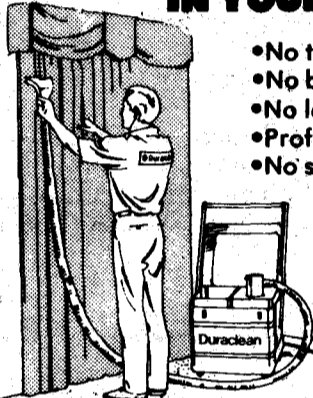
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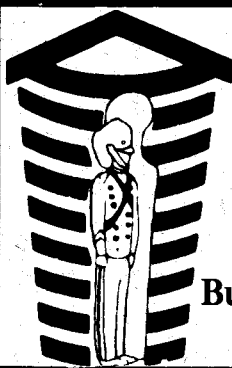


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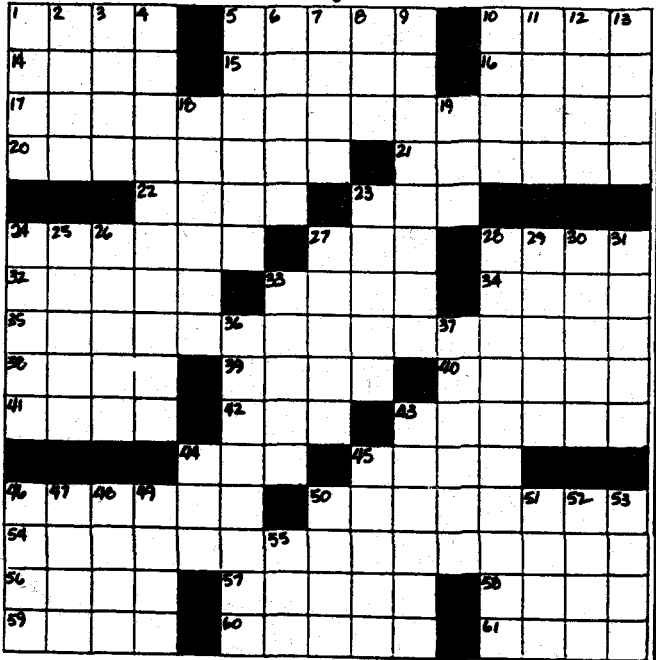
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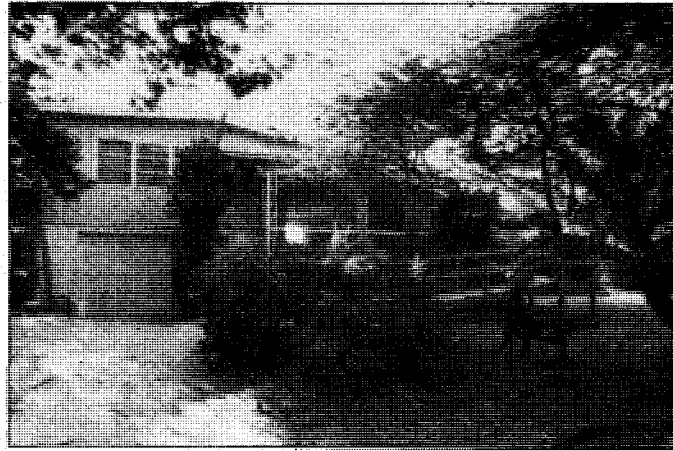
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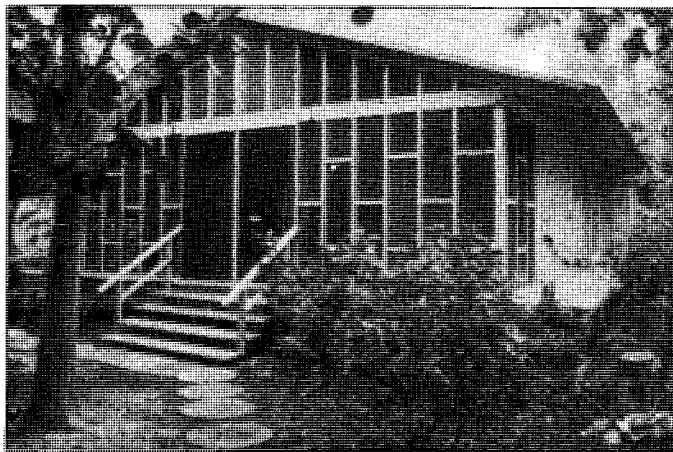
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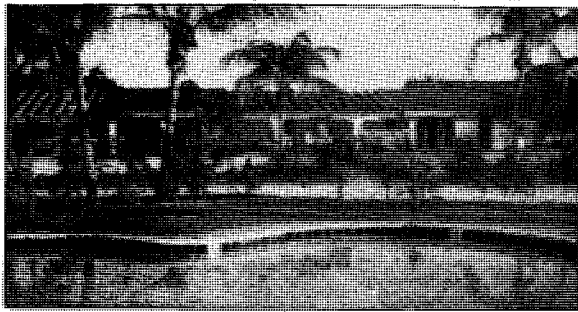
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