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Countdown begins to June 1 start of hurricane season

By Cindy Chalmers

Hurricane season begins one month from today, and experts say the chances are good that one of nature's most destructive forces will strike Southwest Florida during the six-month storm season this year.

Sanibel's emergency management plan divides the 72 hours before a hurricane strike into six color-coded time frames and calls for specific actions to be taken in each "window." The sequence begins with time window six and moves through five more windows to the strike in window one.

Colored flags signifying the stage of the storm will fly at six points on Sanibel beginning as soon as the National Hurricane Center notifies local officials that a storm is developing and could threaten the Islands.

When the storm is 72 to 60 hours away from landfall, a blue flag will warn island residents and visitors that they should secure their property and stay tuned to WRCC-FM 104 radio, Cablevision Channel 11 or their special Sanibel alert radios for the latest storm information.

As the storm develops emergency officials will change the flags signifying the time windows. Flags will fly at:

- The Causeway toll booth
- Periwinkle Way and Lindgren Boulevard
- Palm Ridge Road and Periwinkle Way
- Tarpon Bay Road and Periwinkle Way
- The Sanibel Elementary School
- The Sanibel side

of the Blind Pass Bridge
In this column each week leading to the June 1 start of hurricane season we will explain one more time window and will outline the procedures that should be followed in preparation for a hurricane strike. Save these columns and keep them close at hand for reference in a real-life storm situation.

Damage nears \$500,000

State investigator called to examine charred remains of Upper Captiva five-plex

By Scott Martell

Two fires in a 14-hour period on Upper Captiva last week severely tested the fledgling Upper Captiva Volunteer Fire Department.

The fires also have residents on this sparsely populated barrier island suspicious as to how the fires might have started — and nervous about the possibility of further fires on the island.

The first and most fierce fire was spotted at 3 a.m. Thursday. By the time it ran its course it had caused nearly \$500,000 in damage to an uncompleted five-plex in the Village at Safety Harbor. Bruce Waters, vice-president of Safety Harbor Corp., said,

"The second fire was noticed at 5 p.m. that same day on what was thought to be a "cold" burn pile. At this site, hoses appeared cut and cardboard boxes were scattered amongst the trees.

Because of the suspicious nature of both fires, Safety Harbor Corp. has hired an off-duty Lee County deputy to patrol the island "as long as we think necessary," Waters said.

"The cause of the fire is still being investigated," said Russ Reed, chief of the Upper Captiva Volunteer Fire Department. Reed has been the

unofficial fire chief of the island for 10 years and recently became chief of the newly formed and trained volunteer fire force.

Joseph Ladika from the state Fire Marshall's office is investigating both incidents. He visited Upper Captiva Friday.

"In a way we suspect arson," Reed said. "But perhaps the fire could have been started by a dropped cigarette that took a long time to start burning. From the time the construction workers left until when the fire started is a very long delay, but then fire is a funny thing."

Waters said he thought both fires were very suspicious. "There appears no identifiable source for the fire," he said. "The building was completely swept out before the workers left. There is no electricity. There was nothing to start a fire except some sort of artificial means."

Monday morning Ladika said the fire burned so hot there was nothing much to go on for his investigation. He added he would visit Upper Captiva again to accumulate more details.

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A matter of priority Council must decide fate of Periwinkle Way pines

By Barbara Brundage

It's a matter of priorities, the City Council decided last week after an on-site inspection of Australian pines along Periwinkle Way. The trees are earmarked for removal to facilitate installation of a storm drainage system and improvements to the bike path.

The council must decide if it is worth sacrificing the safety of the bike path to preserve the ambience provided by Periwinkle's cool canopy of pines.

But time is running out for the council to make that decision, Public Works Director Gary Price said this week. Options open, he said, are to proceed with the \$500,000 storm drainage project that calls for the removal of nine Australian pines along a 1,700-foot stretch of Periwinkle Way between Dixie Beach Boulevard and the county roadside park or go with a revised version as proposed by Councilman Louise Johnson.

By eliminating the concrete

storm gutters on the north side of Periwinkle between Island Moped and Three Crafty Ladies Shop and leaving the drainage as is, seven trees can be saved, Johnson argued. Price said that unless the council decides today which route to follow, start of the project could be delayed so that completion would extend into the height of the hurricane season.

If the decision is made today the second week in June would be the earliest starting date for the project that will require up to 120 days to complete, he said. The bid process alone takes up to 45 days, Price said, adding, "We can't even advertise until we know what the specifications are."

Price said Friday he had had no response to a certified letter to the owner of the property on the south side of Periwinkle Way opposite Three Crafty Ladies regarding whether

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This towering Australian pine in front of McT's restaurant and two others on Periwinkle Way — one at the entrance to the 7-11 convenience store and the second in front of Three Crafty Ladies Shop — have been condemned as safety hazards and will be removed.

'The eight ball in the side pocket...'

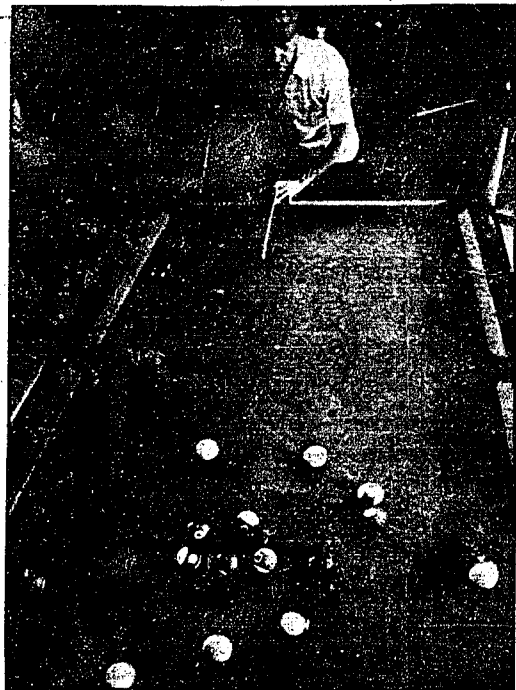
With a crowd of well wishers and spectators looking on, Doug Quimbey won the Sanibel-Captiva American Legion Post 123 pool tournament Saturday at the legion hall on Sanibel-Captiva Road.

The tournament, one of many pool contests held by the legion, drew 16 of the Islands' best players for an afternoon of fun and serious billiards.

Coming in second to Quimbey was Jeff Welker. Charles Miller finished third.

The competitors played in double elimination rounds of eight-ball to decide the winner. In eight-ball the player must clear the pool table of all the balls of a certain color (either stripes or solid) and then sink the eight ball. If a player sinks the eight-ball before he has cleared the rest of his balls he loses the match.

Miller says the legion holds pool tournaments periodically throughout the year and invites anyone who is interested to participate.



Clockwise from top right corner: Bill Covington makes a break; Jerry Welker concentrates on his way to the second place finish in the tournament; a closer look at Bill Covington; third place finisher Charlie Miller makes his move; Jeff Welker takes aim.



By Mark Johnson

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Weather watch

Everybody talks about it...



Island residents and visitors this week can expect mostly fair weather with high forecast in the high 80s and lows in the mid 70s.

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

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Monday, April 23	84	71	0
Tuesday, April 24	82	70	0
Wednesday, April 25	83	62	0
Thursday, April 26	86	71	0
Friday, April 27	86	70	0
Saturday, April 28	86	69	0
Sunday, April 29	85	70	0

Obituary

Carl Peterson

Carl Peterson of Sanibel died last Thursday, April 26, 1984. He was 92.

Peterson moved here 10 years ago from Youngstown, Ohio. He was retired and had been an electrical contractor for 60 years in Youngstown. He was a 50-year member of the Youngstown Kiwanis Club and a member of the NECA.

Peterson is survived by his daughter, Hazel Aron of Sanibel; two brothers, Hugo of Sweden and Ralph of Piedmont, Calif.; a sister, Esther Hanson of Sweden; seven grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and one great granddaughter.

He was preceded in death by his wife, Betty Peterson, and son, Roy Peterson.

Memorial services will be held at a later date in Youngstown. Local arrangements are being made by Phil Kiser Funeral Home of Fort Myers.

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COMMENTARY

Campbell replies to correspondence regarding Spoonbill

A copy of the following letter to Fred Metcalfe, chairman of the Committee of the Islands, was given to The Islander for publication.

Dear Mr. Metcalfe:

Many thanks for your letter of April 20, 1984, which is in prompt reply to mine of April 17, 1984.

I offer this letter to you as an open letter so that other members of COTTI may have an opportunity to contemplate the issues. I propose to discuss the numbered paragraphs of my letter to you and which numbers you track in your reply to me.

1. My original question: Are COTTI board members supportive of Spoonbill?

Your answer: Don't know. My further question: Why don't you know? After all, Spoonbill concepts are at variance with COTTI by-laws: "insure that orderly growth and development proceeds as may be consistent with the preservation of the unique and natural characteristics of the island" (by-law 3) and "give aid to public officials..." generally to promote

the establishment, realization and maintenance of good local land use" (by-law 6).

Spoonbill has been denied by "public officials" (to whom COTTI is supposed to give aid, see above).

The planning staff and the Planning Commission are both on record as opposing Spoonbill. At the April 22 Planning Commission meeting a joint CONA/COTTI official stated to me COTTI would not take a stand in the Spoonbill issue because a former COTTI chairman is principal sponsor of Spoonbill. Can this be the reason?

2. My original question/comment: The file proves this project to be contrary to basic COTTI principles.

Your answer: At its last meeting on April 23 the COTTI board unanimously reaffirmed COTTI's longstanding position that whatever development projects of whatever nature are not within the scope of the association's concern.

My further comments/question: The described COTTI policy concerning "parochial"

projects may be sound. But only if "parochial" in this context means "neighborhood" issues. But did the COTTI board actually consider the Spoonbill project in this context? If so it would be interesting to know how the members reasoned that a proposal that so sharply differs from the official view of CLUP (which is law, after all) and therefore would affect all citizens, could possibly be "parochial."

Come on now, Mr. Metcalfe, let's be realistic! Even the Spoonbill sponsors argue that this would be of benefit (which I deny) to all Sanibel citizens. I certainly concur that all of Sanibel would be affected. How can a reasonable person call that "parochial"? I can't find this "parochial" policy in the by-laws.

3. The ex-COTTI chairman and present Spoonbill chairman has assured me that ROGO will be followed and no exemptions will be sought. So ROGO is no longer of concern to me.

4. Wetlands control: I don't think "waste water management" is, as you

suggest, "wetland control." As stated, I believe false/false re: wetlands is preferable to what is proposed. Your answers would seem to indicate you do not understand my question.

5. My original comment: Any COTTI board member who supports this project is in conflict with COTTI standards and principles.

Your reply: As pointed out in (2) above, this is not a matter of COTTI's concern as an organization.

My further comment: Is your comment a consensus of the whole board? Or is it your own opinion? I would like to attend your next board meeting. The first chairman of COTTI, Harrison Smith, always made me welcome at board meetings where issues were discussed in which I had an interest. I trust that policy has not been changed.

May I have your early reply? Many thanks.

Sincerely,
George Campbell
Sanibel

Refuge manager expresses thanks to volunteers after busy season

To the Editor
The Islander

Now that the island's "busy visitor season" is at an end, the staff at the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge would like to take an opportunity to thank all those who have helped the refuge this year.

Without the 62 refuge volunteers, many visitors would not have received a pleasant refuge visit. For example:

•Without Dr. K.C. Emerson's weekly list of bird sightings, many questions as to "what unusual birds have been seen" might have gone unanswered, leaving disgruntled, dissatisfied visitors.

•How would you, as a visitor, feel if no one was at the Visitor Center information counter to answer your questions about "How long is the Wildlife Drive?" and "Where can I see the alligators?"

But this does not happen, thanks to volunteers like Pat Walker, Ginny Ferrer, Karen Dvorin, Martha Ryckman, Millie Ford, Joe and Verna Beaver, Jeanne and Tom Quick and many others. Also, many visitors' words of thanks have been received because of Russ and Jane Francis',

Dusty Buckley's and other rovers' bits of information dispersed along the Wildlife Drive.

•Thanks to The Islander newspaper staff, refuge visitors are able to traverse the Gasparilla Trail without getting a tree branch in the face or muddy feet. Thank you, Cindy Chalmers and staff, for your monthly "Maintenance-Trail" trips during which you accomplish necessary trail maintenance.

•Then there are people like Barbara Hudson, Paul Brundage and Bud Ryckman who have made the "Ding" Darling Wildlife Society book sales outlet a viable, valuable and workable refuge asset.

•And without the assistance of the local media the refuge would not be successful in getting information out about wildlife. The willingness of island newspapers to cover refuge events and run refuge articles is of great assistance.

Thank you one and all from the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge staff.

Sincerely,
Ron Hight, manager
J.N. "Ding" Darling Refuge

Police chief commends undercover officer

A copy of the following letter to Officer Vicki Morgan was given to The Islander for publication.

Dear Vicki:

This letter is our departmental way of commending you for your actions and investigative techniques that caused the arrest of eighteen (18) misguided individuals for sale and distribution of cocaine and marijuana on Sanibel.

You performed your assigned duties

in a thoroughly professional manner, frequently at great risks to your personal safety.

On behalf of the members of the Sanibel Police Department and our citizens, may I express our appreciation.

Sincerely,
John Butler
Chief of Police
Sanibel

Alice in Wetland or Through the Spartina Grass

To see or not to see? That is the question That soon may give Council acute indignation.

A spoonbill is one bird we someday may see Alight on a bunker

Instead of a tree. Where gull carts, with chaulfours, Will chase after gophers Odd Tuesdays from noon until three.

Ray Fenlon's right — this ought to be "The Issue of the Season". Mackenzie Hall will guarantee As many as can squeeze in.

Joe Searing
Sanibel

SCCF research chairman says residents should watch barn owl nests

To the Editor
The Islander

The Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation is pleased to announce that a third barn owl nest box is in use. Several young owls are being reared in the nest box on the home of Myrtle and Hugh Irwin.

The 50 barn owl nest boxes were installed in 1980 as a project of the Research Committee of the SCCF. Two of these nest boxes have been used for the past three years and have produced 15 young barn owls. Now the third box on the Irwin home will continue to expand our supply of self-

setting rat traps — the barn owls. All those other 47 nest boxes should be watched carefully. The Irwins did not know they had nesting owls until the young were more than three weeks old.

Kenneth Preston, chairman,
SCCF Research Committee

To our readers Something to say?

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COMMENTARY

Michigan reader continues exchange about Below Market Rate Housing

To the Editor
The Islander

It seems that Mrs. Eicher (The Islander, Commentary, April 3, 1984) is displeased with Mr. Prentiss' view of the Below Market Rate Housing situation, and I wonder whether I might engage her in a brief dialogue on your Commentary page. She seems to take too long a stride on too short a dock.

"Apparently he (Prentiss) feels one must 'earn' the right to live there..."

I didn't know there was any other way. There's none other mentioned in the Constitution — either that of the United States or of Florida. Surprising how many of us have forgotten that the U.S. Constitution guaranteed the right to pursue happiness and provided no guarantee of its enjoyment.

"... an island of complacent aged and/or wealthy citizens who have 'made it'..."

You've been there, Mrs. E., and know full well that there are few of the former, plenty of the latter — and a pleasant variety of almost everything between.

"Why, in a pluralistic society such as ours, should there not be living accommodations for persons with a variety of financial means?"

Are there not... even in Florida? Fort Myers? Nice? Surely you didn't mean to limit your question to one small barrier island.

"I'll wager there aren't enough

residents there who would be willing to fill the mostly service jobs available...."

You win that bet, hands down. That's why, of course, they come pouring in from the mainland. The way domestics and gardeners pour into Grosse Pointe Shores from Detroit, East Detroit, St. Clair Shores, etc., etc. Or into Shaker Heights from Cleveland. Am I making my point?

"Those of moderate means... are not 'asking for a Mercedes-Benz at affordable prices.' They simply want decent housing at a reasonable cost."

You'll have to run that one by me again. I guess what you are saying is that decent housing (on Sanibel Island) is not analogous to driving a top-of-the-line automobile, and that "affordable prices" is not quite the same as "reasonable cost." I'll have to study up on that one a while.

I can readily accept that most of the concerned, interested and knowledgeable of Sanibel residents are not the most wealthy. Forgive me if I hark back to the notion that they must be the "complacent aged." You don't buy that, either. We both know too many islanders who just don't fit those extreme descriptions. What the true, landowning islanders do have in common, however, is that they made it on their own. God Bless 'em for the achievers they are!

William Rogers
Whitmore Lake, Mich.

Former CEPD commissioner makes one more effort to encourage interim protection of Captiva shores

To the Editor
The Islander

Apparently my public resignation has stirred the stagnant blood of some Captiva Erosion Prevention District commissioners and awakened feelings of guilt. That's fine.

My resignation letter does not "reaffirm that I am against beach nourishment." I have signed previous polls that I am for nourishment by any and all methods, not only by dredging. I just plead for protection of our beach while funds for dredging are sought.

I am no neophyte in this matter. I have been aware of the problem since 1948, when we still had a road fronting from the S curve to (then) Palm Avenue. I did my reading and homework since that time, and I don't understand how "an enlightened stand by me in July of 1983" would have allowed the CEPD to be "protecting the island by now." Since I have read the available material and am therefore "enlightened," go ahead and protect the beaches NOW!

The nine inaccuracies (CEPD Commissioner John Burr) claims are in my letter of resignation are all truisms, not inaccuracies. Mr. Burr is

trying to provide a facile smokescreen to hide his own inactivity and opposition to expediting all additional methods of preserving our beach.

I certainly am aware and cognizant of the pitfalls in permitting procedures. His moralizing statements seem to be a self-cleansing action. He says the seaweed project permits have not been applied for because, "We don't want them yet." Read the newspaper minutes. The CEPD voted for this project. The CEPD earmarked money for this project. Read the minutes. Don't throw stones when you live in a glass house.

Perhaps, as a matter of semantics, the term "additional methods" could be substituted for "alternate methods" and be more expeditious. Go ahead with some additional methods while seeking dredging funds. Having disbanded the Alternate Methods Committee, perhaps the commissioners could get some experienced engineering and legal advice as to how to proceed. They need it.

Leo Hochselder, M.D.
Captiva

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MUNICIPAL RECORDS

By Barbara Brundage

After long Spoonbill discussion, commission finishes agenda items

Among decisions made last Monday afternoon was one to permit eight condominium units on the gulf-front site that now accommodates the old-Island style Segunda Apartments.

The Planning Commission spent the entire morning at its regular session last week pondering Spoonbill Golf and Tennis Club Inc.'s request to develop an 18-hole golf course with 160 home sites on land surrounding the former Casa Ybel air strip.

After 2½ hours of input from island conservationists and environmentalists who opposed the project, the commissioners recommended City Council denial.

It took less than two hours in the afternoon for the commission to decide on the six remaining agenda items.

By a unanimous vote, with Commissioner Mary Wegmuller absent, the commissioners approved a development permit for an eight-unit condominium to replace the 10-unit Segunda Apartments on the gulf at 3049 West Gulf Drive.

Segunda is one of the last of the old island-style resorts remaining on Sanibel. The existing structures and a

chickee hut and shuffleboard court forward of the Coastal Construction Setback Line will be removed.

Because there is not enough recreation open space on the site for units of high impact, rental of the new units will be limited to periods of one month or more.

The commission also approved unanimously a specific amendment to permit construction of two tennis courts on a three-acre site down the street from Sand Pointe condominium for use of the resident owners.

The residentially zoned site directly west of the new Sea Gull subdivision is outside the resort housing area. The condominium association previously was denied its use as open space to qualify Sand Pointe as units of high impact.

But the planning staff explained last week the current request was different because the proposed use was for the multi-family development and was not included as recreation open space for resort housing.

The courts will be set back 275 feet from the front property line on West Gulf Drive. Limited parking will be provided.

With only Commissioner Henry McKee dissenting, the commission approved Derek and Joan Adams' plans to stabilize the banks of a pond near their home in Kearns subdivision by laying sections of tree trunks on the slope and covering with fill.

Erosion of the bank makes Hurricane Lane, the private access road that runs close to the pond, hazardous for vehicles, Adams said.

The planning staff recommended relocation of the road farther from the pond as the best solution to the problem.

But the commission agreed to let the

Adams stabilize the bank with fill on the condition that the bank is significantly vegetated with species of plants that will easily survive.

The commission overrode the planning staff recommendation and voted unanimously to allow Robert and Lois Kessler to keep a 15-year-old Brazilian pepper tree in their yard in Del Sega subdivision.

Removal of the pepper tree, which is considered undesirable by the city, was a condition of approval of a development permit issued when the Kesslers built an addition to their home in January 1983.

But rather than lose the tree that supplies shade and privacy, the Kesslers requested a specific amendment to the CLUP restriction.

The Kesslers said the tree has not produced berries in years. They agreed to take out two smaller specimens and not to allow any new seedlings to propagate.

The commission denied Richard and Sally Gilliland a request for an increase in density from one to two units on a .67-acre lot on Cardium Street in

the Sanibel Shores subdivision. The land is in the center of a natural retention area and "even one house on this site would be in the midst of a swamp," Commissioner Jerry Muench said.

Deviations to permit Carville Cross to construct a swimming pool and screen enclosure that encroaches into the rear yard setback of his home on Sandcastle Road in the Dunes and to allow Rochester Resorts to add porches to six units at the Castaways Resorts at Bilad Pass were granted with little comment from the commission.

The planning staff perceived little impact from either improvement on adjoining properties.

Cross' pool borders an open space area not designated for development. The 7x9-foot screened porches will replace a plaster and concrete walkway that runs along the south side of the Castaways building on Cocoonay Avenue and will not increase the impermeable surface, the staff reported.



The Segunda Apartments will be leveled to make room for condos.

City wants citizens to learn CPR technique

Sanibel city officials are encouraging all citizens to learn the proper methods of providing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). When properly administered the procedure enhances the chance of survival for a victim of cardiac arrest.

In a resolution adopted last month the City Council expressed particular concern that employees and staff members of businesses and establishments where significant number of people gather (such as restaurants, theaters, resort

complexes and churches) are trained in the life-saving CPR technique.

Classes leading to CPR certification or recertification are being offered by the Sanibel Fire Department. Arrangements for groups or individuals to take the 12-hour course can be made by calling 472-5225.

A small fee will be charged to cover the cost of books and other materials used in the course.

The technique of administering the airway obstruction procedure to relieve

persons choking on food is included in the CPR curriculum.

Police Lt. Ray Rhodes said that since 1975 the lives of three persons have been saved in island restaurants by the prompt action of employees who were trained in CPR.

Mayor Fred Valtin in a letter to island residents personally encourages all islanders to take part in this worthwhile training program.

Coming up at City Hall

A list of scheduled City Council and Planning Commission meetings

Tuesday, May 1, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — Regular meeting of the City Council. 5:01 p.m. — Public hearing and second reading of an ordinance imposing a moratorium for up to six months on development in parts of the area designated as the proposed new Wetlands Preservation District.

Monday, May 7, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — Regular meeting of the Planning Commission.

Tuesday, May 15, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — Regular meeting of the City Council.

State senator asks for city comments on land bank bill

State Sen. Frank Mann has asked for City Council comment on a proposed draft of a bill modeled after the Nantucket Land Banking proposal.

The proposal would authorize municipalities on barrier islands to impose a 2 percent sales tax on real estate transactions. Proceeds from the tax would be earmarked for the acquisition of environmentally sensitive land and other land for public recreational use within the municipality.

Mayor Fred Valtin said he would ask for input from the council at today's regular meeting to strengthen the legislation.

Mann, who volunteered to investigate the legality

of this form of taxation under the Florida Constitution, sent Valtin a draft of the proposed legislation last week.

The state senator said he was uncertain as to how much progress on the measure can be made during the current legislative session. "Our efforts to get the measure passed are hampered by the lack of a counterpart bill in the House of Representatives," Mann wrote.

Valtin said he was pleased by the progress made so far. "I had expected that probably only the constitutionality of the procedure could be determined."

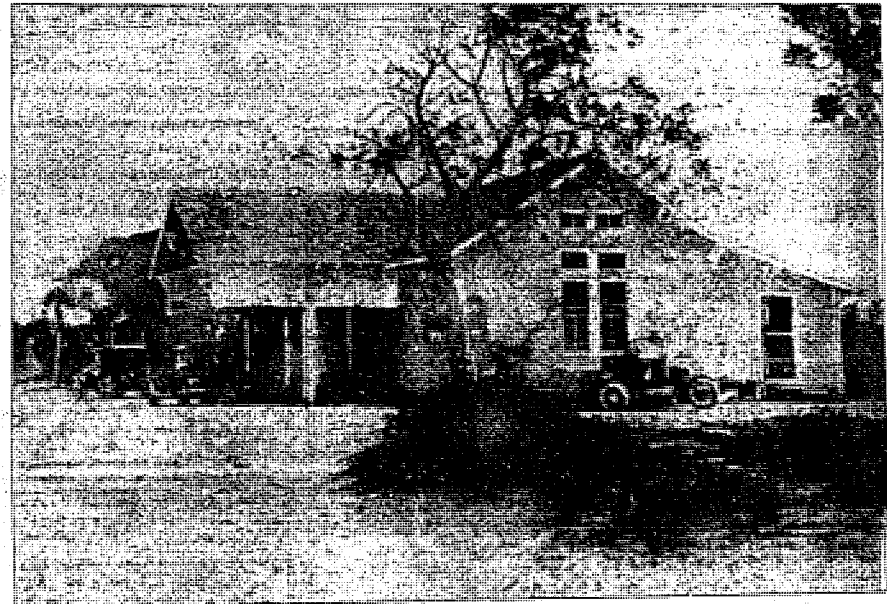
As in Nantucket, implementing a real estate tax

on property on Florida's barrier islands would require a special act of the Legislature and approval by a referendum of the electors in the municipality.

The council is considering the feasibility of levying such a tax as one source of income for Sanibel to acquire environmentally sensitive lands on the island.

City Manager Bernie Murphy has estimated that based on the 1983 real estate sales on Sanibel a 2 percent real estate transfer tax would have produced \$2.3 million in revenue for the city.

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MUNICIPAL RECORDS

Sea Oats stop work order partially lifted

A stop work order placed on the illegal clearing of five lots in Sea Oats subdivision off West Gulf Drive last Monday was partially lifted at week's end.

Code Enforcement Officer Dick Baker said Friday Capetown Development Corporation had agreed to replace the native vegetation bulldozed from the property and will be allowed to continue work on lots one through five and on the road fronting these lots.

In addition to illegally stripping native spartina grass and leather ferns from the land, Baker said, Capetown is in violation because it failed to get permits from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers and the state Department of Environmental Regulation to

fill and excavate the land that was zoned lowlands wetlands in 1973. The average elevation of the 15 lots in Sea Oats II is below two feet MSL, Baker said.

John VanHeest, Capetown's president, said he had a letter from the Army corps stating permits were not required.

But Baker said that exemption applied only to construction of the road. He said Van Heest had agreed to meet with him and representatives of the Army corps and DEP Monday to work out the permitting problems.

Residents of the nearby East Rocks neighborhood had complained to City Hall about the vegetation clearing.

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A full service mobile unit is available at Miron Plaza on San Carlos Boulevard just off Sanibel from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Wednesday, Thursday and Friday (except the fourth Friday of the month). The mobile unit will accept payment of:

- Property taxes (current year only)
- Tangible taxes
- Sewer, water and road assessments (current billing only)
- Ambulance service payments

Delinquent taxes will not be accepted. They must be paid at the tax collector's office in the Lee County Courthouse, downtown Fort Myers.

In addition to renewals, the following can be purchased at the mobile unit:

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The local United Way Community Coordinating Council has compiled and published a 1983 Directory of Community Services listing more than 250 agencies and organizations in Lee County that provide "people services."

The publication is an excellent reference for information and referral and is available at the council office, 2517 Second St., Fort Myers, 33901, 334-7135.

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BUSINESS NEWS

By Scott Martell

Season might be over, but the work is just beginning at Bailey's shopping center

The busy winter season pace has slowed at many places on the Islands, but at Bailey's Shopping Center work has already started on a two-pronged facelift and reorganization.

The first stage of the work began last week. A combination of laundromat and ice cream shop is under construction between Sprather's Dry Cleaning and Bailey's Clothing Store.

The new business has been in the works for almost a year and a half, Mike Guinac, manager at Bailey's, said. The work should be completed within 60-70 days, he added.

Bailey's still operates the laundromat adjacent to the grocery store, but that space will be vacated when the new laundromat is complete.

That will open up about 1,300 square feet for the second phase of Bailey's revamping, Guinac said.

Bailey's grocery will expand and add a gourmet wine and cheese shop. "We plan to do it in canvas and use natural light from skylights," Guinac said, adding he plans to stock cheeses, fresh flowers, wines and some gourmet foods. The addition should be open in six to nine months.

The addition of 1,300 square feet to the grocery will make Bailey's approximately 17,000 square feet.

Right now, however, Guinac is busy with the ice cream shop and laundromat. He said the ice

A gourmet wine and cheese shop, modernized laundromat and old-fashioned "fountain" style ice cream shop are part of the planned facelift and expansion at the shopping center.

cream shop will be strictly take-out and will be modeled in the old "fountain" style. He is still negotiating for a specific type of ice cream -- "a new Italian-type with 15 percent butterfat and the consistency of laffy."

The new laundromat will be more efficient and modern than the present one and will have all new dryers, Guinac said.

Lowman named BOTI executive vice president

James Lowman has been promoted to executive vice president and elected to the board of directors at Bank of the Islands. The announcement was made last week by James Hermes, BOTI president.

Lowman joined the bank in 1976 as assistant cashier and has worked his way up through various levels of responsibility. He is currently responsible for all internal and financial operations at the bank.

Bank of the Islands has three offices on Sanibel, Captiva and Pine Island, four automatic teller machines and total assets of approximately \$80 million dollars.



James Lowman

Timbers adds new assistant manager



William Wood

William Wood has been named the new assistant manager at Timbers Restaurant and Fish Market. The announcement was made last week by Matt Asen, Timbers manager.

A Vermont native, Wood has been the head chef at Timbers for the past five years. He started in restaurant work at the Puffing Pelican on Sanibel.

In his new position at Timbers, Wood will be in charge of purchasing, employees and quality controls, Asen said.

Wood joins Martha Bagnell in management at Timbers. Bagnell has served as bookkeeper for the past three years and has served as Sunday manager throughout the season. The 150-seat restaurant on Rabbit Road employs 45 people.

Beachview Cottages included in 1984 Mobil Travel Guide

Beachview Cottages on Sanibel's West Gull Drive has been listed in the 1984 editions of the Mobil Travel Guide.

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Automatic bank tellers such as those at Bailey's and Jerry's on Sanibel are becoming popular items. There are about 600 ATM's in Florida and, judging from this photograph, the machines are so simple they can be used by anybody, even this sea lion named Clyde. Photo courtesy of Sea World.

Local realtor named Exchangor of the Month

Ralph Call of Ralph Call Realty has been named Exchangor of the Month by the Florida Real Estate Exchangors, an organization of approximately 1,000 members in 30 states.

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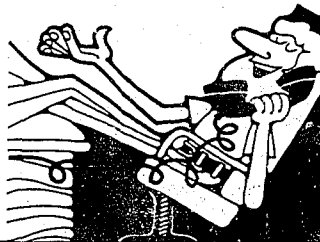
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Market analysis

Experts advise: Don't run the risk of financial drowning

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There are only two pieces of advice to give someone in the middle of a large body of water -- (1) tread water to stay afloat and save energy, and (2) wait for help.

Both long term investors and traders in the stock market are in a similar situation and should take the same advice unless they want to run the risk of drowning financially.

The action of the market remains mixed and trendless despite a number of excuses for a little rally. Thus, we see no reason to be bold and use up cash reserves (energy) until help arrives.

Help will come from the stock market itself when we see improved momentum and breadth. Until then, tread water.

Timing is everything in any market place, and

being a little late to catch a trend is vastly superior to trying to anticipate a change in trend. The former makes successes; the latter causes drownings.

In the very short term, we still believe a rally to the Dow 1180 to 1200 area is possible with help coming from an overdue bond market bounce and the recent pickup in bearishness. However, in our opinion, the bond market still does not fully reflect that the economy will probably again turn too strong. This conjures up renewed fear of inflation and increased corporate demand for credit, which means the final lows from the bond market have not been seen. Also, the technical market indicators we monitor still say we have the pre-conditions for a little holding action but not a major bottom.

The dull action of the Dow Industrials does not bother us. Rather it is the fact that the vast majority of individual stocks and groups act poorly.

As most know, not all stocks will bottom at the

same time. And even if we are correct and the market takes a trip to the bottom of our Dow 1075 to 1125 projected trading range, a few stocks will go up.

But in such a selective environment only the most aggressive and nimble should try to exploit those few. Our inflation concern is fortified by the fact that most of the few positive groups such as oil and gold are considered inflation hedges.

M&M candy is a sweet energy source. The market's M&M duo, the monetary and momentum indicators, remain whirlpools for the unwary.

Market analyst Al Goldman bases his report on market conditions as of Tuesday, April 24. Address questions or comments about this week's market analysis to Mark Webb, A.G. Edwards and Sons, 3164 W. First St., Fort Myers, FL 33801, or call Webb at 334-3355.



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Dunes homeowners take over management from Mariner

The annual homeowners' association meeting for Dunes owners March 13 signified a turning point in Dunes history. After 3 1/2 years Mariner handed over management duties to the association. Only 11 homesites remain to be sold in the development. Sell-out is expected by the end of April.

Pictured here are new directors of the association: Warren Kelly, president; Frances Falvey, Virginia McKee, Bruce Drobnik, Jim Dorman and Jack Samler. Also elected but not pictured was Al Rosen, Dunes club manager.



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POLICE BEAT

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

A resident of Junonia Street reported his blue and gold macaw named "Victor" was missing from his

home Sunday evening, April 22.

Police searched the area around Parview Drive after they received reports of gunshots around 10 p.m. Sunday, April 22. Officers found several children setting off fireworks.

The children were taken to their parents and told to turn over to police all the remaining fireworks.

A Chateaux Sur Mer resident complained to police that a man was driving around Tahiti Drive preaching

over two loudspeakers that were mounted on top of his car Monday afternoon, April 23. Police found Thomas Henry of 990 Sandcastle Road and advised him of the complaint.

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Henry agreed to stop the preaching. No further action was necessary.

A Harbour Lane resident reported a spare tire and wheel were missing from his car Monday afternoon, April 23.

A Unionville, Conn., woman told police she accidentally left a pair of binoculars in the restroom at the Lighthouse Monday afternoon, April 23. When she returned to get the Bushnell glasses they were gone.

A large group of young people was dispersed and their beach fire extinguished upon request from officers

around 10 p.m. Monday, April 23. Police were alerted to the fire by a resident of Kings Crown condominiums.

Police found a 16-year-old Bloomfield, Mich., girl asleep face down on the beach around 1 a.m. Tuesday, April 24. When she was awakened the girl said she had had too much to drink and fell asleep on her way back to a nearby condominium. Police escorted her to the condominium.

A Kalamazoo, Mich., woman reported she had lost a 14 karat gold bracelet valued at \$550 either at Sanibel Moorings condominiums or at

the Sanitva Mini Mart plaza Tuesday morning, April 24.

An anonymous complainant reported people were feeding and playing with an alligator at the county park on Periwinkle Way Tuesday afternoon, April 24. Police responded to the scene but found no one playing with an alligator.

Police searched the area around Pinetree Lane late Wednesday night, April 24, after a resident reported she had heard two male voices outside her home. Although police found no one suspicious in the area they did find fresh footprints around the house.

Clarification

In last week's story about a police investigation resulting in the arrests of 12 people on drug trafficking charges it was reported that two of those charged were either employed at or formerly employed at McT's restaurant. McT's owner Buddy Locicero said neither Robert Petersen nor Dan Calton were employed at his restaurant at the time the arrests were made.

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CLUB NEWS

May is education month for local businesswomen

The Sanibel-Captiva Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will recognize scholarship recipients and emphasize the association's concern with the advancement of women through education at the regular monthly meeting Thursday, May 10 at the Sanibel Hilton.

The ABWA's objective is to promote professional, educational, cultural and social advancement of women in business. The association believes that advancement and promotion must be earned.

Through various fund raising efforts each chapter builds a scholarship fund to be awarded to deserving young women to continue their education. The local scholarship recipients to date are Deborah Drobnyk, University of Georgia; Slobhan McDermott, enrolling in either the University of California or the University of Hawaii; and Judith Workman, Indiana

University. Workman will take her bar exam this year.

Last year the ABWA's 2,000 chapters nationwide awarded more than \$2 million in scholarships.

The May 10 meeting will begin at 8:30 a.m. at the Hilton. The guest speaker will be Dr. Linda Lopez McAlister, dean of the University of South Florida.

Any woman who is employed in the area is invited to attend ABWA meetings. For reservations call Florene Higgins by May 7, 472-0900 days or 482-3786 evenings. Membership information can be obtained from Eleanor Bouwman, 472-1222 days or 463-9956 evenings. Visiting ABWA members are always welcome by calling the above number for reservations.

Christian women plan spring banquet

The Sanibel-Captiva Christian Women's Club invites the public to a luncheon at 11:30 a.m. this Friday, May 4, at the Sundial. Flower arrangements by Charlotte Fischer of The New Leaf will be featured.

The guest speaker will be Betty Blackwell of Fort Myers. Music will be provided by Dianne La Cruz. Free nursery service is available. For reservations call Lrvia Caine, 472-4275, or Betty Partridge, 466-5653. Tickets are \$6.75.

Rotarians announce availability of \$1,000 for annual scholarship

The trust fund of the Sanibel-Captiva Rotary Club proudly announces the approval of the third annual scholarship for continuing education.

The recipient of the award will receive \$1,000 for the payment of college tuition, books, and/or room and board for the academic year 1984-85.

To be eligible a student must reside on Sanibel or Captiva, graduate from high school in 1984 and attend a junior college, college or university on a full-time basis for the academic year 1984-85.

The recipient will be chosen by the following criteria:

*Scholarship achievement based on high school transcripts.

*Oral interview conducted by the Rotary Selection Committee.

The club urges all eligible individuals to submit their names to the Rotary Club, Box 686, Sanibel, FL 33957, before May 4. For more information call Mark Webb, 472-9492.

CLUB NEWS

Kiwanians will hear representative from tax assessor's office

The Sanibel-Captiva Kiwanis Club will meet at 7:30 a.m. this Wednesday, May 2, in the Captiva Room at Sundial. A representative from the county tax assessor's office will be the guest speaker.

Kiwanians and guests are invited to join the Island members for breakfast each Wednesday morning at the Sundial.



Sanibel Librarian Pat Robertson, right, accepts a check for \$150 from Sanibel-Captiva Kiwanis Club members John Wilcox, left, and John Cooke, center. The funds will be used to purchase large print books for the visually impaired. Photo by Mark Johnson.

Weekly Health Tip
From Lou Kessler

INSECTICIDES

During the past 20 years, fruit growers and farmers have more than doubled their use of insecticides and have increasingly suffered from aplastic anemia and leukemia. Although no proof of cause and effect, LANGET suggests that many of these bone marrow disorders result from exposure to insecticide mist or fog. Children, it seems, are more susceptible than adults, and insecticide inhalation is more dangerous for them than skin contact. Exposure to insecticide mist or fog for only a few hours can produce symptoms weeks later.

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State investigator called to examine charred remains of Upper Captiva five-plex from page 1

"It was a very thorough burn, which doesn't help our investigation," he said, adding that from the burn pattern it was clear that the fire had started in the center of the construction.

"If the building was indeed swept out and clean of sawdust piles, then there is no possible way a cigarette could have caused the fire," Ladika added.



Because the construction was up on posts, the fire was well ventilated and burned quickly. The fact that the construction was above the ground also makes it difficult to detect whether liquid petroleum was used to deliberately set the fire. If a bomb is on ground level, investigators often find traces in the dirt or sand under the structure, Ladika explained.

Ladika said the fire would have been hard to stop in the Safety Harbor building even if it were located in a less isolated area. The all-wood construction and the draft through the raised structure helped completely burn the building.

Both Reed and Waters were very pleased with the ability of the new volunteer fire department.

"We were a little green, but we contained it," Reed said.

"You have to marvel at the volunteer force," Waters said. "The fire could have been potentially very dangerous. The firefighters prevented a real disaster."

About 20 firefighters battled the early morning blaze. Ten of those firefighters are certified volunteer firefighters recently trained in firefighting techniques.

A boat came from Pine Island and another from Captiva bringing additional help to the Island

residents who were fighting the fire. The boat from Captiva brought Waters and Captiva Fire Chief John Bates.

"We really are indebted to (Lee County Commissioner) Porter Goss, who made us aware we had inadequate fire protection," Waters said. "For the last few months we've really been working on it."

Last October Lee County officials decreed no more building permits would be issued in areas without adequate fire protection — that included Upper Captiva and about 20 percent of the rest of the county.

With that stimulus, Upper Captivans got busy. About 19 volunteers, including men and women, have been trained in fire fighting techniques. A pumper truck has been bought from the Sanibel Fire Department, and Islanders are considering further fire protection measures.

These measures had their first test Thursday morning.

Upper Captiva resident Ellizabeth Gulden woke up at about 3 a.m. and through her half-raised blinds saw what she thought was a spectacular sunrise. A closer look at the glow showed her a fiercely glowing

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Council must decide fate of Periwinkle Way pines from page 1

he would be willing to dedicate an easement to relocate the bicycle path behind two pine trees scheduled to go down.

Johnson had suggested seeking the easement as a way to save the trees.

At the April 17 meeting the council agreed that the three large pines — at

McT's, 7-11 and Three Crafty Ladies — that impair the visibility of drivers turning onto Periwinkle Way should be removed regardless of the decision made on the drainage project.

Johnson said sacrificing trees was not her only objection to the drainage project, which seemed to her to be

"overkill."

"We're not required to drain every drop of water off Periwinkle," she said. "Or to eliminate every risk to cyclists riding on the bike path."

But Mayor Fred Vallin said it was a question of responsibility and liability.

"Our highest priority is to make the

bike path more safe," he said. "I can't accept any longer the growing number of accidents."

"I can't compromise this project for the sake of six trees," he added.

"Unless we get this underway within a week we may have to postpone it for another year."

State investigator called to examine charred remains of Upper Captiva five-plex continued

Gulden quickly began a series of phone calls, including calls to Waters on Captiva and Reed on Upper Captiva. Reed contacted his firefighters, who quickly raced to the blaze.

Todd and Sandy Reynolds were the first to the fire, which was already burning out of control. Around the structure trees were flaring up like candles. While the Reynolds, who are certified firefighters, worked to get the pumper truck started, burning embers rained down on them.

After the truck's water supply was pumped on the fire the firefighters took the truck to the bay to refill the tank. But the truck became mired in the sand and the firefighters were left to fight the fire with garden hoses.

They concentrated on containing the fire, watering down the trees and nearby structures.

"There was an A-plex right next to the burning building, but the wind was blowing from the east and the other building was hardly touched," said Jeanne Creagh, an Island resident who helped fight the fire.

"With a 16 to 15-mph east wind we could have seen a wildfire situation all the way to the golf," Waters said. "But we didn't because of the organization of the fire crew. They first went after the fire in the trees, then hoosed down the buildings close by, and then put out the fire in the townhouse."

The Island firefighters received help from Pine Island and Captiva by 4:30 a.m. and the fire was out by about 6:30. By then all that remained of the structure was in charred piles.

"The second fire in the Safety Harbor 'burn site' was noticed about 8:30 that same afternoon about 1/4 mile from the first blaze.

Safety Harbor construction workers had tested their burn site early that day and it was completely cold. Then they placed cardboard boxes on the pile

"The fires certainly showed us what a real fire is.

"And there's no doubt we do need more equipment. Some of the Lee County fire chiefs are talking about putting together a care package of equipment for us."

Russ Reed
Upper Captiva fire chief



to be burned later. But by 5:30 that evening flames were jumping more than six feet high.

"It looked like the hoses by the burn pile had had their nozzles cut off," Creagh said. "And some cardboard boxes had been scattered all around the nearby trees. Whether there's a pyromaniac out there or we are all just getting a bit panicky we can't be sure."

"The cardboard boxes were scattered about as if it were intentional," Reed said.

"A lot of us still don't believe all this has happened," Creagh said. "We all learned tremendous lessons. I think we also realize we must become even more professional in fire fighting."

"The fires certainly showed us what a real fire is," Reed said. "And there's no doubt we do need more equipment. Some of the Lee County fire chiefs are talking about putting together a care package of equipment for us."

Reed added that they definitely need a better water supply. "Out here on Upper Captiva isn't like being in town," he said. "We don't have fire hydrants on every block."

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Brian Engen, 13, a self-avowed "shell nut," found his first juvenile snail one morning last week as he scoured the beach by Sung Harbor condominiums.

Brian found the prized shell after three years of trying during his family's annual two-week vacation on the island. Finding the shell made the journey from Crosslake, Minn., well worth the distance. Photo by Scott Martell.



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- Taking fish or shellfish out of season

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- Selling or buying snook, a species of Special Concern, or other gamefish
- Using chlorine or any chemicals to

- take fish or crayfish
- Possessing snook during January, February, June and July.

Many other types of violations exist, be they on the beaches and shores, or in boats or on public lands. The Islander will print other examples for each of the next four weeks.

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Gibby's - Next to Huxters Market on Periwinkle Way, Tuesday through Thursday and Saturday and Sunday evenings hear Ty Heston; Friday from 8 p.m. to midnight hear Dooley's Dixie Five.

Morgan's Lounge - At the Sundial, Middle Gulf Drive, Sanibel. Through May hear Simonds and Martin play a variety of original, rock 'n' roll and jazz tunes from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tuesday through Sunday.

Peppers - In the Tahitian Garden shopping center on Periwinkle Way, Sanibel. This week hear Bang Gang play rock 'n' roll and dance music from 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. Tuesday through Sunday. No cover. Dancing. Every Monday from 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. is "Open Mike Night" - bring your instrument.

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COMMENTARY

Islander applauds Ohio reader's thoughts on below market rate housing

To the Editor
The Islander
The BMRH question goes on, and on...and on!
The article in The Islander of April 3, 1984, from Marlan Elcher, Cleveland, Ohio, zeroes in on a very moot point.
We who came here to Sanibel to live on a quiet barrier island never engaged a "wildly blown" tourist attraction. For sure, we did not ask for a Mercedes or for those who professed

SCCF thanks shopping center for coins

To the Editor
The Islander
We are pleased to learn that the shop owners in Periwinkle Place voted to give the coins-in-the-fountain to the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation.
We want to assure all of them that this money will be used for our programs of conservation education, research, environmental affairs and land conservation. We hope that the fountain will continue to be productive and SCCF continues to benefit.
William Webb, chairman
SCCF board of directors

Children's Center directors thank bake sale helpers

To the Editor
The Islander
Thank you parents, teachers and supporters for all your help in making the Children's Center bake sale a success. Special thanks to Julie DeVere and especially Barbara Dalton, who is always so willing to help wherever she can.
The proceeds of close to \$300 will be donated to the Martha and Burwell (Bud) Ryckman Scholarship Fund.
Karen Dvortin
for the board of directors
Children's Center of the Islands

Resident offers 'Observations of a Tourist'

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Barbara Woodruff
Sanibel

Sanibel shelling inspires poetry

Kitten's Paw
Walking down the beach one morn
Minding my own biz
I'll stoop to get another shell
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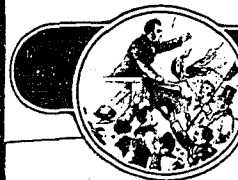
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1. Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance (10:00)
2. Approval of minutes of 4-11-84 and 4-17-84
3. Planning Commission report
4. City Attorney's report
a) Memorandum re: Bowman's beach hood/ridge
b) Memorandum re: Buttonwood costs (outer island)
c) Resolution recognizing the contributions of the Duck Slough project over the past 30 years to the conservation of natural wetlands; and cooperating the Department of Interior to honor the creator of the Duck Slough, J.N. "Ding" Darling, and to add 500 acres to the J.N. "Ding" Darling refuge system in the Charlotte Harbor-Estero Bay area.
5. City Manager's report
6) Continuation of discussion of proposed Periwinkle Way drainage/bike path improvements.
7) Continuation of discussion and resolution supporting optional A cent easement fee.
8) Request by Sanibel Transit Co. (Trolley) to renew current franchise agreement which expires Oct. 19, 1984.
9) Request for variance to Graphics Ordinance by Pelican's Resort Condominiums.
10) Request for variance to Graphics Ordinance by Tree Top Center.
11) Resolution accepting the deed for an easement along Periwinkle Way from Periwinkle Limited Partnership to the City of Sanibel, authorizing and directing the City Attorney to record same on public records (Trac 700 Center).
12) Resolution accepting the deed for an easement along Periwinkle Way from Periwinkle Properties, Ltd., to the City of Sanibel, authorizing and directing the City Attorney to record same on public records (Periwinkle Place).
13) Request for relief from development permit condition requiring the opening of the Court Place portion of Main Street in connection with construction of a single family home on Lot 3, Block 4, Sanibel Center subdivision as submitted by Jackie Frazer for Rocky Smith.
14) Public Hearing and first reading of an ordinance renouncing all claim of right to and vacating any interest in a portion of Las Terasas Lane in Section 70, Township 44 South, Range 22 East, Sanibel, Florida.
15) Continuation of public hearing and second reading of an ordinance amending Ordinance No. 1024 in relation to the point assignment system for scoring rate of growth for applications for dwelling unit allocations; amending Parts (b), (c), (d), (e), and (f) of subsection 3 D (1) of said ordinance in regard to points scored for recreational facilities, water conservation, weather conservation.
16) Mayor and Councilman's reports
17) City agreement on South representation on Florida Regional Planning Council.
18) Resolution on 2 percent Real Estate Tax for city acquisition of public real property.
19:30 p.m.
12. Public hearing and first reading of an ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Subsection 2, of Section 23.16, Legislative Existing Uses, to permit expulsions or additions to lawfully existing mobile homes situated in Periwinkle Trailer Park located south of Periwinkle Way in Sections 19 and 20, Township 44 South, Range 22 East, as submitted by Jurric Muench.
2 p.m.
13. Continuation of public hearing and second reading of an ordinance specifically amending the Comprehensive Land Use Plan, Section 23.2: Requirements and Part 2: Permitted Uses, Section 23.2: Gulf Beach, to permit the construction of a rock revetment approximately 400 feet in length along the shoreline, with a 10-foot return on the east and a 100-foot return on the west, on the Ocean's Reach Condominium property located at 2720 Camino Del Aar Drive in Section 36, Township 44 South, Range 22 East, as submitted by Richard J. Stevens for Ocean's Reach Condominium Association, Inc.
5:30 p.m.
15. Public hearing and second reading of an ordinance imposing a moratorium of up to six months upon development and upon issuance of development, building and other permits for properties in parts of that area designated as the proposed new Wetlands Preservation District; providing exemptions for existing structures for repairs, alterations, modification and certain additions.
16. Public comments
ADJOURN
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Ask your gerontologist

By Jolayne Farrell, R.N., M.P.H.
Gerontological consultant

The words gerontology and geriatrics are derived from the Greek word geron, which means "old man." Gerontology is the branch of science that deals with the developmental process of aging; geriatrics is the science that deals with the medical problems of aging.

Dear Jo: For your readers who are worried about those liver or brown spots that appear on their faces and hands after age 40, I use a home remedy passed on to me by my

grandmother. To make it just mix equal portions of oatmeal and buttermilk (I use my blender) and apply to the face and/or hands for about 20 minutes or until the "mask" is quite dry. Rinse off and pat dry. The spots will fade with regular use of this remedy. — Mrs. L.B.

Dear Mrs. L.B.: Thank you for passing along this home remedy. I have heard of this treatment before and understand that it also acts as a good natural cleanser and moisturizer for the skin.

Dear Jo: I have written to the phone

company regarding the difficulty I have reading their small type. I haven't seen any changes yet, but if other older people or anyone else who has a problem reading the type would write to their local phone companies maybe we would see some changes. How can we let our fingers do the walking if we can't see the print? — Detroit reader.

Dear Jo: Our son and daughter-in-law are going through a very unpleasant divorce. They have three children from 9 to 17 (our only grandchildren) who are the light of our lives.

Right now custody agreements and visitation rights are being negotiated between our son and daughter-in-law through their lawyers, but no one seems to be considering the rights of the grandparents.

The thought of losing contact with our grandchildren is devastating. It's like losing our link with the future. What course of action should we take? — Mrs. C.C.

Dear Mrs. C.: As you well know there are no simple solutions for these complex emotional and legal questions. **continued next page**

Ask your gerontologist continued

problems. As to what course of action you should take — start with keeping the communication open between all who are involved.

Since the children are older you can make it quite clear to them (and to their parents) that you intend to remain active in your grandparenting role. Approach your continuing relationship with them in a warm, friendly, comforting manner, letting them know you are available. Listen to their concerns but take it easy on advice. Remember that your grandchildren need you, too, particularly during these unsettling times.

As to visiting rights and other legalities, you should work closely

with your son on this. Courts now recognize the many problems and concerns grandparents face in the divorce proceedings of their children, and in most areas of the country grandparents have a legal right to demand visitation rights.

I wish you the best of luck.

Jolayne Farrell is a specialist on aging who lives in Toronto, Ontario. She has been writing "Ask Your Gerontologist" for five years, and the column appears in several newspapers in Canada and the United States.

Farrell has more than 25 years experience working with older people

and has held faculty positions at the University of Michigan and the University of Toronto. She visits Sanibel regularly and "loves the island's bike paths."

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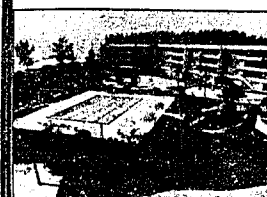
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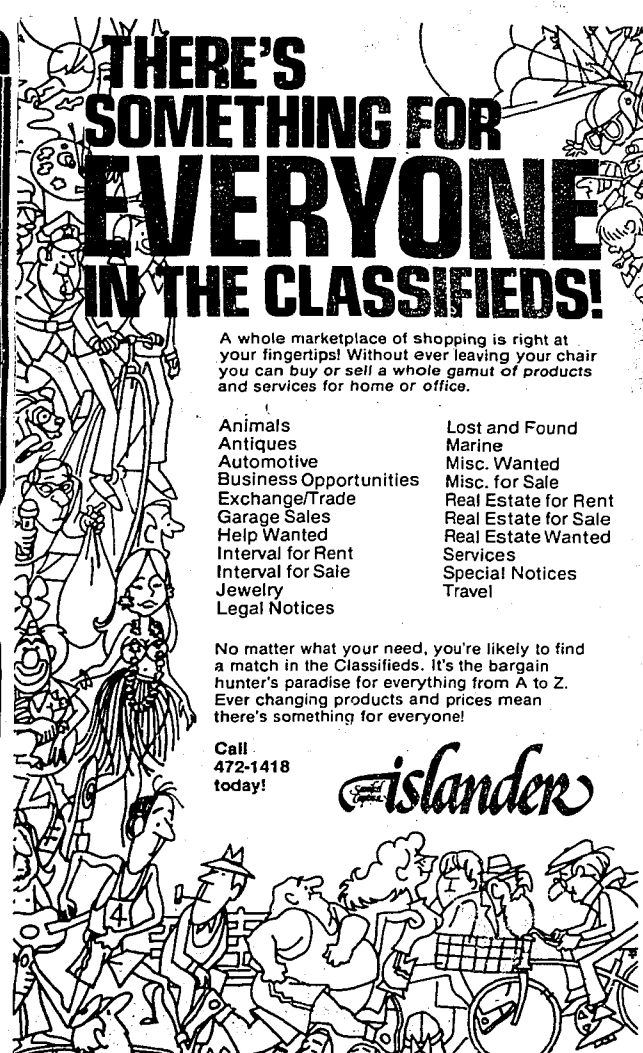
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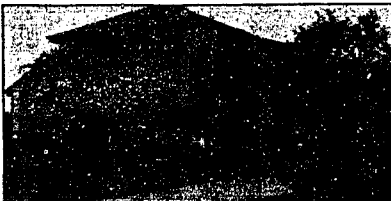
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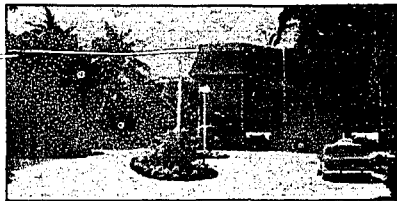
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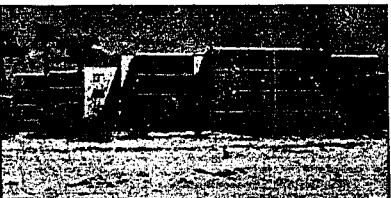
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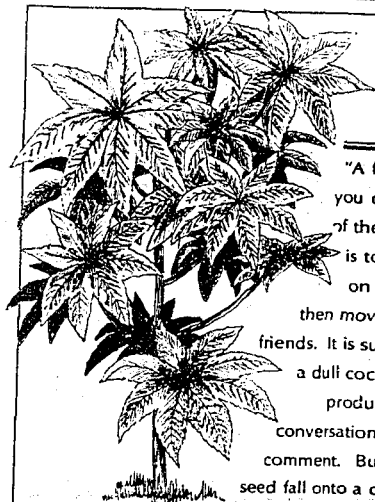
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Section B

The prolific castor bean

Useful and handsome . . .

but deadly!



"A fun thing to do, you dare touch one of these toxic seeds, is to . . . stick one . . . on your neck and then move among your friends. It is sure to wake up a dull cocktail party and produce some lively conversation or whispered comment. But don't let the seed fall onto a canape, or you might add a unit to the mortality figures."

By George Campbell
Illustrated by Ann Winterbotham
Before, during and just after World War I tomatoes, eggplants and key limes were widely cultivated on Sanibel. These crops supported a small population of hardy pioneering souls, some few of whom are still about today.

One other prominent crop was cultivated during that era and was possibly the most important one of all. I refer to the castor bean, *Ricinus communis*. The principal principle of this plant in the marketplace of yesterday was, of course, castor oil, which aided substantially in the Allied war effort.

Now don't let your mind wander to wonder why our men in the trenches were suffering from those ailments stressed in today's evening TV commercials. It was nothing like that at all.

Castor oil was then just about the only high quality lubricant available for use in delicate instruments which, even in that ancient era of six or seven decades ago, were necessary for the successful operation of the war machine.

In the early Twenties a whopping big hurricane inundated our little island and was so destructive to agriculture that the farmers ceased their planting activities and either went away or went fishing.

Already a few winter visitors were coming to Sanibel, so survival was assured for those who stayed on without further struggle with salt water intrusion of their farms by way of salty hurricane surge tides. After such a surge, salinity remains and most agriculture ceases for a long period.

So tomatoes and eggplants were no longer grown extensively. But even today one can see remnants of the old furrowed fields at the Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation they are quite apparent to the discerning eye.

Two plants from that long-ago agricultural era remain: key limes are plentiful in some highland areas, and the castor bean is an aggressive weed that has invaded many disturbed areas.

The castor bean is a member of the Spurge family, Euphorbiaceae, a family noted for its toxic species. Ours is usually no more than 10 feet tall but can grow much larger.

Herbaceous or sometimes a woody tree, the plant has large, showy, peltate, palmately-lobed leaves that give them an overall star-shaped appearance. The leaves can be red, green, blue-green or greenish-red.

Some of the hundreds of cultivars are quite lovely and highly prized in horticulture. If any reader would like a fancy cultivar after reading this, I can provide a specimen, (I'm not trying to sell you anything—I'll give you one.) The flowers are without petals, can



be red or white, and produce a three-celled, soft, spiny "pod" with three seeds.

The seeds look to me like large, fat appearance to Linnaeus, too, back in 1754, for he chose *Ricinus* to be the name of this plant's genus. *Ricinus* means "tick" in Latin.

A fun thing to do, if you dare touch one of these toxic seeds, is to employ a little Elmer's glue and stick one to a prominent place on your anatomy—say, on your neck—and then move among your friends. It is sure to wake up a dull cocktail party and produce some lively conversation or whispered comment. But don't let the seed fall onto a canape or you might add a unit to the mortality figures. For Castor seeds (they really aren't beans) are deadly poisonous.

As everyone knows, the extracted and purified oil, Oleum Ricini, is not really toxic—just explosive. But the "cake," the solid seed material left after the oil is expressed, is really poisonous. It contains a toxic substance called ricin.

The leaves are galactagogue, which means they can increase the milk flow in lactating mammals. This valuable property has been employed since ancient times in Africa (where this plant is thought to have originated), in the Middle East and in Southern Europe, both in humans and in some domestic animals.

Ricin, a toxalbumin, can cause serious problems if the seed is ingested and especially if it is masticated. Even biting a seed can result in morbidity. Symptoms can be burning of the mouth and throat, abdominal cramps, emesis and bloody diarrhea. Anaphylactic shock and death are not at all uncommon.

So really, it is smart to eradicate this attractive plant from inhabited areas. At the very least, care should be exercised and the reseeding population reduced to a few specimens.

Children should be taught to avoid touching the plant, especially its seeds. A particularly dangerous practice is stringing these seeds into a necklace.

However, if we eliminated poisonous plants from our Sanibel gardens we might not have too much left. So it is best to learn as much as possible about our plants and apply skill and knowledge to our gardening efforts.



Manatee researcher gathers data on gentle sea cows

By Scott Martell
What's happening with our local lovable sea cows, the Florida manatees that congregate along the Caloosahatchee and Orange rivers during the cold winter months?

*First, it appears the gentle mammals have had a tough winter. Out of 62 manatee deaths in the state so far this year, 19 have come from Southwest Florida.
*But while boats have killed 13 manatees in the state this year, so far none of the Southwest Florida manatee deaths have been attributed to power boats.
*And now that the waters of the bays and gulf are warming up, the manatees are leaving the artificially warm waters by the Florida Power and Light power plant on the Orange River and dispersing to points unknown.

While the manatees were concentrated in our area manatee biologist technician Kipp Frohlich started what he hopes will be long-term research on this very endangered species. Scientific estimates say the manatee population in Florida ranges from 1,000 to 1,500 individual manatees.

Frohlich works for the Gainesville-based Denver Wildlife Research Laboratory, a field station of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service.

He has been in Southwest Florida since October working at Sanibel's J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge.

Frohlich's current research focus is threefold. He has flown twice monthly aerial surveys and plans to continue the surveys on a 12-month basis. A necropsy laboratory has been set up on refuge grounds as a place to study manatee carcasses. And work is continuing on an identification file of individual manatees.

"My work is strong on research — the biological and technical aspects of the manatee," he says. "We have all sorts of data on deer and alligators, but not for the manatees."

"My group is not particularly focused on the management of the manatee, but instead on increasing the knowledge base about the species. This data can then be used by the management organizations."

For instance, during a necropsy of a manatee Frohlich stores in jars the contents of the mammal's stomach. Later he analyzes the contents to find out what the manatee is eating. With a base of data about the manatee's food habits, state or federal organizations might then consider protecting an area that is a vital food source for the endangered species.

One of the main reasons for doing necropsies is to determine the cause of a manatee's death. Frohlich has found that of the 19 dead manatees found in Southwest Florida, 10 died of unknown causes. It can be hard to determine the cause of death because the bodies often are badly decomposed when they are discovered.

Six manatees died as a result of the cold spells in January, Frohlich says. This was easy to tell, he adds, because the characteristics are very tell-tale.

The manatee's digestive tract is either empty or full of fluid, he explains. "When the water becomes too cold, the manatee will go into shock, become lethargic and stop eating," he says. "In the entire state 12 manatees died of the cold, and we had six of them."

Two manatee calves died right after they were born, and a third was crushed at the Moorehaven Lock.

The Florida Marine Patrol usually contacts Frohlich when a dead manatee is found. Then Frohlich drives out to pick up the mammal and brings it back to Sanibel to begin his necropsy. He considers himself a conservation-oriented scientist and hopes his accumulative data will help to save the manatee.

Another aspect of his work is the aerial surveys he conducts twice each month. His highest count of manatees up the Orange and Caloosahatchee rivers is 105. In April that count was down to the 20's as the manatees began their migration back to the bays and gulf.

"They've left for Charlotte Harbor or the Thousand Islands," Frohlich says. "And as they disperse into smaller groups of one or two manatees, they become much harder to track and count."

"But our goal is not really to track the precise numbers of manatees, but instead where they are

going," he says.
The fact that the power plant, with its warm water discharge, is home for the largest concentration of manatees in the state in the winter months is a given, Frohlich says. Now it's vital to find out where they go in the summer.

"If we find an area heavily used by the manatees in the summer, say a grass flat, then that's good data to have in case someone wants to dredge a canal through that area," Frohlich says.
Probably the most surprising thing Frohlich has learned this year is that the manatees are more mobile in the winter than he would have expected.

"If there was a week of unseasonably warm weather, the manatees would move to the bays," Frohlich says. "Then when it got cold again they would hurry back to the power plant canal."

And as he did his counts and took pictures at the power plant he noticed there were many young manatees. But he is careful about making a conclusion from this observation.

"The feeding females and the young tend to group in the warmer water by the power plant and are easier to count, while the males tend to wander more," he says.

From the photographs he took at the power plant, Frohlich hopes to add to the identification file so that individual manatees can be identified by number and a name.

Scientists can be pretty inventive with naming their flock. "If one scientist is interested in French History, he'll use names like Marie Antoinette or Napoleon," he says. Others use baseball players, and Frohlich knows of one group of manatees named after Winnie the Pooh characters. Frohlich confesses he has yet to come up with his own particular group of names.

Now in his seventh month in Southwest Florida, Frohlich remains enthusiastic about his job and its importance. He admits it is quite a different subject than what he did his master's thesis on — mice and the effects of strip mining on the mammal population in north Florida.

"I'm in on the ground level, and it's exciting," he says about studying the manatees.

Foster parenting is for the birds Osprey mother accepts two orphaned chicks

By Scott Martell

One day early last week two osprey chicks clung precariously to a waterlogged nest as it slowly sank into the salty water of Pine Island Sound.

But thanks to the actions of a Pine Island fisherman, Care and Rehabilitation of Wildlife volunteers and staffers and osprey expert Mark "Bird" Westall, as of late last week the 3-week-old chicks were being fed and shaded by foster osprey parents here on Sanibel.

They could be the youngest osprey chicks ever to be accepted by osprey foster parents, Westall says.

And how the issue is whether or not the parents will continue to take care of the orphans when their own 8-week-old chick leaves the nest within another week.

The heartwarming story began last Monday when a Pine Island fisherman found the nest floating in the water. He contacted CROW, and volunteer Charlie McCullough drove to Pine Island to pick up the chicks. He notified Westall upon his return.

Westall says four alternatives were considered for the chicks: those involved could make a new nest for the chicks, CROW could handraise the orphans, Westall could raise them in his backyard with his mature ospreys, or they could attempt to connect the chicks with foster parents.

"We thought it was worth a try to start by putting the chicks with foster osprey parents," Westall says. He knew of one nest in which only one of four eggs that were laid had survived. So after a one-night pit stop at CROW, the chicks were transported to the nest by Westall and CROW staffer Jill Rapp.

As Westall began the climb toward the nest with the two orphans the mother osprey chirped wildly and flew away to watch Westall from a nearby vantage point. She returned to the nest when Westall finished his task.

"We were concerned that the mother might ignore the two new young," Westall says. "But within 10 or 15 minutes she was tearing off pieces of fish and feeding them to the orphans."

"She also spread out her wings and shaded the two young chicks," Westall adds. At three weeks old the chicks have not yet developed the feathers they need for protection from the sun.

The next few weeks should answer a series of questions concerning the osprey orphans and their foster

mother:
*First, when the older osprey chick fledges, will the osprey parents also abandon the nest?
*And if the mother stays with the orphans, what will happen as the weather continues to warm? Will the osprey mother head for shade, leaving the orphans unprotected in the hot sun?

"The mother has no genetic tie to those chicks," Westall says. "The debate hasn't been finished about whether the ospreys even recognize their own young."

Westall plans to follow the orphans' progress. If the mature ospreys abandon the two young ones he would likely put up a temporary shade platform and "hack-out" the young — provide food and shelter but allow the birds to be essentially free and fledge on their own.

As the chicks learn to fly and their hunting improves, he would provide less and less food until they are self-sufficient.

Westall says the total production of osprey chicks so far during this nesting season has been very good. More than 40 chicks have survived here on Sanibel.

And through the combined effort of both humans and foster osprey parents, the chances are good that two more chicks will be added to that list.



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REFUGE REPORT

Soon it will be turtle time again

By Charles LeBuff Jr.
Biology technician
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Sea turtles have the uncanny ability to make cyclic migrations to specific nesting beaches. Loggerhead turtles that will reproduce locally this year are now nesting in the gulf off Sanibel and Captiva. Mating occurs, and by mid-May female loggerheads will begin their ritualistic night time visits to the islands.

The loggerhead is one of five species of marine turtles that occur in the Gulf of Mexico. Yet of the five, it is the only one that nests on our beaches in modern times. I have examined representatives of four of the five forms in the Sanibel vicinity.

The leatherback turtle, the world's largest living reptile (George Campbell might dispute this — leaning toward his crocodilian friends), is occasionally sighted far offshore. In 1951 I examined the top shell of one of these giants that had been found dead at the Lighthouse point on Sanibel. It was given the shell, but because of its oily and odoriferous nature I kept it

stored in the brush near the Lighthouse. Hurricane Donna swept the shell away in 1960.

The Kemp's ridley turtle, the smallest sea turtle, was formerly nested on occasion by gill netters in this area. Today, the Kemp's ridley is seriously endangered and seldom encountered. Although this species has never nested here, over the past 26 years I have examined two carcasses that stranded on our gulf beach. The larger of the two individuals was less than 10 millimeters under the world record size for this species.

The green turtle population, once widely distributed along the Florida coast, has also become depleted. I have received reports that green turtles formerly nested on Lee County beaches — the most recent in 1967 on Bonita Beach. I doubt this was ever commonplace.

Commercial fishermen and bait shrimpers still sometimes net small green turtles in local waters in the spring and summer.

The beautiful hawksbill turtle is listed as an occasional visitor to gulf waters off Lee County. I have never

observed a living individual here or heard of one being caught or examined a dead specimen on our beaches. This species must pass through local waters very rarely.

The leatherback, Kemp's ridley and hawksbill are listed as endangered worldwide. The Florida population of green turtles is also so listed under provisions of the Endangered Species Act. The loggerhead is classified as threatened.

Sea turtle biologists estimate there are approximately 30,000 adult female loggerheads in the Western North Atlantic Ocean. Since the majority of loggerheads nest on two-year cycles (every other year, some in odd years, others in even years), about 15,000 loggerheads will visit North American beaches this year. Of these, perhaps 40 will land on Sanibel and Captiva this summer.

Loggerhead turtles have been tagged on the islands each summer since 1963. That year, the Sanibel-Captiva Audubon Society was supporting an alligator investigation and had supplied a series of Mosel metal cattle ear tags that I was applying to

the tails of alligators.

In June of that year George Weymouth and I began applying the tags to loggerhead turtles. We have continued since 1968 under the auspices of Caretta Research, Inc.

We have gained considerable insight into the lifestyle of local loggerheads since this program began. For example — our loggerheads deposit eggs on the average of three times during each year they nest. We have recorded one individual (turtle CR-140, back in 1973), that nested six times and deposited 917 eggs in those six nestings. The interval between these multiple nestings averages 13 nights. In 1968 I tagged a nesting loggerhead on Bowman's Beach, and in 1972 another group of sea turtle conservationists found this same turtle nesting on Florida's east coast at Melbourne Beach. This is the first documented case of a loggerhead changing coasts for nesting purposes. Since this incident, we have recorded several east coast tagged loggerheads nesting here.

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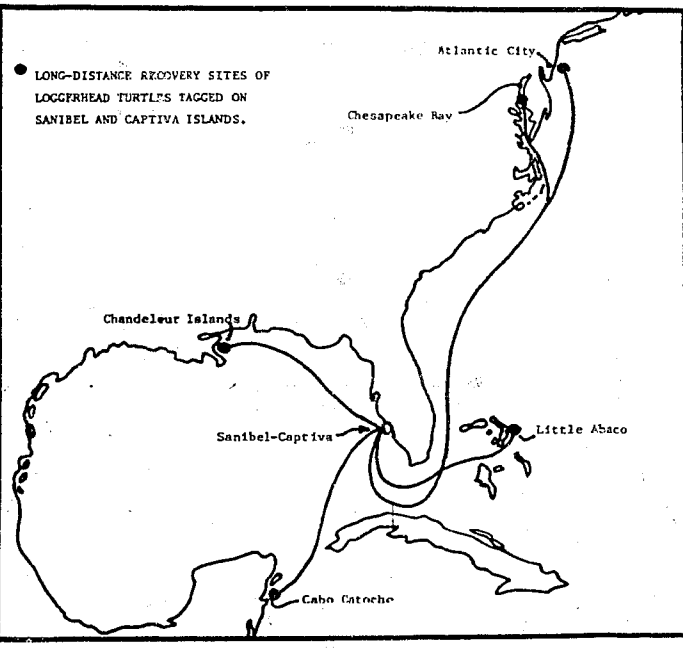
Soon it will be turtle time

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Our Sanibel and Captiva sea turtle can move considerable distances from the islands. Tags from loggerheads tagged here have been returned to us from such distant places as the Chantelour Islands off the coast of Louisiana, from Cabo Catoche on the southern coast of the Yucatan in Mexico, from Little Abaco in the Bahamas, from offshore Atlantic City, N.J., and upper Chesapeake Bay in Maryland. In some cases the turtles were killed and the tags sent to Sanibel; in other cases the tags were removed and the turtles released alive.

If previous behavioral patterns are followed, nesting should begin around the May 10, peak the last week in June and wind down by Aug. 20. Hatching of eggs will begin around July 4, and all eggs should be hatched by Oct. 20.

The average egg clutch size for our loggerheads based on the mean of multiple nests for a season is 110. Calculating this out indicates that approximately 15,200 loggerhead eggs will be deposited on the islands this summer. Under optimum conditions, 82 percent of these eggs will successfully hatch and produce about 10,800 little loggerheads. At a later date, I'll discuss the survival problems that developing eggs face.



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ON THE WATER

By Captain Mike Fuery

May just might be the best month of the annual spring run for you to catch a big tarpon. This is prime spawning time for these fish, and there are some out there in the 120-200 pound class. Let's talk about this magnificent game fish this week.

The tarpon, *Megalops atlantica*, interests many scientists. Some maintain the fish come to the shallows of Southwest Florida this time of year to join hundreds of others for annual spawning. Others who study the fish say they spawn in the deep waters of the gulf and move inside the barrier islands to begin a feeding cycle between mating duties.

There are not many other fish in the immediate tarpon family. The most common, and a light tackle favorite, is the ladyfish. Even though these slender, jumping ladyfish might only reach 24 inches in length, they manage to put on a spirited, jumping battle. Some anglers call them the "poor man's tarpon."

Tarpon can reach lengths of six feet or more, but they are slow growing fish. Research conducted by A.J. McCane and reported in his book, *Saltwater Fishes*, indicates tarpon don't attain sexual maturity until they are about 7 years old and have reached a length of about four feet.

McCane says a fish that weighs 100 pounds is

most likely around 15 years old. Last year a lady fishing off Knappa Point on the south side of Sanibel Island landed one over 200 pounds. Some guessed it was more than 20 years old.

Tarpon come up from the more tropical waters and stay with us from the middle of April into early fall, but they are the most concentrated and easiest to catch during May, June and July.

We here on Sanibel and Captiva are quite lucky to have a short run by boat to perhaps the greatest tarpon fishing spot in the world — Boca Grande Pass between Gasparilla and Cayo Costa Islands. This area has, without a doubt, the highest concentration of big fish ever seen.

As a matter of fact, the National Marine Fisheries Service is undertaking another tarpon tagging project this year. A similar study was made three years ago at Boca, Homosassa Springs, Tampa Bay and in the Florida Keys.

About 15 tarpon guides on Gasparilla Island will participate in the tagging program. The idea is to release the tarpon alive with a tag in a fin or side. The next time that fish is caught the tag is removed and sent to the National Marine Fisheries.

Tarpon are known to travel great distances not only up and down the coast of Florida but into the

islands of the Caribbean. Much more is to be learned of their life cycle.

We will talk more about the tarpon, where they are biting, what is being used for bait and so on as the season progresses. But for now, let me give you a brief outline of what it takes to land one.

Few tarpon have ever been taken by shore anglers, so you will need a boat that is large enough to take three- to four-foot seas. Some great fishing comes from the gulf off Knappa Point, and it can get rough out there. Last year, a mile into the gulf right off the Sundial resort was hot.

You might dream of catching a tarpon on light tackle, but experts use 30-50-pound heavy duty tackle. Light tackle takes forever, and you will most likely kill the fish by severely weakening it. Even with heavy equipment it could take an hour or more to get a 100-pound fish to the boat.

Use a guide. You might catch a tarpon on your own (a handful of local anglers have done it), but if this is your first time, save up and hire a professional. The tarpon catching picture changes from day to day, and only those who fish for them every day can keep up with it.

More later, but get in on this exciting game fishing if you possibly can. Good luck!

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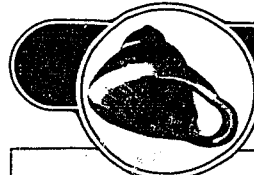
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SHELLING TIPS

By Captain Mike Fuery

The shore birds we all see as we walk the beaches have an interesting life and varied diets, but many look too much alike that many of us have difficulty identifying them.

I always like the names of the tiny birds with long legs — names such as the lesser yellowlegs, the golden plover, the long billed curlew, the rails, the spoonbills and so on.

Most casual bird spotters call them all sandpipers and let it go at that.

I need a pair of binoculars in one hand and a good bird identification book in the other to tell the difference between these birds. The coloration and size is so slight that often even the most experienced birders have a tough time.

Added to this large number of similarly colored birds is the problem of determining what stage of growth the birds are in at the time. Many shore birds change feather colors as they mature.

For instance, the brown pelican turns a vivid grey and has a golden head during the height of mating and early nesting, but returns to the dull brown

feathers later in the year.

There are several varieties of white pelicans, and each winter a couple of hundred call Pine Island Sound their home. They arrive in mid-November and return north around the middle of March.

The shore birds may be difficult to pick out by real name, but most have similar feeding habits that delight and entertain beach walkers.

These birds time their rush to the edge of the surf to allow them a precious few seconds to burrow long bills into the soft sand for crabs or shells. The waves come up the beach with the nimble shore bird just inches ahead. The process is repeated many times each day.

Not long ago we watched what we believed was a black-bellied plover feeding at Blind Pass. This bird dredged up a sand flea (mole crab) that was a monster. It was perhaps an inch long, which is large for these sand colored, round sand fleas. The poor plover got the wiggling sand flea out of the surf, but the sand flea had other ideas and they had a great race around the beach for several minutes.

You might have seen the herds of multi-colored fiddler crabs on the Pine Island Sound side of Sanibel and Captiva. These crabs dig their holes near the low water line and come out in droves at low tide to look for food on the flats.

Shore birds love fiddler crabs, and you will see dozens of birds switch from the beach side of the island to the bay side when there is a good low tide during the day.

Many of these shore birds also eat hermit crabs washed to the beach during storms, along with grasshoppers, small fish and other marine life. I've never been very good at bird identification, but I sure enjoy watching them work the surf line. Have a good day of shelling, and watch for those birds.

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ISLANDER SPORTS

By Scott Martell

-Ride with the wind- Boardsailing enthusiasts prepare for district championships on Sanibel

More than 200 top windsurfers are expected to compete on Sanibel this weekend during the Myers's Rum 1984 District 9 Windsurfing Championships.

Entries have been received from competitors in North and South Carolina, Georgia and Florida, making it the largest district championship ever held.

"We also are expecting several members of the U.S. Olympic Boardsailing team, including coach Major Hall and team members Doug Hart and Wendy Thompson — if travel arrangements permit," Ben McGuire of Windsurfing of Sanibel said last week.

He added that the Olympic boardsailers were competing in Europe until the end of April and hoped to catch a standby flight to Sanibel for the weekend regatta.

The year's regatta will also feature the debut of the Sanibel Junior Boardsailing Club, which is composed of fourth and fifth grade Sanibel Elementary School students. They will be engaged in triangle races with a new specially designed "kid's rig" that was invented for children under 70 pounds.

Also for the first time this year the regatta will have a Master Division for competitors over 35.

"So this should be a classic regatta, with the very young, the older and then the in-between ages," McGuire said.

Local boardsailors who are competing in the regatta include Nina Newmyer, whom McGuire calls one of the favorites in the freestyle event. Other locals are Kevin Blair, who teaches windsurfing at Sundial; Kirk Williams and Mike Ince, who are part of the Offshore Sailing School at South Seas Plantation; Mason Goss; and Lowell Benson, who recently won the "Around the Island" race around Sanibel.

The event in front of the Sundial will also feature free on-the-beach instruction utilizing a windsurfing simulator from noon to 5 p.m. Saturday.

Regatta will be able to compete in sand sculpture and kite contests and enjoy a slippery ride on the "slip and slide" — a long plastic sheet covered with suds on which thrill-seekers can slide down the beach in "unusual" fashion.

The regatta is being co-sponsored by Mariner Properties, Inc., the Bank of the Islands and Myers's Rum.

Regatta schedule

- Friday, May 4**
- 8:30 a.m. — Registration and weigh-in
 - 10 a.m. — Skipper's meeting for slalom competition
 - 10:30-1:30 — Slalom competition
 - 2 p.m. — Skipper's meeting for long distance race
 - 2:15 p.m. — Long distance race
 - 4 p.m. — Triangle race
 - 6 p.m. — Myers Rum party at Casa Ybel featuring Danny Morgan in concert
- Saturday, May 5**
- 8:30-9:30 a.m. — Registration and weigh-in
 - 10 a.m. — Skippers meeting for freestyle competition
 - 10:15-noon — Freestyle competition
 - Noon — Skippers meeting for triangle race
 - 1-3 p.m. — Triangle race
- Sunday, May 6**
- 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. — Triangle races, second set
 - 1 p.m. — Final freestyle competition
 - 1:30-2 — Presentation of awards

All events will take place at Sundial Beach and Tennis Resort unless otherwise noted.



Left, Naples resident Jeff Borgmeyer executes a "back-to-sail railride" as he prepares for the Myers's Rum District 9 Windsurfing Championships this weekend at the Sundial. Above, the sponsor's logo graces the sail of a windsurfer underway.



Little League

Each of four boys' teams wins one; Astros remain on top of standings

Each team won one game in boys' Little League last week. The Angels had their string of four victories in a row broken Saturday when they lost to the Yankees, 21-3. The Angels had defeated the Yankees last Thursday, 9-8.

"We have our good days and we have our bad days," said Angel coach Bill Brott. "The Yankees just hit well and pitched great."

After starting off slow this year, the Angels had pulled themselves up to a 6-7 record before Saturday's loss. Brott credits the development of his young outfield as one key to the team's success. He felt both Jeff Louwers and Tim Gordon played well on Saturday.

The Yankees won Saturday by busting up a close game to go up 12-3 in the third inning. Bruce Shaw then ran out an inside-the-park homerun in the fifth. John Feehey and Mike Gaylord both pitched very well. Yankee coach Bill Arnold said.

The Astros and the Rangers also split their two

games last week. By winning one game the Astros became the first team to win 10 games. They now sit three games ahead of the Rangers and the Yankees, who have 7-7 records.

The Astros won Tuesday in a close 14-12 battle. Then the Rangers came back on Saturday to win 11-6.

In Saturday's game Ranger Jeff Bell blasted a homerun well beyond the centerfield fence.

In girl's softball the Phillies walloped the Dodgers to win their second game of the year, 10-5.

"The Phillies just played great team softball," said Dodger coach Paul Cramer. "Plus we made too many errors."

A good thing for the Dodgers, however, is that they have found another pitcher, Cramer said. Lisa Fenton asked the coach if she could try pitching two weeks ago. Cramer gave her a try in the past two games, and she has not walked a single batter.

Standings as of May 1 are:

Boys Little League

- Astros, 10-4
- Rangers, 7-7
- Yankees, 7-7
- Angels, 6-8

Girls softball

- Dodgers, 5-2
- Phillies, 2-5

T-ballers

- Hilton Pirates, 2-2
- Home-Hill Cardinals, 2-2

This weeks games are as follows:

Tuesday, May 1, 6 p.m. — Yankees vs. Rangers.

Thursday, May 3, 6 p.m. — Astros vs. Angels.

Saturday, May 5, 9 a.m. — Dodgers vs. Phillies; 10:30 a.m. — Angels vs. Astros; noon — Rangers vs. Yankees.

T-ballers play at 10 a.m. every Saturday. Teens play at 7 p.m. every Tuesday.

SPORTS

Rec center round-up



The city's Recreation Complex has a full agenda this spring. This column provides information about the latest classes, tournaments, teams and try-outs taking place and other services that are offered at the complex.

"Through Oct. 1 the complex will be open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday. For the first time the pool will be open during the lunch hour and the complex will be open an extra hour in the evening.

"We're trying this on a trial basis," says Recreation Director Dick Noon. "If we don't get positive results we'll probably go back to normal hours." At least two lanes will be open to adult lap swimming at all times during this period.

"The pool and the gymnasium will be closed to the public May 5 for the first swim meet of the season. The Sanibel Water Attack Team (SWAT) will compete against several other squads from Lee County. Up to 200 swimmers are expected at the meet, which will begin at 9 a.m.

Noon reminds all SWAT members that they must be registered with the USF prior to the meet. Registration requires a \$34 fee, which includes insurance and entry to the YMCA.

The pool will also be closed May 15-17 so workers can install the last

signed tiles around the pool. More than 300 tiles have already been installed, each designating a contributor to the Recreation Complex of \$200 or more. The 25 tiles to go in this month "will just about do it," according to Noon, as far as space allotted for the tiles.

"The complex has scheduled a Senior Lifesaving Course to start May 9. The course will run two weeks, with classes from 4 to 6 p.m. May 9, 10, 11, and from 8 a.m. to noon May 12. The same schedule will be followed the following week, Wednesday through Saturday. Participants must be at least 16 years old.

The course will include 10 hours of CPR training and will be taught by a Police or Fire Department team. Those who complete the course will receive the Red Cross advanced lifesaving certification.

"A Basic Water Safety course will also be offered for those up to 16 years old. Participants will receive a Junior Lifesaving award. The class basically follows the requirements of the senior lifesaving certificate, but it is not quite as demanding, Noon says. Students must be physically fit for the course and must be able to swim 250 yards in the complex pool (10 lengths).

"Don't forget the free throw and ping pong tournaments this weekend. The free throw tournament will be for boys and girls from 6 to 18. Youngsters will be separated into classes and will compete by shooting basketballs from the foul line.

The ping pong tournament will be for anyone 10 years old and over, including adults. Competition will include both singles and doubles matches.



To register for either tournament call the rec complex, 472-0345.

The swimming class for children nine months to 2 years old has been filled, but lessons are still open for 3 and 4 year olds. The classes are limited to 10 swimmers, and the fee is \$12. Barbara Littlestone, who taught classes at the Sanibel pool last year, is the instructor.

Noon promises the water will be a comfortable 85 degrees. He also says parents must accompany their children to the lessons and must go into the pool. For more information call the rec complex, 472-0345.

Golf scramble will benefit conservation efforts

The Sanibel-Capiva Conservation Foundation will sponsor the Second Annual Nine-Hole Guys and Gals Scramble on Saturday,

May 12, at the Dunes. The tournament will begin at 3 p.m. and will be followed by dinner and presentation of prizes. A cash bar will be available.

The sign-up fee for golf and dinner is \$30. The charge for dinner only is \$15. All proceeds from the scramble will go to further conservation efforts on the Islands.

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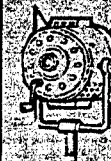
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ARTS ON THE ISLANDS

By Julie Niedenfuier

Sanibel's favorite artist son prepares to take his work home to Japan



ikkiki matsumoto



Ikkiki Matsumoto needs no introduction. His paintings and prints have established him as perhaps the best known and most respected artist on the Islands.

Some artists might coast on the crest of such popularity. But Matsumoto continues to work every day, experimenting with new painting techniques and fine-tuning old ones.

And right now he's busier than ever. He just completed the 21st in a series of 29 paintings commissioned by the Bank of the Islands. And during March the Schoolhouse Gallery hosted an exhibit of his work that included 22 prints and original paintings. That exhibit was sold out.

In January he will be guest artist at the Japanese culture celebration in Gainesville and has made tentative plans for a joint exhibition with his wife, Polly, in Massachusetts this summer.

Polly specializes in weavings and fibers and is a noted artist in her own right.

And in November Matsumoto will pack his prints and "one or two" originals and cross the Pacific to exhibit his work in in Tokyo.

Even though he is a seasoned exhibitor, Matsumoto is nervous about the Japanese show. "It's scary," he says. "Showing artwork in a way like . . . he pauses, searching for the right English

words, "like getting naked in front of a whole bunch of people."

"What if they say 'What kind of—is this?'"

And because his father, in fact his whole family, is well-known in Japan, the prospect of exhibiting there is even more frightening. "It's scary anyplace, but it's worse there because it's my hometown and my family has many friends . . ."

In the United States, at least, Matsumoto has only his own reputation to consider. "Here, I'm just me."

He also has an ulterior motive for wanting to go to Tokyo. "I'm going to show my family and pig out on my mother's cooking," he laughs.

With the exception of a sister in Wisconsin, Matsumoto's siblings and parents make Japan their home. He visits them only once every two years.

He has lived in the United States since 1955, when he came here to pursue a career in art. He got his start studying at the John Herron School of Art in Indianapolis and two years later transferred to the art academy in Cincinnati to study under painter Charlie Harper.

After graduating, Matsumoto worked as a graphic designer in Cincinnati. But his true desire was to illustrate books, as did his father. "I sent stuff to all the publishers but never got a job. Book illustration is very hard to get

"Showing artwork is in a way like getting naked in front of a whole bunch of people."

into." He did succeed, however, in having his illustrations published in an early edition of *The Joy of Cooking*.

After several years in the advertising business, Matsumoto decided that was not his cup of tea. "I wanted to do what I wanted to do instead of what the client told me I should do."

More than anything, Matsumoto wanted to do fine art.

In 1975 he brought his family to Sanibel to pursue his new career. He started by selling what he calls his "little whimsical paintings," which people loved for their charm and humor. Now it is just as likely that he is recognized for his colorful, highly stylized — and serious — wildlife paintings and

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ikkiki matsumoto

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silk-screenprints.

As Matsumoto points to the various pictures scattered about his studio, he explains the complex process involved in making just one series of prints. Contrary to what the name implies, each is the result of a time-consuming and involved procedure in which each separate color is individually inked and then left to dry before the application of the next hue.

Some of his illustrations contain as many as 75 colors, and even the varying degrees of one shade require a separate step.

There is no method involved with his original paintings, however. He paints from his imagination. "I'm not a very realistic painter," he says. "Color comes from my head rather than through my eyes."

Certain of his own paintings, he reluctantly admits, he's grown attached to. "But I can't afford to keep one of my own originals." He says it with a laugh — but he means it.

Less than a month ago the Matsumoto family, Ikkiki, Polly, and two of their children, Tai and Amy — moved from Sanibel to Fort

Myers. Matsumoto says one reason they left the island is convenience: Amy is an active 14-year-old who needs frequent rides for her many school activities.

Lack of privacy is another reason. "We used to live on the beach. People coming by in boats or walking would come right up to the house, sometimes to ask if they could use our bathroom," Matsumoto says.

His home is unpretentious and as warm and friendly as the people who live there. In the yard, which is full of palm trees, rests a tiny sailboat that provides one form of recreation for the painter. "I take a sandwich and a six-pack and go," he says.

And though painting is his livelihood, Matsumoto does not consider it a job. "Even if I didn't have shows to get ready for I'd work anyway because I like to paint." He says he spends anywhere from five to 10 hours a day in the studio.

Does he miss living on Sanibel? He says it's too early to tell. But he does bemoan the fact that instead of pelicans and pileated woodpeckers, he has residing somewhere within earshot a mockingbird. "This must be his territory," he says. "He goes around letting people know this is his. He drives me crazy," he laughs.



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ARTS

Islander's drawing takes home top award in Fort Myers Beach show

Out of a field of over 350 entries, "Autumn Weeds" by Islander Jean Bitzer, earned the Judge's Choice award in the Fort Myers Beach Art League membership show held during March and April.

Bitzer, who has won past awards for her paintings, says she rarely uses the technique that produced the subtle, rich hues of "Autumn Weeds" because "it takes so long."

From a distance the burgundies and pale greens of the weeds look soft and evenly blended. But a closer look reveals that the images on the paper

actually consist of hundreds of vertical lines done with colored pencils. She begins her drawings by roughing in with heavy lines and fills in with finer lines of various hues. "Autumn Weeds" took the artist six months to complete.

Bitzer's watercolors and drawings can be seen on Sanibel at the G. David Thompson Memorial Gallery above Arnold's, and at Tree House Gifts on Captiva.

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Joan Bitzer and her prize-winning drawing "Autumn Weeds."

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Pen Women's Art Show opens May 6

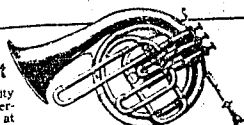
An opening reception for the seventh annual Pen Women's Art Show will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, May 6 at the Lee County Arts Center. 5111 McGreggor Boulevard, Fort Myers. The exhibit will remain open for viewing through May 21. For more information call 549-3704.

Learn to sculpt miniature figures in 3-part workshop

A three-part sculpture workshop will be held at Nature's Wonderland Children's Museum, 2717 N. Tamiami Trail, North Fort Myers, beginning at 10 a.m. Saturday, May 5. The workshop will focus on clay sculpture of miniature figures. Cost is \$10. For more information call 659-2358.

Community band presents free concert

The Lee County Adult Community Band will present a free public performance at 3 p.m. Sunday, May 6, at the Lee County Arts Center. The ensemble offers a variety of musical selections. The arts center is at the corner of Colonial and McGreggor boulevards in Fort Myers. There will be ample parking. Bring along a blanket or lawn chair and a picnic or refreshments (no alcoholic beverages). If you play a musical instrument, why not consider joining the group? Call director Walter Herman, 936-1759 (from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.), to express your interest.



COMING ATTRACTIONS

Blessing of the fleet, boat parade take place Sunday

The 7th Annual Blessing of the Fleet and Decorated Boat Parade will be held at 2 p.m. this Sunday, May 6, at the Sanibel end of the Causeway. All boats will be blessed. Decorations are optional, but there will be a contest for the funniest and most beautiful boats. There is no entry fee. Cash prizes will be awarded. To enter call 472-3232. Shrimp, charbroiled fish and soda from the Prawnbroker will be available at the Sanibel end of the Causeway beginning at 11 a.m. This event is sponsored by the Sanibel-Captiva U.S. Power Squadron, the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce and the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary.

Veterans plan dance to further hospital effort

The Southwest Florida Veterans Task Force is planning a dinner dance in Cape Coral Saturday, May 12, to raise funds to increase the task force's lobbying efforts for a veterans hospital in this area. The special guest at the dinner dance will be Congressman Connie Mack III. For tickets and more information call 574-3269 or 997-4160.



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Captiva Fitness Caper

The Captiva Fitness Caper for women still has some openings for anyone interested in re-nourishing body and soul after a long winter season or in taking off a few key lime pie calories before returning north.

Fitness caper sessions are scheduled May 2-9 and May 11-18.

There will be massages with Isabelle Dunkeson, founder of the Sarasota School of Natural Healing Arts, and her graduate, Torti Netherby; manicures and pedicures with Jane Skinner of South Seas Happy Clipper; Hatha yoga stretch classes followed by relaxation techniques to anti-stress music — all geared toward soothing away tension.

There will be exercise classes, water fitness to music and a 90-calorie-per-day diet. Tennis and beginning guitar lessons are options.

Islander George Campbell will present slides of his African Safari; Dorothy Partridge will show her bird of paradise handmade caftans; and Jeanette Daniels will present fashions of all sizes.

The general public is invited to the Cross Nest bar at Tween Waters Inn to join the group at 7 p.m. Monday, May 14, when "Bird" Westall will show a film about Scottish osprey. He will be accompanied by a live osprey.

Financial planning seminars, instruction in vibration massage or foot reflexology and air brush art will also be part of the caper week.

Cost of the caper is \$358 if you sleep at your place or \$519 for a double room at Tween Waters Inn. For information call Boots Freeman, 472-2426.



**Sportsman of the Week:
Tony Distefano**

Tony Distefano, 19, an avid fisherman who works at Island Moped, is this week's Sportsman of the Week.

In the photograph here Distefano holds the fishing outfit he used to catch that nice cobia his father, Richard, is holding. The cobia weighed in at 32 pounds and was 46 inches long.

Distefano was fishing for snook and cobia off the middle span of the Causeway using 40-pound test line and pinfish bait.

The Sportsman of the Week recognizes local athletes from fishermen to ballplayers and aw-timers to golfers. The Islander welcomes nominations for Sportsman of the Week. Nominations should be in our office by noon Thursday and can be made by calling Scott Martell, 472-5185.

Beachview women's golf

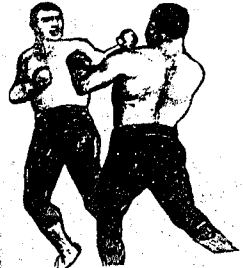
The Beachview Women played a tournament April 25 with the following results:
In 1st Flight, low gross, Mary Jane Preston placed first with 46, and Jean Corace placed second with 48. In low net points, Connie Dingsen took first with plus three.
In 2nd Flight, low gross, Betty Puff took first place

with 43 and was followed by Lenore McFarlane with 45. Lillian Forster, Jean Hartman and Barbara Fales tied for low net points with plus one.
In 3rd Flight, low gross, Patsy Eason shot 46 for first, Barbara Booth took second in low gross with 48. In low net points, Eileen Joy and Ginny Fessler tied with plus two.

SPORTS

Sports quiz

You bet Bill Russell played in the summer Olympics. He did so in 1956 on the gold medal winning U.S.A. team playing along-side K.C. Jones. Russell went on to greatness in the NBA with the Boston Celtics.
We're going to stick with summer Olympics this week. What two boxing brothers both won gold medals in the same year of Olympic competition? Give their last name, their first names, and the year they won.
If you think you know give us a call at 472-5185. If we're right we'll print your name in next week's Insider.



Dunes women's golf

The Dunes Women's Golf Association played a Low Gross-Low Net match Friday, April 20.

The first and second place winners in Class A of the 18-hole tournament for low gross were Joan Smith, 81, and Barb Sutherland, 90. In low net Nancy Goetz and Fran Nuelter tied for first with 67. Pat Moloney finished second with 69.

In Class B Anne Balmer took low gross first with 89 and Mary Vernon finished second with 100. In low net play Lorraine Hauser took first with 69, and Donna Yaeche followed with 75 for second.

In the nine-hole tournament for Class A, Dot Yeager shot 41 to place first in low gross. She was followed by Betty Bulcock and Dorrie Van Derbeck, who tied for second with 42.

In low net play Phyllis Harvey and Lou Hill tied for first with 32. Dolores Landrum and Ginny McKee tied for second with 34.

In Class B Marion Gordon won low gross with 49, followed by Dot Seabrooke who shot a 50. In low net Marion McClary took first with 33, and Peg Wilbott, Ginny Glaeser and Jane Myers tied for second with 35.

The Dunes women played the final match of the season Friday, April 27. The results of the Low Net Match were as follows:

18 holes, Class A — Pat Moloney, 50; Fran Nuelte, 51.
18 holes, Class B — Martha Kildow, 61; Anne Balmer, 66.
Nine holes, Class A — Phyllis Harvey, 29; Dorrie VanDerbeck, 30.
Nine holes, Class B — Polly Langdon, 29; Evelyn Robbins and Billie Tyler, 31.

Following the tournament the members enjoyed a luncheon in the Dunes clubhouse. New officers for the coming year were introduced: General chairman, Jean Corace; assistant general chairman, Billie Tyler; secretary, Donna Yaeche; assistant secretary, Marion Gordon; treasurer, Marilyn Lorenson; assistant treasurer, Pat Moloney; hospitality chairman, Emily Schofield; assistant hospitality chairman, Sybil Rubin; tournament

Sunday softball competition will benefit the March of Dimes

Islanders of all ages will gather at the Sanibel Elementary School ball diamonds this Sunday for a series of softball games, picnicking and other sporting events to benefit the March of Dimes and Sanibel's own Marita Akers, the 1984 March of Dimes poster child for Lee County.

Among the spirited competition on the ballfield will be games between the Sanibel Police and Fire departments. The Islander and the Island Reporter newspapers and the Island's Over-50 softball team and the local Kiwanis Club. The games start at noon.

Rotarians Jack Slagle and Bob Delario will set up a variety of games for kids and adults, including everything from volleyball to horseshoes and egg tosses.

Dave Gibson from Gibby's will cook up a feast of hot dogs and hamburgers. Juice and chips will also be provided.

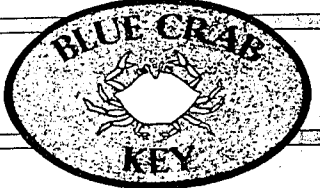
And Jay Delandus has volunteered to be the umpire, a truly dangerous thing to do considering he could wind up getting arrested, or even worse, get some bad press.

The city's recreation complex will be open for swimming and recreation activities.

Tickets will be sold for a series of door prizes that will be raffled off during the softball games. All proceeds from the day will be donated to March of Dimes in Marita Akers' name.

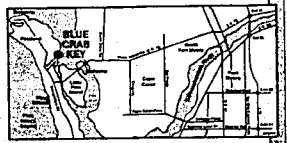
chairman, Edey Arthur; assistant tournament chairman, Ginny McKee; handicap chairman, Dottie Miller; assistant handicap chairman, Nancy Goetz; rules chairman, Audrey Derleth; assistant rules chairman, Dot Ohlmann; publicity chairman, Mary Minor; assistant publicity chairman, Barb Sutherland.

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Crossword Puzzle by Jeanne Newland

ACROSS

- 1 Matter
- 2 Swift steed
- 3 Round up
- 4 Houston athlete
- 5 Palm stretch
- 6 Felipe of Maty
- 7 Oregon's capital
- 8 With 55 across
- 9 Hemingway novel
- 10 Spritz
- 11 Spring bloomer
- 12 Weatherworn
- 13 Man of property
- 14 One with trouble
- 15 At one
- 16 Amphibian genus
- 17 Infield bobbles
- 18 Atypical person
- 19 Gobb's initials
- 20 Narcotic
- 21 Wind up
- 22 Circus feature
- 23 "Gin-a body"
- 24 City NW of Marselles
- 25 Set an ambush
- 26 Work out
- 27 TV component
- 28 County Clara's
- 29 51 — up (case)
- 30 Corporate initials
- 31 See 18 above
- 32 Sun or Newton

DOWN

- 1 Say "cheese"
- 2 Tehran money
- 3 Musketeers' slogan.
- 4 Kickoff aid
- 5 Fine test
- 6 On the prowl
- 7 Encouraging words
- 8 Years
- 9 Discouraging word
- 10 Roman emperor
- 11 SL — lite
- 12 Entire team
- 13 Sahara sights
- 14 Mrs. Anonimath
- 15 Mr. Butions
- 16 Dank
- 17 Finish
- 18 Judy Garland's real name
- 19 See next to
- 20 Gas
- 21 Bye, senior
- 22 Chorus
- 23 See 3 Down
- 24 "do — others"
- 25 Lachryms
- 26 37 Voyz's look
- 27 40 Paint ingredients
- 28 Kind of settler
- 29 White wine
- 30 Takes a peek
- 31 Played leap
- 32 Wooded area
- 33 46 Experts
- 34 48 Prelim
- 35 Moynihan, e.g.
- 36 Beginning with icon

ANSWERS TO LAST WEEK'S PUZZLE

ACROSS: 1. Matter; 2. Swift; 3. Roundup; 4. Houston; 5. Palm; 6. Felipe; 7. Salem; 8. With; 9. Hemingway; 10. Spritz; 11. Spring; 12. Weatherworn; 13. Man; 14. One; 15. At; 16. Amphibian; 17. Infield; 18. Atypical; 19. Gobb; 20. Narcotic; 21. Wind; 22. Circus; 23. Gin-a; 24. City; 25. Set; 26. Work; 27. TV; 28. County; 29. 51; 30. Corporate; 31. See; 32. Sun.

DOWN: 1. Say; 2. Tehran; 3. Musketeers; 4. Kickoff; 5. Fine; 6. On; 7. Encouraging; 8. Years; 9. Discouraging; 10. Roman; 11. SL; 12. Entire; 13. Sahara; 14. Mrs.; 15. Mr.; 16. Dank; 17. Finish; 18. Judy; 19. See; 20. Gas; 21. Bye; 22. Chorus; 23. See; 24. "do"; 25. Lachryms; 26. 37; 27. 40; 28. Kind; 29. White; 30. Takes; 31. Played; 32. Wooded; 33. 46; 34. 48; 35. Moynihan; 36. Beginning.

SUMMER TROLLEY SCHEDULE

472-6374												
Chamber of Commerce	9:00	10:00	12:00	1:00	2:00	3:00	—	5:00				
Lighthouse Parking Lot	9:03	10:03	—	12:03	1:03	2:03	3:03	—	5:03			
Archie Complex	9:04	10:04	—	12:04	1:04	2:04	3:04	—	5:04			
Sanibel Moorings	9:08	10:08	—	12:08	1:08	2:08	3:08	—	5:08			
Romada Inn	9:11	10:11	—	12:11	1:11	2:11	3:11	—	5:11			
Sundial	9:13	10:13	—	12:13	1:13	2:13	3:13	—	5:13			
Jerry's Center	—	10:17	—	—	—	—	3:17	—	—			
Palm Ridge	—	10:20	—	—	—	—	3:20	—	—			
Maureen's Travel	—	10:21	—	—	—	—	3:21	—	—			
JN "Ding Darling NWR	—	10:25	—	—	—	—	3:25	—	—			
Sanibel Rec. Center	—	10:27	—	—	—	—	3:27	—	—			
Timmy's Nook	—	10:45	—	—	—	—	3:45	—	—			
South Seas Plantation	—	—	11:00	—	—	—	4:00	—	—			
Casa Ybel Resort	9:16	—	—	12:16	1:16	2:16	—	—	5:16			
Tarpon Bay Road	9:17	—	—	12:17	1:17	2:17	—	—	5:17			
Island Inn	9:19	—	—	12:19	1:19	2:19	—	—	5:19			
Beachview Cottages	9:20	—	—	12:20	1:20	2:20	—	—	5:20			
Shirley's House of Fool.	—	—	—	11:03	—	—	—	—	4:03			
Cadvice Center	—	—	—	11:06	—	—	—	—	4:06			
Timbers Restaurant	9:22	—	—	11:22	12:22	1:22	2:22	—	4:22	5:22		
West Wind Inn	—	—	—	11:25	—	—	—	—	4:25			
San-Cap Conservation Foundation	9:24	10:24	—	12:24	1:24	2:24	3:24	—	5:24			
Old Sanibel	9:30	—	—	11:30	12:30	1:30	2:30	—	4:30	5:30		
Bolley's	9:32	—	—	11:32	12:32	1:32	2:32	—	4:32	5:32		
Periwinkle Place	9:35	—	—	11:35	12:35	1:35	2:35	—	4:35	5:35		
Tahitian Gardens	9:38	—	—	11:38	12:38	1:38	2:38	—	4:38	5:38		
Jerry's Center	9:40	—	—	11:40	12:40	1:40	2:40	—	4:40	5:40		
Bank of the Islands	9:43	—	—	11:43	12:43	1:43	2:43	—	4:43	5:43		
Cafe Orleans	9:45	—	—	11:45	12:45	1:45	2:45	—	4:45	5:45		
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 J. L. WALLACE
 472-3791
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 CHORDONINIUM Resident couple to manage and maintain complex performed in accounting and all areas of maintenance. P.O. Box 3065 Cincinnati, OH 45228. (S-11)

ISLAND CLASSIFIEDS

HELP WANTED

PROCESS MAIL AT HOME! \$75 per hundred to experience. Part or full time. Start immediately. Detail send self addressed stamped self address envelope to: C.R. 269, P.O. Box 314 Stuart, FL 34994.

Woman to manage retail motel part time. Call 472-4212.

Part-time sales help wanted in general merchandising of resort and casual wear. 2 or 3 days a week, including Sundays. Estelle's Shop 472-3164.

Bus person needed for Captiva Water Soccer (1984). \$11:30 a.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Adult fee \$20.00. Call 472-6066.

Enthusiastic person wanted for wildlife brochure. Full time, excellent pay. 472-7231.

Bus person needed. Apply in person Monday - Friday, 3-5 p.m. 100 phone calls please. Matt Hester Restaurant, 4640 San Cap Road.

MISCELLANEOUS WANTED

Wanted: Washer & Dryer in good to excellent condition. Friend of wearing out a truck. Call 472-7459 and leave message. (TFN)

Two island professionals looking for one more of the same to share three bedrooms, two bath home, \$300 per month plus utilities. Call 472-3152 and ask for Lou during the day, 472-6000 evenings. K-90 living. (S-7)

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

CLOSING STORE: Glass display case with light, 48" x 24" tall, good shape - \$50. Texas Instruments printer, display calculator with memory, like new - \$52. Free scale, 15 lbs. Merchandise display modules, near - \$100 each. 472-1820 (S-1)

MISCELLANEOUS FOR SALE

Quester - World's finest naturalist's nesting scope. Call George Campbell 472-7623. (TFN)

Woodstock Wood and Tree Chopper. Large capacity. 472-9196. (S-1)

Forty gallon RUUD electric water heater, unused one year, like new, replaced by Solar. 472-9312 to inspect. (S-1)

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AUTOMOTIVE

1976 Cadillac Fleetwood. Dropdown. Lots of extras and many more. Call 472-4242. (S-1)

MARINE

PEARSON Portsmouth 43. 1400 sq. ft. trailer. 7.5 hp. outboard. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

Boston Water 17 Revenue 1974. Excellent condition. New Johnson 120 hp. engine. 41 instruments, \$77,000. Make offer. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

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SHELL SHOCK? By your current job, then buy a great "SHELL SHOCK" mail order business. Located in St. Petersburg. Includes full training, start-up materials, inventory, and more. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

REAL ESTATE WANTED

Retired Couple desires furnished rental in Sanibel or nearby for January, February and March. No under \$1200/month. Call 472-4787. (S-1)

Wanted to Rent: Cableration of the islands near 1500 square feet of office space on Sanibel. Front and rear door. Ample parking. Long term lease. Call 472-4787. (S-1)

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

GULF FRONT CONDO: Sanibel Beach Street - 2 bedrooms, 2 bathrooms, full kitchen. Call collect (612) 484-9772. (TFN)

ISLAND RETREAT: 2 bath home, Chateau Sur Mer. Fully furnished. Available April through October 1984. Call (305) 755-0143. (S-7)

Sanibel: Lovely furnished house 2700 sq. ft. Half acre beautifully maintained grounds. Walk, shop, club, etc. Available 1/2, NO PETS! Annual/Seasonal. Call 472-7433. (S-1)

Spring and summer vacations all handsome cottages - home close to Gulf beach and golf course. Mature families. Top-notch maintenance. Call 472-9312. (S-1)

Quiet coastal or single person to share a bedroom, 4 bath home until Dec. 15. Lease beach accessories. \$150. References please. Call 472-9312. (S-1)

SAFETY HARBOR CLUB: A residential community on the island of Upper Captiva. The Club features 2 miles of secluded golf, beaches, tennis, pool, fishing, sailing, bird watching, general store and dining facility. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

Equal Housing Opportunity: Call 472-7433. (S-1)

ESL EXECUTIVE SERVICES, INC. Call 472-7433. (S-1)

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Sanibel ARMS WEST: Fully furnished, 3 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Call 472-7433. (S-1)

TROPICAL VACATION: Large three-bedroom, two bath, fully furnished home. Call 472-7433. (S-1)

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GULFSIDE PLACE: Former model available April. One month minimum. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

Three bedroom, 40' living room, furnished. Terrace overlooking Clear Bays. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

Unfurnished home in the Duval Country Club. 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

SOUTH SEAS PLANTATION: 2 bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths. Call 472-7433. (TFN)

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Priscilla Murphy Realty, Inc. Rental Division. ANNUAL RENTALS SANIBEL. 3 bedroom, 2 bath unfurnished house on canal with boat dock. \$100/mo. plus utilities. (S-1)

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SHELL HARBOR RESORT: Sanibel Island Hilton Inn. Two bedrooms, fully furnished. Call 472-7433. (S-1)

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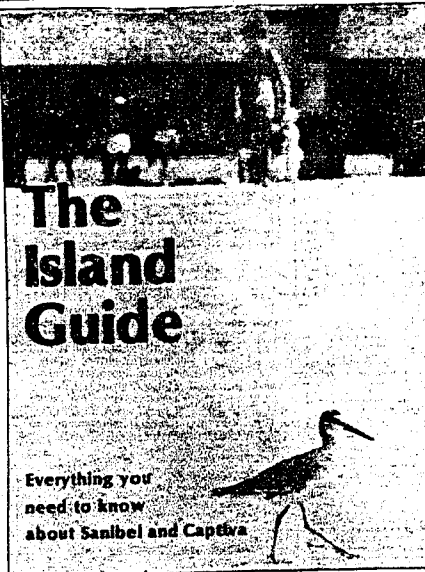
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Everything you need to know about Sanibel and Captiva

Nature guides

Griffing Bancroft
427-147
Offering bird tours of the island commencing at the Island Cinema in the Island Shopping Center and last approximately three hours. \$10 per person, with a minimum of three people.
For more information, reservations and exact times, call the MacIntosh Book Store at the above number.
Cap. Ralph Bartholomew
427-2777
Offering aquatic nature tours through the waterways of Sanibel, Captiva, Casper, Captiva and Cayo Costa with lunch at Casper Key.
Participants can also go for nature walks on barrier islands if they choose. Participants have a choice aboard either a 34 foot cruiser or 24 foot open fisherman with a high top deck.
Call for reservations and details.
George Cambell
427-2130
Offering two natural history field trips — one by land and one by sea. The land trip is on Wednesdays and takes interested persons through Sanibel's wildlife habitats. The approximately four-hour trip costs \$10 per person. No reservations are necessary. Simply meet at 8 a.m. atop on any Wednesday at the unimproved trail east of the Sanibel Frier Institute School on Sanibel-Captiva Road by the tennis courts.
The aquatic field trip to Casper Key and Cayo Costa includes breakfast at Casper Key, a walk through an island mangrove trail and a visit to a desolate Cayo Costa beach. Dates for this trip are Dec. 23 and 27, Jan. 10, 17 and 20, and March 7, 14, 21 and 26. Reservations and payment must be made and cash paid 427-1481 evenings only.
Call Dick Friedman 427-1215.
Offering nature adventures since 1910 to the North Coastline and

Cayo Costa, with lunch at Casper Key. Departure time is 9:30 a.m. Return at 3:30 p.m. Call for reservations and information.
Charles Lubitt
427-3777
Beach Walk — Experience Sanibel on a Saturday morning beach walk. An introduction to Sanibel's remarkable diversity and beach environment. Learn about our history, hurricanes, beach ecology, sea turtles, tides (including the "red tide") and the interesting marine life encountered on Sanibel.
Call anytime for further information and reservations. Proceeds go to help support the turtle conservation efforts on the island.
Larry Maricoff
427-2136
Wildlife refuge nature tours with emphasis on wildlife of the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge. Other subjects pertinent to wildlife ecology and management also covered. The tours are held Saturday mornings. Dec. 15 through March 30. Fee: \$5.00 per person with a minimum of 10 people. Free Sanibel Island art print. Call 427-3750 or go to Tarpon Bay Marina for reservations.
Cap. Duke Seitz
427-5483
Native area guide will take or motor vehicle party through the Outer Island beach picnic trails, lunches at Casper Key and shelling trip on 30 party boat.

Bait, tackle and gear

Bailey's General Store
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way Road
427-1516
The Reef (El Sanibel Center)
Periwinkle Way
427-2253
Fishing and beach equipment for sale and rental.
The Ball Box
1027 Periwinkle Way
427-1418
Open every day with a complete selection of fishing tackle. Rod rentals, hooksets, stitching and crabbing gear. Live and frozen bait.

Beach accesses

Unrestricted parking with no stickers is permitted for everyone along the Casuarina, at Bowman's Beach on the upper end of Sanibel, at the Sanibel Lighthouse and Fishing Pier at the eastern tip of the island, at Gulfside Park off Casper Key Road, on the east side of the Sanibel end of Casuarina Road, at the pull 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 Access, Drive Beach Boulevard, Nerle Street, Doran Street, Fisher 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 out skirts of Butoonwood Lane, the bay and outskirts of Seagrass Lane, Colony Walk way, Bay Drive and on Man o'War Road at Casuarina Lane.

The line for parking in a restricted or residential area without the proper permit is 133.

On Captiva public beach access can be found on the north and south sides of the entrance to South Seas Plantation.

STATE LAWS PROHIBIT NUDE SUNBATHING ON ALL FLORIDA BEACHES. VIOLATORS WILL BE PROSECUTED.

Things to do and see

Bridges for Fun
Bridge construction every Wednesday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association hall on Periwinkle Way. Free and all are welcome. No partner necessary. For information call 427-2240.

Classical ballet and jazz
Classes offered for adults, teenagers, grade schoolers and children. For information call Diane La Croix, 427-2556 and leave message.

J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge
427-1000
Sanibel-Captiva Road
The Wildlife Drive and Visitor Center offers excellent fishing, a lovely beach and view of San Carlos Bay.

Lighthouse
All the western 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.

Bailey Tract are open from sunrise to sunset daily. The Visitor Center is open from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday, Saturday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Maternalist programs available.

Sanibel Fitness Center
Behind the Burger Emporium
733 Periwinkle Way
427-3377
Universal and Nautilus exercise equipment. Running, exercise classes all beginner, moderate and advanced levels.

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Marinas, fishing, shelling, sailing charters

Sanibel Marina
South Yachtman Drive
427-3777
Offering seven days a week from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fishing, shelling and shelling supplies. Call for appointment.
"Twin Waters Marina"
427-3181
Open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Dock water. Dock Master: Dave Mann, Capt. Duke Seitz, Mike Ferry, Larry Gann and Jerry Ward for fishing, shelling and night shell rentals. \$20. electric start.

Twin Palms Marina
Captiva
427-9000
Open seven days a week from 7:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Bait, tackle and gear. Boat rentals and dockage. Boat rentals: \$20. electric start.

Cap. Dave Case
427-2798
Independent charters.

Cap. Costanzo
427-1200
Birding and sightseeing charters.

Cap. Earl Kessler
427-4096
Charter for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Married

Tarpon Bay Marina
At the north end of Tarpon Bay Road
427-1223
Open seven days a week from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Capt. Randy White and Mike Payne for fishing, shelling and sightseeing guides. Married

Courts and courses

GOLF
Beachview Golf Course
Par View Dr
427-3533
Semi-private
Open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. except on Wednesdays. Green fees: \$7.50 for 18 holes. \$11.00 for 9 holes. \$5 for nine holes, \$12 for 18 holes.

The Dunes Country Club
Par View Dr
427-3533
Semi-private
Open 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. except on Wednesdays. Green fees: \$7.50 for 18 holes. \$11.00 for 9 holes. \$5 for nine holes, \$12 for 18 holes.

Sanibel Tennis Service
193 E. Gulf Drive
427-9191
Professional instruction at your request or private court. Specializing in beginning couples or individuals, juniors of all ages, and advanced players. Also available: Video playback optional.

Sanibel Community School
Sanibel-Captiva Road
427-2553
Lighted evenings only. No credit. No reservations. 10 courts.

Sanibel-Captiva Foundation
Sanibel-Captiva Road
427-2553
Dedicated to the preservation of vegetation and wildlife on the islands. The foundation offers many exhibits and nature tours. Do you see a quiet place with a back to nature theme? Are you looking for a quiet place with experience with the wild things around you? The foundation offers many exhibits and nature tours. Do you see a quiet place with a back to nature theme? Are you looking for a quiet place with experience with the wild things around you?

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Dining on Sanibel

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AE American Express
AC American Card
MC MasterCard
VISA Visa
VISA Plus Visa Plus
Boat and wine only
Cash/dress (shirt and shoes)
appropriate unless specified

THE BRASS ELEPHANT RESTAURANT
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way
427-1516
Open seven days from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
All major credit cards accepted.

THE BUBBLE ROOM
Captiva Road
427-3538
MC VISA, AE, DC
Open 5:30 to 10 p.m. seven days a week.
Variety of entrees, home baked breads and desserts.

CAFE CAPTIVA
Captiva Village Square
Captiva Road
427-3023
No credit cards accepted.
Open seven days from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m.



Dining on Sanibel

THE BURGER EMPORIUM
Sanibel-Captiva Road
427-2553
Open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. every day.
Quick serve family restaurant offering burgers, steaks, chicken, seafood, salads, sandwiches, cold beer and fresh ice cream.

BUTTONWOOD BAR-BOUE
Sanibel Marina
427-3777
Open seven days from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Featuring island bar-b-que, smoked ribs and other seafood. Fresh fish daily. Homestyle soups, desserts.

COCONUT GROVE
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way
427-1516
All major credit cards accepted.
Open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday.
Seafood and steaks. Gourmet Green cuisine Friday. Hors d'oeuvres 4 to 6 p.m. in the cocktail lounge.

SHIRLEY'S SPIRIT OF FIDELITY
400 feet beyond the entrance to South Seas Plantation
427-9273
Open for lunch 11:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. and dinner 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. 7 days a week. Closed Mondays.
TIMMY'S NOOK
Captiva Road
427-4444
No credit cards accepted.
Lunch served from 11:30 to 3:30 p.m. dinner from 5 to 10 p.m.

Dining on Captiva

CHADWICK'S
At the entrance to South Seas Plantation, Captiva
427-5111
All major credit cards accepted.
Catered brunch on Sunday from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m.; lunch Sunday through Thursday from noon to 2 p.m.; dinner from 6 to 9 p.m. Seafood buffet from 5:30 to 10 p.m. Friday, Raw bar nightly from 5 to 10 p.m. except Fridays.

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Take-out only

8-Hive
1227 Periwinkle Way
427-1277
Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Sunday 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Salads, sandwiches, quiche, homemade pastas.

Barney's Incredible Edibles
225 Palm Ridge Road
427-2553
Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sunday 10 a.m. to 8 p.m.
Cold meats, cheeses and salads, wine, champagne, liquors and cordials.

Choice Quality Stuff
Apostrophe Center
Rains Ridge Road
427-5554
VISA, MC, AE
Open Saturday through Sunday 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed Sunday.
Homemade soups, sandwiches, salads, rack-of-lamb, pizzas, and wine.

Chadwick's General Store
South Seas Plantation
427-5111
Open seven days from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.
Cold meats, cheeses and salads, wine, champagne, liquors and cordials.

Muster's Deli
1207 Periwinkle Way
427-3181
Open 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days a week.
Lunches, roasts, beef, assorted salads, fresh Italian bread and sausage sandwiches, homemade Key Lime pie.

DAIRY QUEEN
10th Periwinkle Way
427-1516
Open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. seven days.
Sandwiches and nuts. Ice cream and other broiled burgers.
Take out available.

DUNCAN'S RESTAURANT AND ICE CREAM PARLOUR
Performers Place Shopping Center
427-3225
MC VISA
Open 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days a week. Closed Sunday.
Serving hamburgers, fish sandwiches, daily lunch menu. Specialties: large variety of ice cream flavors.
Take out available.

THE DUNES COUNTRY CLUB
949 Sandcastle Road
427-3535
MC VISA
Open every day from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. Monday through Saturday from 11 a.m. to 11 p.m. Daily specials, burgers, sandwiches, salads.

RED OYSTHER HOUSE
2143 Periwinkle Way
427-3273
MC VISA
Serving lunch 11:30 a.m. to 7 p.m. Dinner 5 to 10 p.m. seven days.

GRAND FRESH SEAFOOD HOUSE
8th and 11th
Madre Gulf Drive at Donax
427-4172
MC, AE, VISA, DC
Serving breakfast from 7 to 11:30 a.m., dinner from 3 to 10 p.m. Monday through Saturday.
Complete selection of fresh seafood. 20 items salad bar included with meal, and a variety of hot breads and desserts.

IRIDDO'S
6400 Pine Plaza
427-1882
Open seven days from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. 7 days a week.
Ice cream, beer and wine delivery Hour 4 to 10 p.m.

HARBOR HOUSE
244 Periwinkle Way
427-1516
MC VISA, MC
Open every day from 5 to 9:30 p.m. Land and sea specialties.

ISLAND PIZZA
Sanibel Marina
Periwinkle Way
427-1581
Open Monday through Saturday. Waterfront dining in a casual atmosphere with magnificent sunsets.

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427-4444
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JEAN PAUL'S FRENCH CORNER
Next to the Post Office on Tarpon Bay Road
427-1483
O.C. VISA
Specializing in French cuisine. Dinner from 6 to 10 p.m. Closed Sunday.
Reservations recommended. Casual dress.

JERRY BOB SANIBEL
1300 Periwinkle Way
427-4200
Open 74 hours a day, seven days a week. Family style restaurant, daily specials.
Take out available.

THE LETIZIAS
2313 West Gulf Drive
427-3777
MC VISA
Open seven days from 5:30 to 9:30 p.m.
Serving Northern Italian and French style cuisine. Pasta, soups, stuffed shells, steaks, veal and cheese dishes.

MOONBAY'S MARKET AND DELI
At the Sanibel Marina
1246 Middle Gulf Drive
427-1516
MC VISA, MC
Open 7:30 a.m. to noon for breakfast. 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. for lunch. 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. for dinner. Open Wednesdays for lunch and dinner only.

THE MAD HATTER
6400 Sanibel-Captiva Road at Birch Pass
427-2553
Serving dinner from 5:30 to 10 p.m. 7 days a week. Overlooking the Gulf. Catering service available. Casual dress.

MCY'S SHRIMP HOUSE
ANNE'S RESTAURANT
1522 Periwinkle Way
427-3161
MC VISA, MC, AE
Open for breakfast 5 to 9 a.m., seven days. Late night dining 11:30 p.m. to 2 a.m. 7 days a week. Including steamed shrimp all-you-can-eat every night.

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THE TIMBERBES
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427-3178
MC, AE, DC
Open seven days from 5 to 10 p.m. Serving fresh fish and choice steaks. Prime rib and choice steaks. Entertainment list.

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THE OLD POST OFFICE CENTER
Periwinkle Way at Tarpon Bay
427-1422
No credit cards accepted.
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. every day. Catering available.
Delicious salads, soups, homemade breads, quiche, homemade desserts and ice cream. Breakfast specialties and brunch.
Take out available.

THE OYSTERSHELL
148 Periwinkle Way
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O.C. VISA
Open 11 a.m. to 8 p.m. Monday through Saturday.
Veal and seafood specialties. Appropriate dress expected.

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Captiva Road
427-3161
MC VISA
Open seven days. Breakfast served from 8 to 10:30 a.m., lunch from noon to 2:30 p.m., dinner from 5:30 to 10 p.m. Fresh fish, steak, meats, ribs and pastas. Prime rib Tuesday and Saturday nights. Brunch Sunday from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m.
Lounge open from noon to 3 a.m., serving lunch midweek. Entertainment from 9 p.m. nightly.

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427-3777
Behind the New Life
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427-3888
Open seven days a week from 7 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. Lunches, dinners, and drinks. Entrees, seafood, more re-heating. All items made fresh and enjoy. Superb quality party catering our specialty.

The Sulph Shop
Across from Fire Station
Palm Ridge Road
427-3178
Open from 10:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Salads, soft drinks and beer.

Tarpon Bay Marina
Periwinkle Way at San Cap Road
427-3178
MC VISA, DC
Open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Fresh seafood sandwiches.

MC VISA
Open 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. Closed Thursday.
Lunch: salads, seafood, omelets, drinks.

PANCAKE HOMELETTE RESTAURANT
Twin Waters Marina
427-4433
Homemade pancakes. Open 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Tuesday through Sunday. Closed Monday.
Family meals at family prices.

PEPPER'S
Twin Waters Marina
427-0100
VISA, MC, AE
Serving lunch 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Open for dinner seven days to 10 p.m.
Including jumbo prime rib, seafood, steaks. Serving appetizers from 10 p.m. to 1 a.m.

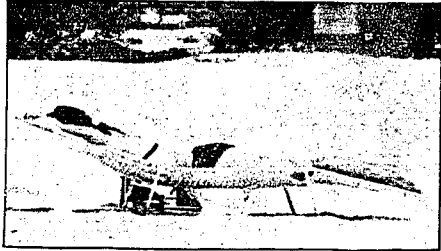
PUTTING PELICAN
At the Beechview Golf Course
1100 Par View Drive
427-3535
VISA, MC
Open seven days. Breakfast served 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. and cocktails until 6 p.m.
Specialties are burgers, sandwiches, chip bowls (fried tortilla) and salads.

Quarterdeck
Sanibel Marina
1423 Periwinkle Way
427-1523
MC VISA, AE
Open 7:30 a.m. to noon for breakfast. 11 a.m. to 7:30 p.m. for lunch. 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. for dinner. Open Wednesdays for lunch and dinner only.

SUNFISH RAW BAR
Overlooking the Gulf behind the Ramada Inn
Middle Gulf Drive and Donax
427-4172
O.C. VISA, DC
Open 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. every day.
Shrimp, crab, toasts and cheese omelets.
Take out available.

THE THISTLE LODGE
1233 Gulf Drive
427-9200
MC VISA, DC, AE
Daily breakfast 7 a.m. to 9 a.m., dinner 6 to 10 p.m. (closed on Wednesdays).
Open from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. for lunch and dinner. Open Wednesdays for lunch and dinner only.

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Clubs and organizations

Alton
Meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Periwinkle Way.

Alpacos Anonymous
Closed discussion meeting at 8 p.m. Tuesdays at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Periwinkle Way.

Open discussion at the church at 8 p.m. Fridays.
No smoking, please. Stop meeting at 8 p.m. Sundays at the church.

Women's group - closed discussion
18 a.m. on Mondays at St. Isabel Catholic Church on Sanibel Captiva Road.

Men's Big Book Group
Closed discussion 11 noon on Thursdays at St. Isabel Catholic church on Sanibel Captiva Road.

American Business Women's Association
Meets at 8 a.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the Sanibel Hilton Inn. Any woman who is faithfully employed either part time or full time is welcome. Must make reservations by Monday before Thursday meeting date. Call Florence Higgins, 472-9900, hostess/chairman, for reservations.

Audubon Society
Winter program held at 8 p.m. Thursdays at the Sanibel Hilton on Periwinkle Way.

Barbarians
Group for the Arts

Big Arts
An organization founded to build a cultural community on the island. All members and prospective members are urged to attend the meetings at 7:30 p.m. on the last Monday of each month at the Sanibel Library.

For information call Mary Greenlee, 472-3301.

Bingo
Games played at 7:30 p.m. every Tuesday during winter season at the Sanibel Community Association hall on Periwinkle Way. Public invited.

Bridge for Fun
Bridge competition every Wednesday from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Sanibel Community Association Building on Periwinkle Way. Party bridge and all are welcome. No barrier necessary. For information call 472-2366.

Captiva Civic Association
Board of governors meets at 10 a.m. on the first and third Tuesday of each month at the Captiva Community Center.

Civil War Reenactment Society
Wigmans Lane 472-8242

Bi monthly meetings
Call for additional information on this newly formed group.

Coconut Camp
The food-loving cooperative meets every fourth Thursday at 7:30 p.m. at the Sanibel Captiva Conservation Foundation on Sanibel Captiva Road. New members are welcome. For more information call Karen Hahnstrom, 472-6503.

CDNA
Committee of Neighborhood Associations

Meetings held on the second Thursday of every month.
For more information call President Fritz Holtz, 472-2235.

Sanibel Community Association
Meetings held at 6:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at the association hall on Periwinkle Way.

For information call the office Monday through Friday, 472-2155, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Sanibel Captiva Chamber of Commerce
Board of directors meets the second Monday of each month at 8 a.m. at the Chamber of Commerce Building on Conewago Road.

Sanibel Captiva Power Squadron
Executive meetings held at 10 a.m. on the first Wednesday of every month at the Dunes Country Club. General membership meetings held at noon of each month at the Sanibel Captiva Association hall.

For information call Lt. Urban Palmer, 472-1316.

Kiwias
Meets every Wednesday at 7:30 a.m. at the Dunes Country Club.

Lions Club
Meets at 6:30 p.m. on the first and third Wednesdays of every month at the Sanibel Community Association Building on Periwinkle Way.

Lions Auxiliary
Meets at 8:30 a.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at the Dunes Country Club. For information call Mary Greenlee, 472-3301.

Amoras
Dances played at 8 p.m. every Thursday at the Sanibel Captiva Road. Cash or check accepted.

Rotary Club
Meets every Friday at 7:45 a.m. at the Sundial on Middle Gull Drive. All visiting hoteliers, guests and interested individuals are welcome to attend.

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 Art League
Outdoor workshops every Thursday year-round from 9 a.m. to noon followed by lunch and critique. Phone 472-4944 or 472-2911 for locations. Indoor workshops every Thursday morning through March with still life set up arranged at the Sanibel Community Center from 9 a.m. to noon. Indoor workshops with model every Monday afternoon through March from 1 to 4 p.m. at the Captiva Community Center, 22 charge.

Sanibel Captiva Boy Scout Troop 88
Meets from 7 to 8:30 p.m. every Tuesday at the Sanibel Library on Palm Ridge Road. Visiting scouts are welcome. Call Ron Sobel, 472-4141, days, for more information.

Sanibel Captiva Shell Club
Meets at 8 a.m. on the third Monday of each month at the Sanibel Community Center on Periwinkle Way.

Association Hall
Board meetings held on the second Monday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at the Sanibel Public Library. Call Charlotte Hamlet, 472-2927.

Sanibel LaSalle of Hospitalliers
Meets on the third Monday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at the Sanibel Public Library. Call Charlotte Hamlet, 472-2927.

Sanibel Salsa Team
Salsa classes: Call Dick Greenlee, 472-2312.

South West Anglers Club
Meets at 7:30 p.m. on the second Tuesday of each month at the Moore Hall on Park

Doctors, therapists, pharmacies

GENERAL PRACTICE

Jean Gentry, M.D., P.A.
2726 Periwinkle Way
472-4181

Stephen Helleb, M.D., FACS
2426 Palm Ridge Road
472-2148

Wegryn Medical Center
Stanley Wegryn, M.D., FACS
4301 Sanibel Captiva Road
Open 24 hours
472-4131

MEDICINE AND SURGERY

John Colucci, D.O.
Island Medical Clinic
2426 Palm Ridge Road
472-9074

CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN

Harry Katz, D.C., P.A.
2426 Periwinkle Way
472-1874

OPTOMETRISTS

Dr. Albert Evans
1833 Periwinkle Way
472-3112

Open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

Robert Laboon, O.D.
Bay Wind Plaza
2403 Palm Ridge Road
472-4204

PHARMACIES

Carver Drugs
Island Shopping Center
Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road
472-4169

Open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.
Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Sunday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. No pharmaceuticals on Sunday.

Jerry's Pharmacy
Jerry's Grocery Store
Jerry's Shopping Center
472-4400

24 hour emergency service, 472-6000. Open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday and holidays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Roger Danahy, D.D.S.
William Shorack, D.D.S.
Bay Wind Plaza
2403 Palm Ridge Road
472-2199

Open seven days a week. Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

INTERNAL MEDICINE AND CARDIOLOGY

Stephen Mallory, M.D.
2426 Palm Ridge Road
472-1234

Churches

St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church
The Rev. James D.B. Hobbs
Periwinkle Way
472-2172 (annex)
472-2334 (main)

Sunday - Holy Eucharist, 8:15 a.m., 7:30 a.m.; Holy Eucharist (morning prayer and church school) 9:30 a.m. Wednesday - Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.

Saturday - Holy Eucharist, 5:30 a.m.

Sanibel Community Church
The Rev. Bruce Milligan
1749 Periwinkle Way
472-2148

Sunday services at 9 and 11:15 a.m. Church school at 10:15 a.m. for pre-schoolers to adults.

Nursery available during services. Friendship hour follows services.

First Church of Christ
The Rev. Bruce Milligan
2426 Palm Ridge Road
472-2148

Sunday services and Sunday school 11 a.m. Wednesday evening meetings 8 p.m. Reading room 10 a.m. to noon Wednesday and Friday.

Temple Beth-El
Rabbi Solomon Akin
2721 Del Prado Boulevard
Case Coral
574-3113

Sunday - Children's religious school, 9:30 a.m. Friday - Service, 8 p.m.

Great Orthodox Church
The Rev. Fr. Arthur Cepelous
Cypress Lake Drive
Fort Myers
482-2099

Sunday - Orthos, 9:30 a.m.; Divine Liturgy, 10 a.m.

First Baptist Church
Pastor James Strawn
Sanibel Captiva Road
472-9763

Sunday - Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; Bible study, 11:15 a.m.; Evening services at 8 p.m. Sundays and Wednesdays at 7 p.m.

Nursery available for all services.

St. Isabel's Catholic Church
Pastor Joseph Baumert
Sanibel Captiva Road
472-9763

Saturday Mass - 5:30 a.m. Sunday Mass - 8:30 a.m. and 10 a.m. and noon. Daily Mass preceding Holy Day 7 p.m.

Confessions, 3:30 to 4:30 p.m. Saturday only.

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Service stations

Island Exxon
2426 Periwinkle Way
472-2011

Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. Seven days, 24-hour road service and complete auto repair.

Island Garage
1409 Periwinkle Way
472-4111

Open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m., 24-hour wrecker service. American and foreign car repair. A.A.A.

Sanibel Standard
1015 Periwinkle Way
472-9125

Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days, 24-hour road service and complete auto repair. A.A.A.

Gulf Service Station
1113 Periwinkle Way
472-1878

Open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekends. Certified licensed mechanics.

South Seas Plantation
Capitva
472-5111, ext. 208

At the entrance to South Seas Plantation on the left side of the road just before the security guard. Open seven days from 8:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Closed for lunch from noon to 12:30 p.m.

Three Star Grocery
2403 Palm Ridge Road
472-5600

Open Monday through Friday 8 a.m. to 11 p.m., Saturday and Sunday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Diesel fuel available.

Bike Route
2326 Palm Ridge Road
472-1953

A full service bike shop open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Closed Sunday.

Chackie's General Store
South Seas Plantation
Capitva
472-5111, ext. 2007

Open seven days from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

The Grip Shop
The Island Shopping Center
472-1402

Open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Sundays from noon to 4 p.m.

R & L Linens
1265 Periwinkle Way
West Harbor's
472-3332

Open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 7 p.m.

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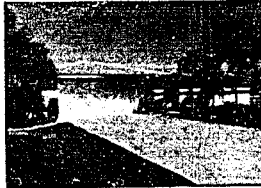
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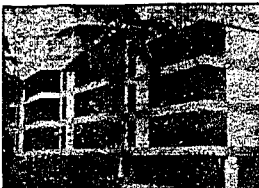
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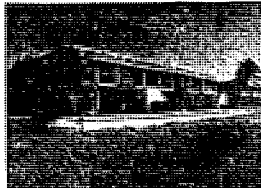


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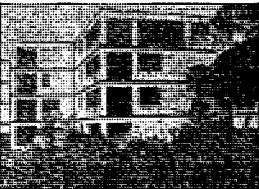
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