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# Sanibel Captiva Islander

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## A busman's holiday



### Sanibelians retreat to isle off Maine for summer weekend

By Bill Read  
Special to The Islander

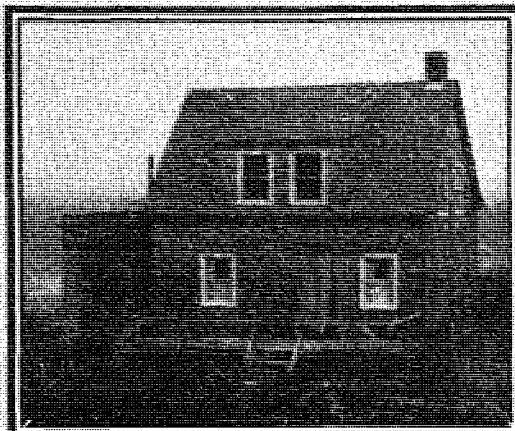
During our wanderings this summer we took a busman's holiday of sorts one weekend. We vacationed on another island—Monhegan, about 14 miles off the coast of Maine at Booth Bay.

My wife spent her girlhood summers on Monhegan with her parents and sister and had always wanted to show the island to the children and me. Our son and his family were unable to join us, but our daughter did.

The passage aboard the *Balmy Days* was rather heavy going. The seas were a bit on the rough side, and it was pretty chilly. A goodly number of passengers who only minutes before had eagerly awaited boarding at the Booth Bay dock suddenly found themselves helplessly seasick.

The mate was compelled to rush madly around passing out paper towels and swabbing the deck—where he could get at it between the legs and feet of the stricken passengers and those of their seat mates. The latter, while negotiating the passage pretty well themselves, heartily wished they were elsewhere.

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The picturesque shingle houses, most of rather advanced age, generally are situated on the high ground encircling the island.

## Goss wins primary, will face Cape man in November

By Barbara Brundage

Sanibel's Porter Goss won handily the Republican nomination as a candidate for Lee County Commission District 1 seat in last Tuesday's first primary election.

Goss polled 11,187 votes countywide—more than his three challengers combined—and won the right to seek election to the commission seat to which he was appointed in 1983.

He will face Democrat Tom Castelucci of Cape Coral in the Nov. 6 general election. Castelucci was unopposed in the Democratic primary.

Goss, a Sanibel city councilman for eight years and the city's first mayor, carried Sanibel with 522 votes. His opponents, Jim Conway, Lawrence Hyman and Jim Lawrence, all Cape Coral residents, together garnered a total of 61 votes on the Island.

In Cape Coral, where he expected the greatest opposition, Goss carried

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## CEPD cuts proposed budget by \$600,000

By Scott Martell

In a move sure to stun many Captivians, including two absentee commissioners, the Captiva Erosion Prevention District board voted 2-1 to slash the CEPD proposed 1984-85 budget by more than 75 percent at last Wednesday's first public budget hearing.

The cut drops the proposed budget from \$753,551 to just \$145,689 for the next fiscal year. The original figure would have been raised by a tax of 4.68 mills.

The first public hearing on the budget erupted into a protest against setting aside large amounts of ad valorem tax money in a "capital outlay reserve fund" for beach renourishment.

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## Council wants full contingent to decide marina-boat dock issue

By Barbara Brundage

A final decision on a specific amendment to delete marinas and boat docks as a permitted primary use in the bay beach ecological zone has been postponed by the City Council to Oct. 2 when a full council will be on hand.

The three councilmen present at last Tuesday's meeting decided to continue the second reading after a motion to approve failed by a 2-1 vote. Three affirmative votes are required for approval of specific amendments.

Mayor Fred Valtin and Councilman Mike Klein, who supported the amendment, agreed that the new law would not prohibit the construction of public

marinas or boat docks but would put the burden on property owners to demonstrate that such facilities would not be environmentally damaging to the bay bottom.

Valtin said that since most of the bay beach area is residential, "I can't conceive of anything but a public outburst of opposition if a public pier were proposed."

Klein pointed out that requiring a specific amendment would ensure that all such construction would be given public attention and allow residents to voice their concerns.

Councilman Francis Bailey argued that boating is a natural recreation on Sanibel and docks are

necessary for its enjoyment. He said he would prefer one central dock for the use of many families over a proliferation of private docks at every home on the bay.

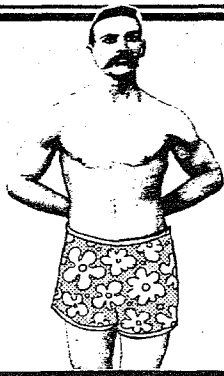
"It's contradictory (to allow one category and not the other)," he said, adding, "There have been docks on the bay for many years that have caused no cumulative effect on marine life."

Bailey's brother, Sam, questioned whether a decaying boat dock on the bay in front of the old Bailey Store could be rebuilt if the proposed ordinance were approved.

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# ISLAND SHORTS

Community news and announcements about your friends and neighbors



## Councilmen autograph owl 'Council' painting

Joe and Ruth Searing were so taken with the painting of five barn owls Charlie McCullough raised for Dr. Bill Webb's project that Joe bought it on the spot.

McCullough had titled his work "Council" but denied he had any intent of likening owls to City Council persons — only the numbers were the same. He shrugged off Searing's reminder that his high school class had voted him "most unbelievable."

After "Council" was exhibited in an art show Ruth staged at South Seas Plantation, the Searings quickly claimed their treasure.

Last week Joe brought the painting to MacKenzie Hall, where the three councilmen

present (Francis Bailey, Mike Klein and Mayor Fred Valtin) at the regular session autographed it.

Though no resemblance to any member of council was intended by the artist, Joe after

study can detect some likeness.

Valtin assured Joe that with the signatures of only three of the five council members his treasure is probably already worth five figures.



Ruth and Joe Searing with "Council."



## Save it for a rainy day

That's just what Joe Lakus of Sanibel did. He took advantage of an already wet car last week and washed his Continental in the rain. "It was already all wet, so I figured I might as well finish the job," Lakus said when photographer Mark Johnson spotted him on his way to another assignment.

Lakus might have another chance to do just the same thing this week if the weatherman's predictions for afternoon thundershowers come true.

## Attorney leaves Sanibel for mile-high city

Attorney Bob Dormer's roots are firmly entrenched in Sanibel, but he and his wife, Lisa, are moving to mile-high Denver, Colo., in search of change and new challenges.

After vacationing in Denver the Dormers found Denver a vital city with many opportunities for young people and decided to go west.

Bob, the oldest son of long-time Islanders Ellie and Bob Dormer, will continue practice of law in the city famed for its clean air, either in the city attorney's office or with a private law firm. He has been the supervising attorney for Florida Rural Legal Services, Inc., in Fort Myers for the past five years.

A graduate of the Memphis State University Law School in Tennessee, he has worked in the field of legal services during



Bob and Lisa Dormer

most of his career. "I'm ready for a change," he said this week.

Lisa, a flautist with a bachelor of music degree from Boston Conservatory of Music, has been associated with the Southwest Florida Symphony and the Naples-Marco

Philharmonic Orchestra. She is looking forward to the opportunity to broaden her musical horizons in their new home.

The couple was married in June 1983 and live on Bird Lane. They plan to leave Sanibel for Denver Sept. 22.

## Refuge worker wins mortgage lottery

The luck of the draw has earned J.N. "Ding" Darling refuge staffer Chris Olsen the



Chris Olsen

privilege of owning her own condominium.

Olsen put her name in a lottery to receive a 10.99 percent interest loan through money put up by a state of Florida bond. Her financial backer was U.S. Homes, which drew 30 winners from Southwest Florida.

Olsen plans to buy a condominium off Summerlin Road. "Only 15 percent of the loans were to go to condominiums, so I was not expecting much luck —

I thought there was no chance at all," Olsen says. But she also figured it wouldn't hurt to try.

A home of her own is particularly important for Olsen. Until she came to Sanibel a little over a year ago she had always lived in federal refuge housing — which often meant living out in the boondocks of a wildlife refuge.

"I'm very pleased, to say the least," said an exuberant Olsen.

## DO YOU REMEMBER?

### 20 Years Ago This Week Sept. 10, 1964

There will be a covered dish dinner at the American Legion this weekend. All proceeds will go toward helping Jake Stokes pay for his recent stay in the hospital.

The Roy Webbs are closing the Castaways restaurant for a month so they can concentrate on refurbishing the Golden Sands, their newest venture.

The staff of The Islander will take a few weeks vacation starting this week. Look for your next issue of the paper Oct. 15.

### 15 Years Ago This Week Sept. 11, 1969

As of Oct. 1 commuter tickets for passenger cars and pick-up trucks will be available at the Causeway toll booths in books of 10 for \$20. The tickets will be valid for two months from the date of purchase.

Charles and Helen Patterson and Priscilla Murphy hosted the September dinner at the Sanibel Community Association hall. More than 70 SCA members and guests enjoyed the fare.

After the dinner Marshall Holtz presented Ralph Woodring Jr. an engraved plaque in honor of Woodring's outstanding self-collected shell exhibit in this year's Sanibel Shell Fair.

Bailey's advertised a six-pack of Old Milwaukee beer for 99 cents, 10 rolls of bathroom tissue for 69 cents and a five-pound bag of flour for 39 cents.

### 10 Years Ago This Week Sept. 12, 1974

The Lee County Commission has voted against the county zoning board's recommendation of approval for a 95-unit trailer park on 22 acres next to the J.N. "Ding" Darling sanctuary on Sanibel-Captiva Road.

Robert Buntrock has joined Priscilla Murphy Realty, Inc., as a Realtor-Associate.

### 5 Years Ago This Week Sept. 11, 1979

Sanibel Water Attack Team swimming coach Dick Noon received the Coach of the Year distinction at the annual awards banquet of the Greater Lee County YMCA swimming league. Sanibel's Jennifer Muench was named Swimmer of the Year in the same awards ceremony.

The Sanibel Planning Commission has approved plans for a neighborhood access road connecting Beach Road and Elinor Way. Officials hope the shell road will alleviate some of the problems with left turns from Periwinkle Way onto Donax Street.

### 1 Year Ago This Week Sept. 13, 1983

Two long-time city employess have resigned and are looking forward to a less strenuous life on Sanibel. Recording secretary Gloria Berry and building official George Blain announced their plans to leave city service last week.

A six-month moratorium on development went into effect last week in Sanibel Highlands, Sanibel Gardens and Tarpon Bay subdivisions.

The West Wind men's softball team reigns as champion of the No-Seeum Classic tournament held last weekend. The Dunes 86ers beat the Timbers for the right to contest undefeated West Wind in the finals, in which the West Wind men beat the Dunes, 9-6.

In women's softball action The Other Team took the No-Seeum title.

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### Weather watch

Everybody talks about it....



Summer's heat and humidity have broken somewhat recently, but afternoon thundershowers remain the norm in the weatherman's predictions for this week on Sanibel and Captiva. Highs should be in the upper 80s, lows near 70s under partly cloudy skies.

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

	HIGH	LOW	RAIN
Monday, Sept. 3			
Tuesday, Sept. 4	90	75	.22
Wednesday, Sept. 5	88	76	.29
Thursday, Sept. 6	86	73	.77
Friday, Sept. 7	84	70	0
Saturday, Sept. 8	85	74	0
Sunday, Sept. 9	86	75	0

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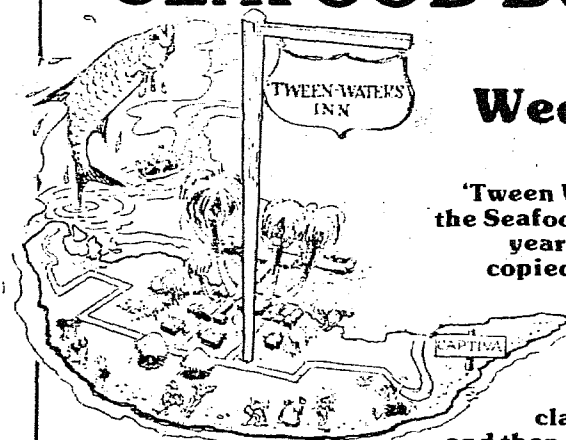
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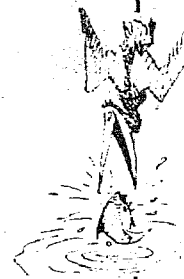
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# COMMENTARY

## Concerned about cocktailers, reader turns to councilman

A copy of the following letter to Sanibel City Councilman Mike Klein was given to *The Islander* for publication.

Dear Councilman Klein:

As a result of a letter of mine regarding cocktailing in the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge and a response both published in *The Islander* (July 31 and Sept. 5), it has been suggested that I write you. The respondent questions the existence of such cocktailing and wonders why I shake my finger at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and at Sanibel since such behavior

is probably tourists, not Sanibel residents.

I'm sure many Sanibel residents and certainly the Fish and Wildlife people are aware of the evening cocktailers during the tourist season in the refuge. As a matter of fact, one evening last March I was in the Bailey Tract watching a red shouldered hawk's nest when three slightly tipsy ladies came up, cocktail glasses and sea shell-bedecked thermoses in hand, wanting to know if the "spoonbacked flamingoes" had arrived. I assured them they hadn't.

Fish and Wildlife are the stewards of the "Ding" Darling refuge. Their mission is to: "Provide the federal leadership to conserve, protect and enhance fish and wildlife and their habitats for the continuing benefit of the people."

I question whether tolerating cocktailers awaiting the return of spoonbills to their roosts is benefitting to many people.

The residents of Sanibel are, in a sense, the

stewards for the Island, a responsibility they have taken very seriously and discharged remarkably well. Were Sanibel to adopt statutes concerning open liquor containers and liquor consumption in motor vehicles, I suspect the refuge management would adopt them for "Ding" Darling. These statutes are quite common all over the country. I urge you to consider them.

Over the years we have come to love Sanibel and plan to continue our regular visits. We realize the Island's natural beauty and quaintness is due in large measure to the on-going efforts of its citizens who have worked so hard to maintain and enhance those qualities. The cocktailing in the refuge seems to us a step out of character and in the wrong direction.

Sincerely,  
Sidney Keoughan  
Scotch Plains, N.J.

## Humane Society volunteer makes additional point

To the Editor  
*The Islander*

Re: your story of Sept. 5 concerning the Bank of the Islands' generous donation to the Lee County Humane Society. The story was very well done, but I would like to make one additional point. We need some "family planning" in the pet world; that means that owners can help reduce the increasing numbers of stray and unwanted animals by having their pets neutered.

Thank you,  
Ellen Smith  
Sanibel

## Candidates night chairman thanks all who contributed to success of recent forum

To the Editor  
*The Islander*

Last week Sanibel showed Lee County how it really expresses its appreciation to 23 county candidates who took the time to travel to the Island personally and entertained more than 200 residents.

Since April 26, 1984, a committee of 10 hard-working, dedicated folks have given of their time, thought and effort by serving on the committees and attending no less than eight meetings. May I introduce Bill and Jane Murphy, Bill Angst, Eleanor Goldbloom, Jim Levy, Len Lorensen, Ginny McKee,

Harriet Ringle, Donna Kreager, plus Gil Bursley, moderator; George Tenney, parliamentarian; and Henry Shelton.

I wish to thank Harriet Goetz, president of Plan A Party caterers, for donating the refreshments; the Sanibel Community Association for donating the entire building at no charge and to all of our sponsors who helped to make the evening such a success. My thanks to all for the large attendance.

Urban Palmer, chairman  
Community Committee  
for Candidates Night

## Retired persons express concern over funding cuts to volunteers

A copy of the following letter to Lee County Commissioner Porter Goss was given to *The Islander* for publication.

Dear Commissioner Goss,

The Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Lee County gave 84,000 hours of service to the needy of Lee County during the 1983-84 year. The volunteers contributed approximately \$600,000 in services to Lee County. Yet the county contribution for funding this program has been cut from \$35,026 to \$11,225 by the County Commission.

For the past nine years this program has been supported with one-third coming from the Federal Action Grant, one-third from the district school board and one-third from Lee County.

There are 400 volunteers serving the school system and more than 600 volunteers serving non-school related activities. Yet the county that receives the benefit of these services has cut their funding by two-thirds.

The county commissioners in their great wisdom have budgeted more than \$2,000,000 for consulting fees for various programs and have increased funding for service groups that nowhere approach the depth of important services the Retired Senior Volunteer Program of Lee County program provides.

We, the members of the Sanibel-Captiva Chapter 3678 of the American Association of Retired Persons, senior citizens, taxpayers and voters request that you reconsider this cut in funding.

Sincerely,  
Henry Shelton, president  
Sanibel-Captiva AARP

## Newspaper keeps newlyweds in touch with their honeymoon spot

To the Editor  
*The Islander*

Since spending our honeymoon on Captiva and picking up *The Islander* to acquaint ourselves with the local charm, my wife and I have been regular subscribers.

Your coverage of the Spoonbill controversy, Mark Johnson's photos and the ongoing squabbles between George Campbell and whomever, make your newspaper great reading, even in the Windy City.

My favorite feature, just edging out Police Beat as the weekly top pick, is Capt. Mike Fuery's two nautical columns. Both are concise, informative and written with the right touch of humor.

My front-to-back perusal of your paper has not come between us yet. After 5½ months of wedded bliss, we are already counting the days until our return.

Sincerely,  
Robert and Jennifer Mangon  
Oak Park, Ill.

## Mothers Against Drunk Drivers spread the word about local chapter

To the Editor  
*The Islander*

We are pleased to announce the formation of the Lee County Chapter of MADD (Mothers Against Drunk Drivers).

Our goals are to reduce the number of deaths and injuries caused by drunk drivers and to provide support and service to the victims of drunk drivers by:

1. Alerting and informing the public of the seriousness and urgency of the drunk driving problem. Many are crippled or

impaired for life. Statistics state that at least 70 people are killed every day in alcohol-related crashes.

2. Working for effective prosecution and punishment of drunk drivers as well as supporting their rehabilitation. Drunk drivers with repeated offenses and even those who kill innocent victims are rarely sent to prison for they are sheltered within the confines of the law.

3. Representing and assisting the victims to see that justice is

done. They are ignored by the judicial system.

4. Working for more equitable and effective laws and striving to see that they are enforced.

Our meetings are held at 7 p.m. the first Thursday of every month at designated areas. For information about meeting places call me at 995-7903 or call the chapter secretary, Iris Mitchell, 995-0036.

Sincerely,  
Edith Lilley, president  
Lee County Chapter of MADD

## Howe's comments to Campbell boost resident's morale

To the Editor  
*The Islander*

Thank you, Paul Howe! I needed that boost to my morale (Commentary, Sept. 5) after George Campbell questioned my intelligence (Com-

mentary, Aug. 28). I fully agree with you re: animal husbandry on Sanibel in a residential area.

Cordially,  
Isabella Ross  
Sanibel

## Notice to our readers

### Something to say?

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# OBITUARY

## Sara Bard – Long time winter resident

Sara Bard, long time winter resident of Sanibel and Captiva, died Aug. 8, 1984, at her summer home in Ocean City, N.J. She was 90 years old. Her husband, Leon, was at her side when she died.

Sara will be remembered by many Island residents. She and her husband spent 20 winters at Tween Waters Inn on Captiva, one winter at Sundial and four winters at Ocean's Reach condominiums. She will be particularly missed by the Kontinos family at the Coconut Grove restaurant, the members of the Sanibel Shell Club and by Captiva artist Maria Veiling, one her closest friends.

The Bards collected approximately one million Florida shells, many of which were specimen shells.

Hundreds are mounted and framed in boxes lining the walls of a room in their summer home.

Sara graduated with honors from Millville High School in 1913. She was a life and charter member of the Newburgh Historical Society and an active member of the Audubon Society there, where a garden is named in her honor because of her work with Audubon.

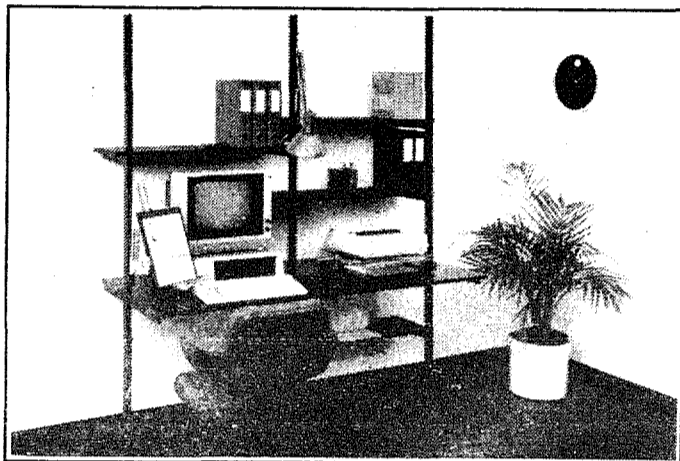
In addition to her husband she is survived by a son, Donald of Newburgh, N.Y., two grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Interment was in Seaside Cemetery in Palermo, N.J., near the town where Sara was born in 1894.

Sara and Leon Bard at their 70th anniversary celebration in July 1983. Behind the couple is part of their extensive shell collection.



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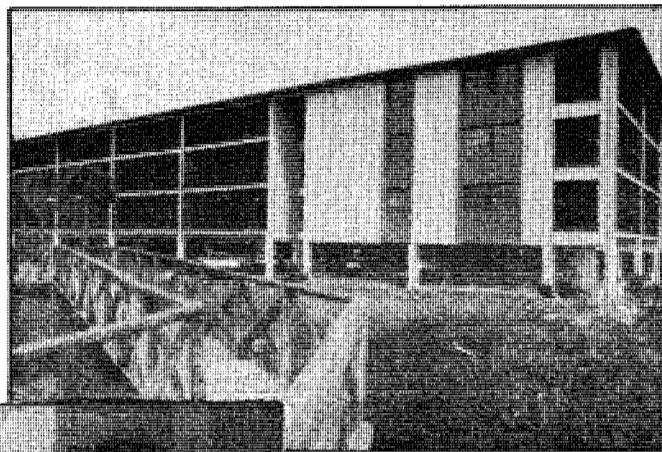
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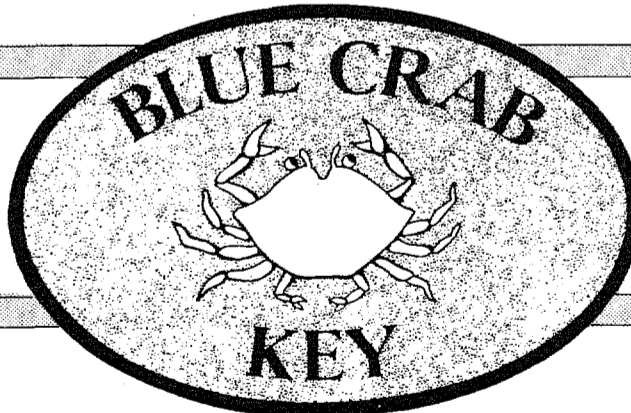
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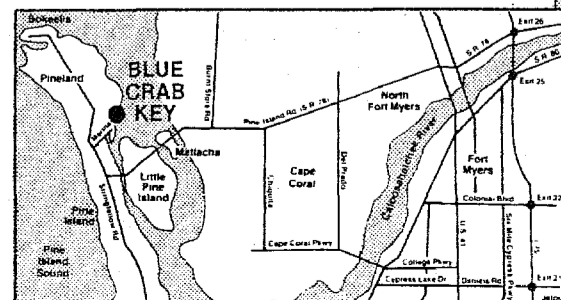
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# MUNICIPAL RECORDS

By Barbara Brundage

## Rezoning to permit theater use okayed for Bailey Road property

The approval does not guarantee that actress Carrie Lund's plans for a seasonal theater on the property will gain council approval. See related story page 6B.

The City Council last week approved establishment of a Special Use District on residential property on the bay front off Bailey Road permitting the use of the former Bailey General Store building as a 160-seat community theater.

The council voted 3-0 to approve the change from residential zoning despite a stern warning from Planning Director Bruce Rogers that the parcel might not comply with standards set up for a Special Use District.

But Mayor Fred Valtin made it perfectly clear to Carrie Lund, an actress and theater administrator, that this approval in no way guarantees that her plans to revive live theater on the Island at this site will reach fruition. (See related story, page 6B.)

Last week's decision only concerns rezoning to a district that permits a theater, he said. "The council could very well turn around and say no to future requests for specific amendments you may need to

comply with the city's building codes," he advised Lund.

Lund told the council that, "Though we can't anticipate every problem, we feel we have investigated this thoroughly and can accommodate all of the codes and still come out within our budget.

"We want a theater that would preserve the historical value of the site as well as the character of the Island."

She plans to operate the theater four nights a week for four months during the winter season and hopes to make it available to other groups the rest of the year.

"I've already discussed this with BIG Arts," she said.

The building is large enough to accommodate a 200-foot thrust stage with riser or bleacher-type seats on three sides, she said.

An initial inspection showed the building is structurally sound, she said, adding the biggest problem is parking. There is enough area for 56 spaces, which would permit 160 seats, but Lund would like to provide for future expansion to 200 seats.

Rogers was on vacation when Lund's request was heard by the Planning Commission and when the council heard it for the first reading.

"Frankly, I'm a little surprised this has gotten the support it has," he said at last Tuesday's final council hearing.

"The proposal being made here in my opinion is a tourist attraction and will not be supported by Island residents," he said.

Operating a theater four nights a week for four months of the year is an intrusion into an area that was suitable for residential use, Rogers maintained.

There are many commercial sites that are more appropriate for this use, he said, adding, "I have not heard anyone say that this property is not suitable for residential use. A theater does not require a waterfront location.

"Would you have made the same decision if the parcel were vacant?" he asked.

Rogers also warned Lund that the structure itself

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Planning Director  
Bruce Rogers

would get a lot of attention from the planning staff during the development permit stage that would be Lund's next step.

"It could be as late as Nov. 26 before a development could be approved even if there are no problems," he said.

Lund said she had originally targeted a December opening. "I need more time than I have right now. I'd be pushing it," she acknowledged.

Neither Valtin nor Councilman Mike Klein was swayed by Rogers' negative comments.

Valtin conceded that Rogers was "just doing his job."

Klein pointed out that there "is no way in the world we could have a live theater on this Island if Miss Lund had to go out and rent a commercial property or construct a building to operate a theater four nights a week for four months of the year.

"It's purely economics," he added.

Valtin agreed that if there were no existing building it would not be financially feasible to establish a theater.

"That takes into account what the Baileys are asking for rent," he added.

Councilman Francis Bailey, who with his two brothers owns the property, declared a conflict of interest. But he was advised by City Attorney David La Croix that he could participate in the discussion and cast his vote.

Klein's motion for approval of a Special Use District with the condition that if the property were no longer used for a theater the land would revert to residential use passed by a 3-0 vote. Councilman Bill Hagerup and Louise Johnson were absent.

The council also added a requirement that no more than 10 percent of the programs in the facility could be motion pictures. This does not preclude use of the theater for performances by dance groups, musical ensembles or other forms of live performing arts.

## Coming up at City Hall

A list of scheduled  
Sanibel City Council  
and Planning Commission  
meetings

Tuesday, Sept. 11, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — County Property Appraiser Ken Wilkinson at the request of the City Council will explain to Sanibel property owners the increase in real property assessments on the Island for 1985.

Wednesday, Sept. 12, MacKenzie Hall, 5:01 p.m. — First public hearing of the city's 1984-1985 budget.

Tuesday, Sept. 18, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — Regular meeting of the City Council.

Thursday, Sept. 20, MacKenzie Hall 10 a.m. — Scheduled hearings before the Code Enforcement Board.

Monday, Sept. 24, MacKenzie Hall, 9 a.m. — Regular meeting of the Planning Commission.

## First hearing on budget planned for Wednesday

The first public hearing on the city's tentative 1984-85 budget will take place at 5:01 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 12, at MacKenzie Hall, 800 Dunlop Road.

The council will consider a resolution adopting the tentative budget; recomputing the proposed millage rate; determining that the proposed millage rate does not exceed the rolled back rate; setting a date, time and location for a public hearing to finalize the budget and adopt a millage rate; and providing an effective date.

There will be time set aside for public inquiries and comments.

At the time the council will receive public input regarding appropriation of General Revenue Sharing Funds for Entitlement Period No. 16.

## Council says no to Mariner request to hasten action on amendments

The City Council last week turned a deaf ear to Mariner Properties, Inc.'s, bid to speed up action on four specific amendments in order to get a new project into the November Rate of Growth competition.

Richard Sproat, Mariner's director of development, wanted the date for the final council hearing on the amendments changed from Nov. 6 to Oct. 16 in order to submit a development permit to the Planning Commission for action before the Oct. 31 ROGO deadline.

Sproat said the applications for the specific amendments were filed with the Planning Department on Aug. 3. The Planning Commission was to consider Mariner's requests for transfer of density at its meeting Monday.

Planning Director Bruce Rogers told the council that if the applications had been filed sooner there would have been no need to divert from the normal schedule. Mayor Fred Valtin pointed out that the density applications were very complex and controversial and might not be able to meet the schedule anyway. "I would prefer we handle this routinely," he said.

Sproat said the situation was an emergency. Not being able to file a ROGO application for the November allocation will preclude Mariner from competing for over a year, he explained.

Rogers said that to process a development permit after mid-October would put pressure on the staff, which already has a heavy work load.

"The staff needs time to handle ROGO applications fairly," Councilman Mike Klein said, adding, "There's no way I want to give Mariner a leg up in the competition."

Councilman Francis Bailey said the specific amendment process might be too slow. "If the planning staff needs help we should give it to them," he said.

Klein's motion to deny Mariner's request for a "fast track" passed by a 2-1 vote with Bailey dissenting.

## Live entertainment okayed for another year at seven establishments

Entertainment licenses for seven Island restaurants and lounges have been renewed for 1984-85.

At the annual City Council review police officials and Code Enforcement officer reported no complaints about the establishments had been received during the past year. The council approved extension of licenses for solo entertainment at the Timbers and Cafe Orleans; a trio license at Casa Ybel Resort; a license for a group at Peppers; and for a band/group (four or more) at Sundial and Gib's restaurant. Ramada Inn's

license was changed from solo to duo and the fee increased to \$100.

The council also approved for another year the Casa Ybel Resort and Sundial Beach and Tennis Resort boat rental licenses.

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## MUNICIPAL RECORDS

### Three ROGO changes approved to take effect immediately

Three amendments to the Rate of Growth ordinance primarily affecting single-family homes were adopted by the City Council last Tuesday.

The council at the same time considered five other changes dealing with the treatment of multi-family applications in the ROGO allocation process. The changes were suggested by Mariner Properties, Inc., and Captran.

To ensure that the changes, if approved, would be effective prior to the November ROGO allocation, the council agreed to schedule a first reading of the proposed ordinance without input from the Planning Commission.

At their regular meeting Monday the com-

missioners were to review the document drafted by City Attorney David La Croix incorporating a proposed amendment to ROGO submitted by Mariner and the suggestions proposed by Michael Trowbridge of Captran.

Earlier it had been council consensus not to make any decisions on the changes until comment and a recommendation had been received from "the people who have to work with them."

A second reading of the ordinance is scheduled for Sept. 18.

The ROGO amendments adopted last Tuesday became effective immediately. They include:

- Authorizing the Planning Commission to approve

exterior improvements, including additions, to relocated structures before a ROGO allocation is obtained, at the owner's risk.

• Providing that single-family applications with no beneficial use will lose their second priority status if the applications are amended in any way to change the score after first time denial.

• Under the energy conservation criterion increasing from 2.0 to 2.8 the points allowed for a buildings designed with neither heating nor cooling mechanical system.

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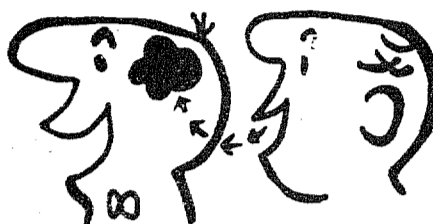
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## MUNICIPAL RECORDS

### Sign variance granted for Wil's Landing center

The City Council has granted a variance to the Graphics ordinance to permit a sign for Wil's Landing shopping center to be placed in the dedicated right-of-way along Periwinkle Way.

Wil Schlosser, developer of the shopping center, dedicated an additional 25 feet of right-of-way to the city as a condition of approval of his development permit.

The sign placed two feet behind the new property line, as required by the Graphics ordinance, would not be easily visible from the street.

In the past the council has permitted signs in the right-of-way. In the case of Wil's Landing the sign will be in the same location as it would have been had not the additional right-of-way been dedicated.

### After-the-fact approval granted for pool deck at Sanibel Harbours home

A wooden deck constructed around a tree less than 50 feet from San Carlos Bay can stay, the City Council decided last week.

The violation was discovered by city officials at the final inspection of Carlos Porcelli's new swimming pool at his Sanibel Harbours home.

The deck, constructed two years ago, was no more than a "home hobby project," Mayor Fred Valtin observed at a hearing last Tuesday of an "after the fact" request for a specific amendment to legalize the deck.

Councilman Mike Klein saw the impact as "no different than laying a few boards on the ground and placing a few lawn chairs on them."

"There's nothing to be gained by removing the decking," he added.

Councilman Francis Bailey was concerned about the after-the-fact status of the request, but he voted with Valtin and Klein to approve the specific amendment.

Councilmen Bill Hagerup and Louise Johnson were absent.



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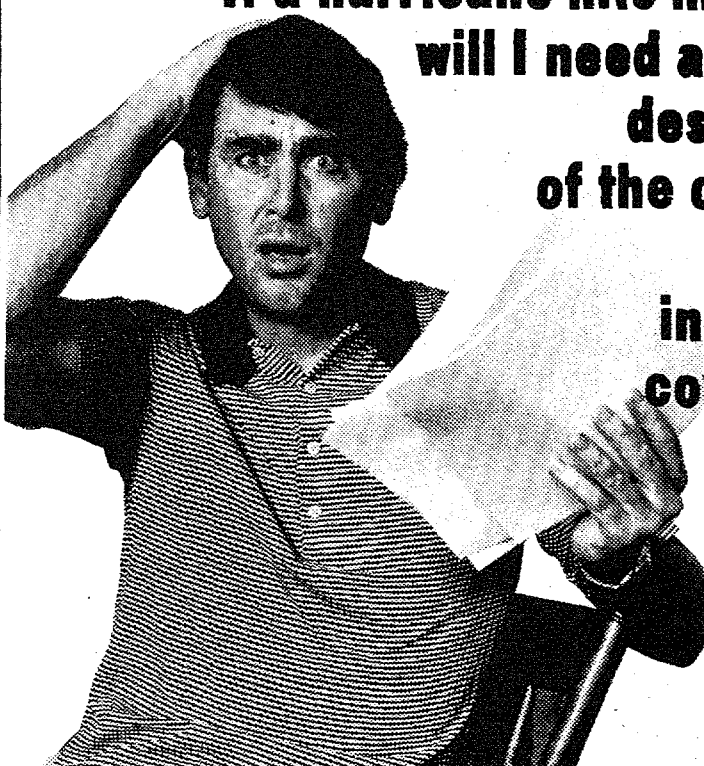
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## MUNICIPAL RECORDS

### Change order covers \$15,800 cost overrun for Periwinkle Way project

The City Council last week authorized a change order to the contract with Macasphalt, Inc., for the Periwinkle Way drainage and bike path improvements. The change order covers the additional \$15,828 it cost to modify the Island Water Association lines along Periwinkle Way.

A change order for a times and materials contract to relocate the water lines at an estimated cost of \$30,000 for Phase I and \$17,900 for Phase II was approved by the council on June 25.

But Roy Vose of Howard Needles, Tammen and Bergendoff, project coordinator for the city, explained that unexpected problems took more time than anticipated and increased the cost in Phase I to \$34,265 and to \$29,463 in Phase II.

"The work has been completed and

we have no choice but to pay for it," Mayor Fred Valtin said.

Councilman Mike Klein commented that, "A 30 percent overrun on a \$364,000 project is not bad."

Funds are available from the previously budgeted project accounts, City Manager Bernie Murphy assured the council. He said the approximately \$60,000 remaining is sufficient to complete planned "mini" drainage projects in the areas of the F&B Oyster House/Sanibel Community Association building, Sanibel Community Church and the Tahitian Gardens shopping center/Pirate Playhouse area.

The council approved Macasphalt's request to extend the date the project will be "substantially completed" from Sept. 1 to Oct. 1.

### Special events ordinance action postponed

**"It should be voted on today and if rejected scratched and never considered again."**

**Richard Donlin**

It was a case of deja vu at the City Council meeting last Tuesday when MacKenzie Hall was crowded with irate citizens protesting the adoption of an ordinance that would require permits for "special events" held on private property.

The scene was reminiscent of July 1983, when the council considered a proposal to make it unlawful for more than 25 people to assemble for a special event on private or public property without a permit from the city manager.

Its intent was to regulate organized activities at gatherings of more than 25 persons that might pose a threat to the residential character of the city and the health, welfare and safety of its citizens.

Scores of residents spoke out against the ordinance labeling it an "infringement of the public right of assembly," "a violation of constitutional rights," "communistic in nature" and "smacking of Big Brother tactics."

At that time the council bowed to the will of the people and rejected the proposal.

Last Tuesday the council considered a revised draft of an ordinance introduced in early July that again addressed the problem of city control of special events that might become objectionable if not regulated.

The nine-page document incorporated changes in the original ordinance to eliminate the \$25 fee for a

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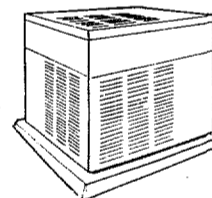
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## MUNICIPAL RECORDS

### Action postponed on special events ordinance continued

permit, delete the posting of a \$2,000 bond and exempt private garage sales from the permit requirement.

But with only three members present the council agreed at the outset of the public hearing last week that final action would be postponed until Oct. 2, when a full council would be present.

This decision brought an immediate protest from Richard Donlin, an attorney who is an announced candidate for a City Council seat.

"It should be voted on today and if rejected scratched and never considered again," Donlin said.

Henry Shelton, also a council candidate, sharply criticized the council's delaying tactics. "This ordinance is like a two-edged sword; there's no need for it," Shelton charged, adding, "This is the most controversial thing the people of Sanibel have faced. We thought this was buried last year and now it's surfaced again."

Donlin said he had paid City Hall \$2.25 for a copy of the ordinance and

\$40.50 for copies he distributed to opponents of the 1983 special events proposal.

But it became apparent last week that the ordinance Donlin had been given was the first draft and not the document the council was considering.

No one was aware of the revisions that had been made at the July 6 meeting, which, Mayor Fred Valtin pointed out, "softened the tone and substance" of the ordinance.

"There has been a misunderstanding of its intent," he said. "There is no attempt being made to get rid of special events Islanders have long enjoyed."

City Manager Bernie Murphy explained that revised ordinances are not available until the Thursday before the council meeting when they will be considered.

The City Hall secretary who makes up the council packets has no way of knowing in advance that a new draft of an ordinance is forthcoming, he explained.

Donlin was assured that copies of the revised second draft would be made available at no charge so all interested persons could be informed before the Oct. 2 hearing.

Don Anderson, another council candidate, said he was offended by the lack of communication with council and staff. "I'm offended that the people had to come here again for another city fiasco," he added.

Murphy said copies of the ordinance would be placed in the Sanibel Public Library.

City Attorney David La Croix explained that rather than curtailing such events as garage sales, bake sales and the Lions Christmas tree sale, the new rules will legalize them.

Currently under the Comprehensive Land Use Plan these activities are illegal without a specific amendment.

Valtin pointed out that a development permit is required to stage such events as the Baptist Church tent revival.

"Under this ordinance all that will

be needed is a permit from the city manager," he added.

Valtin said the ordinance still needs fine tuning and predicted further changes will be made when it is discussed next month.

The ordinance interprets "temporary use" of land as 21 days or less and says temporary structures needed for special events do not constitute "development."

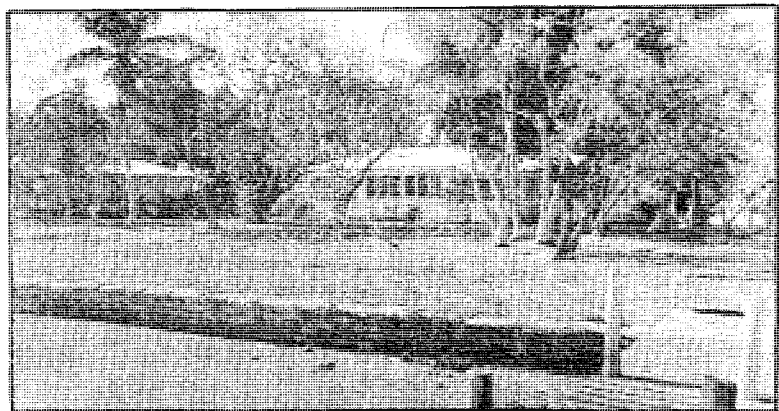
It recognizes, however, that special events such as a bazaar, concert, fundraising event, race, contest or exhibition create demands on city services and facilities and might create problems and hazards to the general public if unregulated. During the permitting process these problems can be anticipated and corrected in advance.

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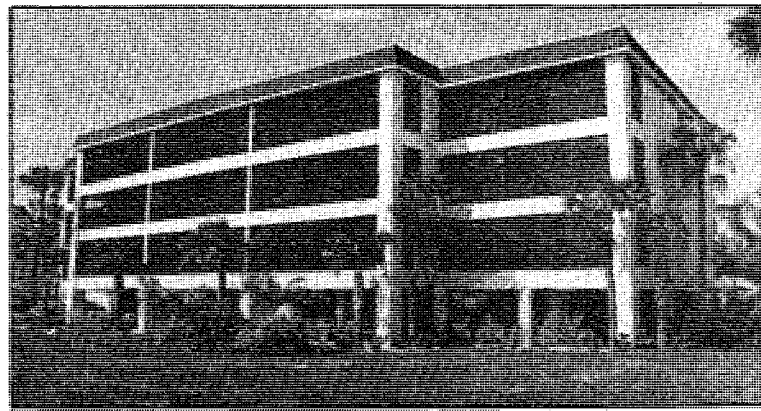
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Two Sanibel boys, both 9 years old, were warned of the dangers of playing in an abandoned house after a concerned resident notified police the boys were inside the abandoned Compton house on Beach Road around 3 p.m. Friday, Aug. 31.

Police responded to the beach boardwalk at Pelican's Roost condominiums around 2:30 a.m. Saturday, Sept. 1, after a nearby resident reported hearing a man yelling for help. Police found a quadraplegic who had fallen from the boardwalk in his wheelchair. They helped the man back

into his wheelchair and took him back to his condominium.

A Sanibel woman notified police that she had been bitten several times by a raccoon near her house on Joewood Drive Saturday morning, Sept. 1. The woman said her husband had killed the raccoon and was taking it to Cape Coral Hospital for testing upon request from hospital officials. The woman was treated at the hospital for the bites to her leg.

A telephoto lens and a pair of sunglasses were reported missing from a Galena, Ohio, man's rental car that was parked at the Colony resort sometime between Aug. 3 and Sept. 1. The car had been left unlocked. Value of the missing items was estimated at \$204.

Police investigated the reported theft of a mailbox from a home on Dingman Drive Saturday afternoon, Sept. 1.

A 14-year-old Sanibel boy told police someone had taken his wallet from a window sill in the weight room at the Sanibel Recreation Complex Saturday afternoon, Sept. 1. The blue corduroy wallet contained \$6.50 in cash.

Police investigated an attempted theft at Island Moped Sunday morning, Sept. 2. They found an alarm wire running through the spokes of the mopeds stored outside the building had been cut and one moped had been removed from the group. The moped was found lying on its side in the

parking lot.

A Mockingbird Lane resident showed police several bullet holes in two windows on the north side of his home Sunday morning, Sept. 2. The homeowner had been away during July and August. Police said they would step up their patrols in the area.

Sanibel police warned two Cape Coral residents that they were trespassing when they parked their car in a private driveway on West Gulf Drive and went to the beach Monday afternoon, Sept. 3. The couple said they could find no other place to park.

A Sanibel man was escorted back to the toll booth at the Causeway around 9:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 3, after he initially drove through the toll gate without stopping to pay the toll. Michael Les Smith of Lighthouse Way had to pay \$3 for the first time he drove through the gate and another \$3 for re-entering the Causeway after police escorted him back.

A Miami man reported a light bar with three Hella spotlights had been taken from his pick-up truck that was parked at the Sundial between 1:30 and 2:30 p.m. Monday, Sept. 3. A wire had been cut and bolts removed to take the bar from the truck. Value of the light bar was estimated at \$300.

A Union Lake, Mich., man reported miscellaneous fishing gear valued at \$404 was missing from the dock at Surf Rider condominiums on East Gulf Drive early Tuesday morning, Sept. 4.

Police helped settle a disagreement between the management at the Blue Dolphin motel and a Miami guest who had rented two rooms for four people for the Labor Day weekend Tuesday, Sept. 4. Although the rooms had been rented for four people, the management said, at least 10 people were in the units for the weekend. The two parties finally agreed on a rate and the bill was paid.

Police looked for but did not find a man who was reportedly lying in the ditch along Sanibel-Captiva Road near the American Legion post shortly before 10:30 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 4.

Several realty agencies on Sanibel reported "For Sale" signs had been taken from properties in Sea Oats subdivision Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4. A total of 11 signs valued at \$220 were reported missing.

A Penshell Drive resident reported a ladies brown bicycle was missing from his garage Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4. The bicycle was valued at \$100.

A Fort Myers man was arrested for possession of a forged instrument after police stopped him for speeding on Sanibel-Captiva Road Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 4. William Kenneth Ellison, 44, of 2825 Central Ave., was charged.

Police are continuing their investigation of the theft of \$1,000 in cash

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## Article praises police olympics participants

This article is reprinted from the Fall 1984 edition of *World Police and Fire Games* magazine. Writer Paul Lauder wrote the article after members of the Sanibel Police Department made an impression on him in the 1984 Florida Police Olympics competition in Fort Lauderdale in June. The article was originally headlined "These Island Cops Swim Harder."

Ever had to find Sanibel, Fla., in an atlas? It's not a trivial task.

Sanibel is an island off the west coast of Florida, adjacent to Fort Myers. The resort town is home to 4,000 year-round inhabitants protected by the 17 full-time policemen of the Sanibel Police Department.

"How the hell do you guys patrol? Do you swim?" laugh the other officers in the state, most of whom come from the larger PD's such as the Metro-Dade 2,000-member department. In response, Sanibel's cops don't say much; they just make a point of attending the Florida Police Olympics each year. There they let their athletics do the talking.

Eloquent speakers they are. In this year's competition involving more than 2,000 athletes from 108 police departments, the state's smallest competing department swept past forces and state agencies many times as large to earn a seventh-place finish. The Sanibel contingent of 12 men and three women made the folks back home proud — all 4,000 of them.

So how does the tiniest team in Florida take seventh place in a field of 108? It swims, and it swims hard.

"Swimming is definitely our biggest strength," says Sanibel Sgt. Jack Primm, understating a fact proved by the 22 medals brought home. Maybe they do swim on patrol.

Primm himself is a horseshoe ace, winning the gold medal in singles and doubles for the third

consecutive year. In all, 12 of the 15 participants took home medals (eight of them will attend the Internationals in Phoenix), silencing the jesters and proving that size is not everything at the police olympics.

Florida's games, now in their 17th year, are among the largest in the nation, fielding 32 events for their 2,000 participants, 500 of whom are women. Held from June 18-23 in Fort Lauderdale this year, the event moves to Tampa in '85.

Although out-of-state individuals are welcome to join in, the event's greatest rivalries are intrastate, especially among departments in the southern half of the state. From the final standings — Metro-Dade Police Department first, Miami Police Department second — one can guess what is perhaps the biggest rivalry in the event. These two southern departments are nearly always battling near the top spot. "The rivalries can get pretty heated," says Linda Paris, an executive director of the Florida Police Olympics, "especially in softball," the sport with the greatest interest (31 teams) in the six-day olympics.

But while the monolithic departments of the south battle it out for the top, the state's smallest competing department is not far behind. Seventh place is a victory in itself for Sanibel, although the team may never win the whole thing until ... until two, maybe three more members join the force.

### Police beat continued

from the Timbers restaurant. The money was taken sometime between 4 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 4, and 11 a.m. Wednesday, Sept. 5.

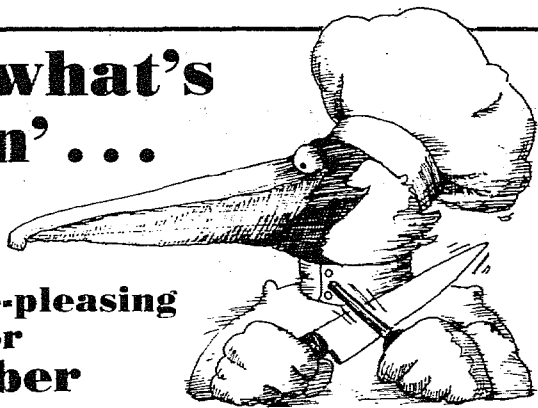
A Waldwick, N.J., man reported a Mastercard and \$180 in cash was

missing from his room at the Ramada Inn early Thursday evening, Sept. 6. The man said he and his wife were gone from the room from 4:40 to 5:20 p.m. and realized when they returned that they had left the key in the door.

Four cans of beer and a Prince tennis racquet valued at \$125 were reported missing from a unit at the Sundial Thursday night, Sept. 6. The items were taken sometime between 12 and 7 p.m. that day.

Police issued 13 citations to drivers for speeding on Island roads during the week that ended Thursday night, Sept. 6.

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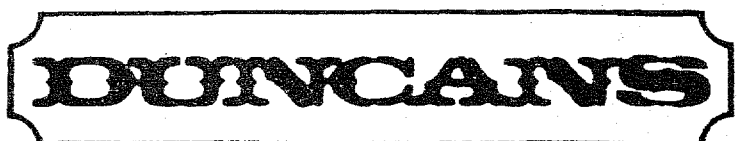


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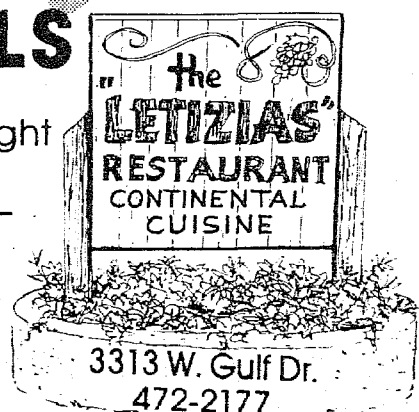
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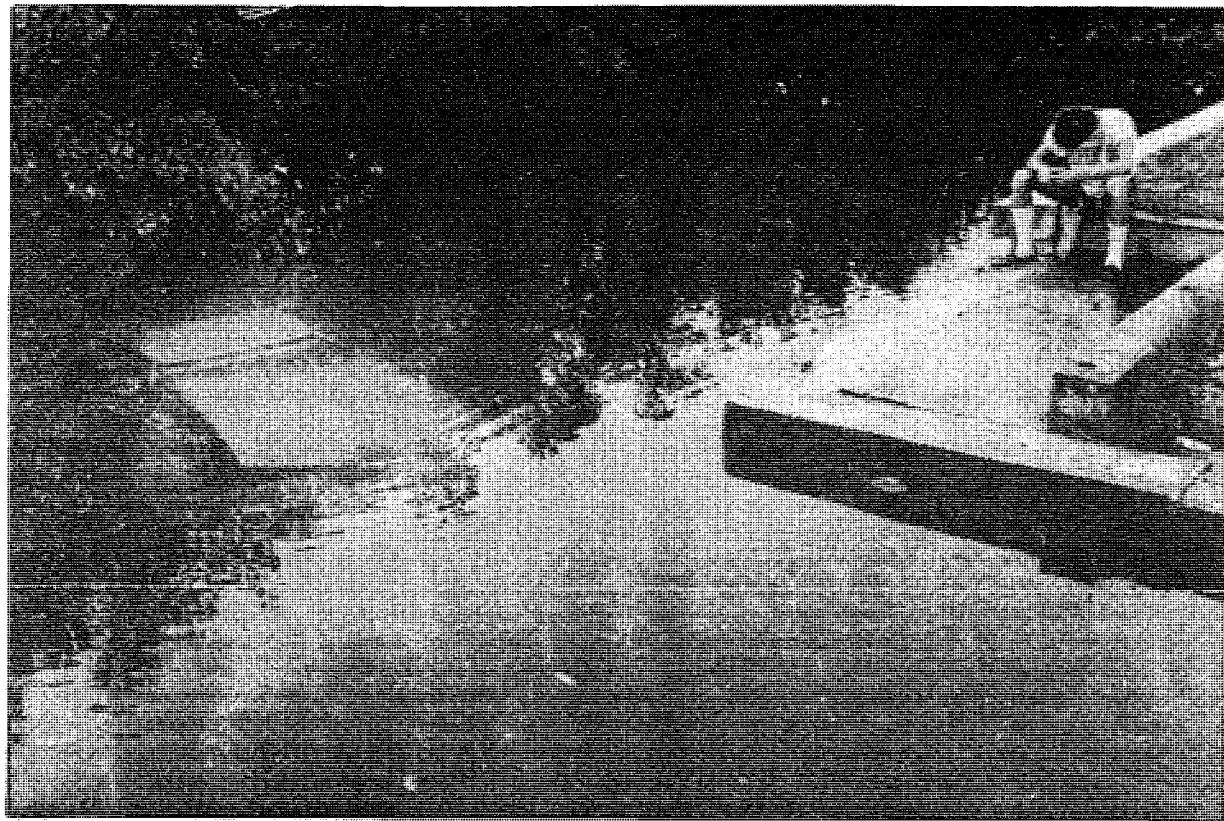
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Phillip Frazetta looks despondent as he waits for his car to be removed from its watery grave. The car plunged into the canal along East Gulf

Drive on Sanibel after Frazetta lost control of the vehicle as he rounded a curve in front of the Beachcomber motel.

## Sanibel youth escapes injury; Corvette totaled

By Mark Johnson

A Sanibel youth narrowly escaped injury Friday morning after losing control of his car, sending it plunging into a canal along East Gulf Drive on Sanibel.

Phillip Frazetta, 16, was driving his 1976 Corvette eastbound in front of the Beachcomber motel when he lost control of the car. The vehicle slid approximately 71 feet, just missing a telephone pole, before slamming into a concrete boat ramp and rolling backward into a canal across from the motel.

Frazetta escaped from the car before it sank and jumped to a nearby dock.

According to Bob Kelly, a witness to the accident, the Corvette came around the corner at a high rate of speed and then lost control.

Myrtle Almas, owner of the Beachcomber motel, was sitting in her front room having breakfast at the time of the accident.

"I saw him coming around the corner going like -- . And then I saw him go into the water. He's lucky he didn't kill anybody," Almas said.

Officer Art Leanos of the Sanibel Police Department estimated Frazetta was traveling approximately 65 mph when he lost control of the vehicle. "He is lucky to be alive," Leanos said.

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Onlookers watch as the 1976 Corvette is pulled from the canal.

Photos by Mark Johnson.

### Youth escapes injury continued

The Corvette, valued at \$10,000-\$11,000, was totaled in the accident. Property damage to the boat ramp and an electrical repair junction was estimated at \$750.

Frazetta received his driver's license last month. Leanos said he will be charged with speeding, driving on the wrong side of the road on a curve and careless driving.

### Police rec club wants help updating phone book for 1985

To assist in bringing the 1985 Sanibel-Captiva phone directory up to date, the Sanibel Police Recreation Club is asking that any errors, omissions, deletions or additions be filled in on the coupon below and

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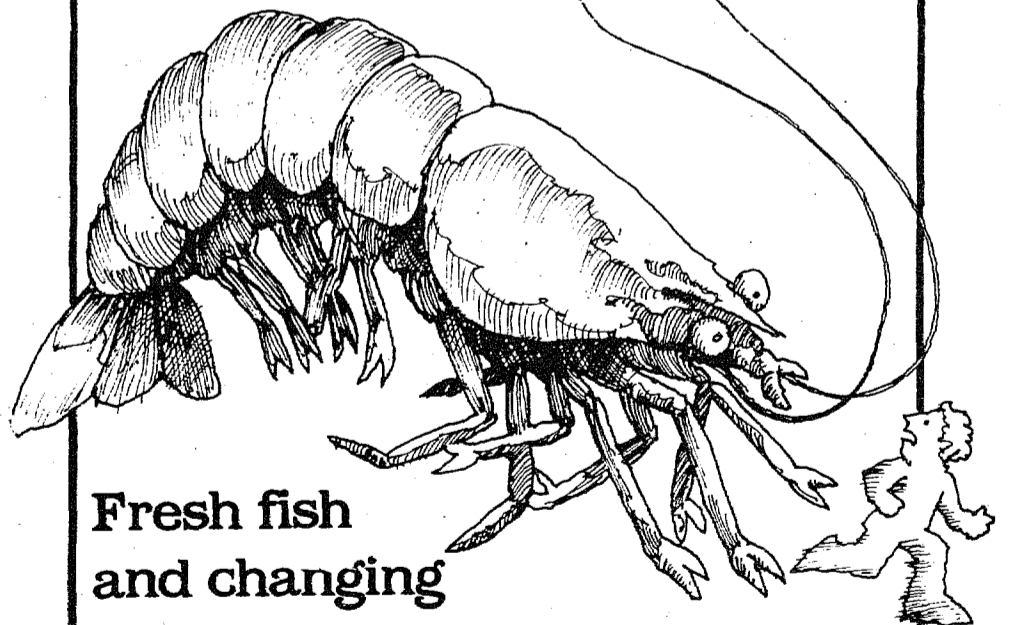
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# BUSINESS NEWS

By Scott Martell

## Few spaces remain on computerized information board

Only 11 spaces remain unsold on the 80-space computerized information board that will be in place at the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce "front desk of the Islands" by Oct. 1.

Chamber Executive Director Walter Klie said last week a cross section of Island businesses from gift shops to grocery stores, real estate agents to restaurants and doctors to builders have already secured their positions on the John-Winters Systems board.

A representative from the Sarasota-based firm was on Sanibel and Captiva selling the system last month. Businesses can still buy space on the board by contacting either the Sarasota office of John-Winters Systems or Klie at the Island chamber.

Each business that buys space receives an 8x10" transparency on the board. Visitors looking at the board can decide which business they would like to learn more about and, by following simple computer instructions, will receive a print-out detailing the service offered by the advertiser. In addition, the route to the business from the chamber office will light up on a map of the Island in the center of the board in the chamber lobby.

Space on the board is \$695 for one year. Advertisers will have several opportunities throughout the year to amend the information available on the print-out.

John-Winters Systems information boards are in place in chambers of commerce in Cape Coral, Naples and Bonita Springs and in many other chamber offices throughout Florida.

To ensure your place in the Islands' newest information center call Lynda Shaw at the John-Winters Systems, Inc., office in Sarasota, (813) 922-7481, or Klie at the chamber on Sanibel, 472-3232.

## Businesses change places in 'musical chairs' with office space

Five Island businesses are in the process of a bit of musical chairs. When the "music" is turned off, perhaps by next week, each business expects to be set up in a new and better location.

The game started when She Sells Sea Shells vacated its store by the Island Apothecary on Palm Ridge Road. Len Kessler, owner of the building, then moved his Island Apothecary into the space.

Cablevision of the Islands then moved into the old Island Apothecary space, vacating its offices by Sanibel Photo on Periwinkle Way.

At the same time Dr. Robert LeSage, optometrist, was anxious to move into more visible quarters. To do so, he gave up his space in Baywind Plaza on Palm Ridge Road and moved into the former cablevision office on Periwinkle Way. The doctor's former office was quickly snapped up by Fantasy Island real estate.

The Island Apothecary is already firmly established in its new quarters.

"Naturally, just moving next door in a building we already own made the move fairly simple," Kessler laughs. "And we are already getting some favorable comments," he adds. "Our new space is smaller and customers are saying they find it more homey and cozy."

Cablevision desperately needed more room for its combined office and work area, says Manager Ward McKee. The move started last week and should be completed early this week.

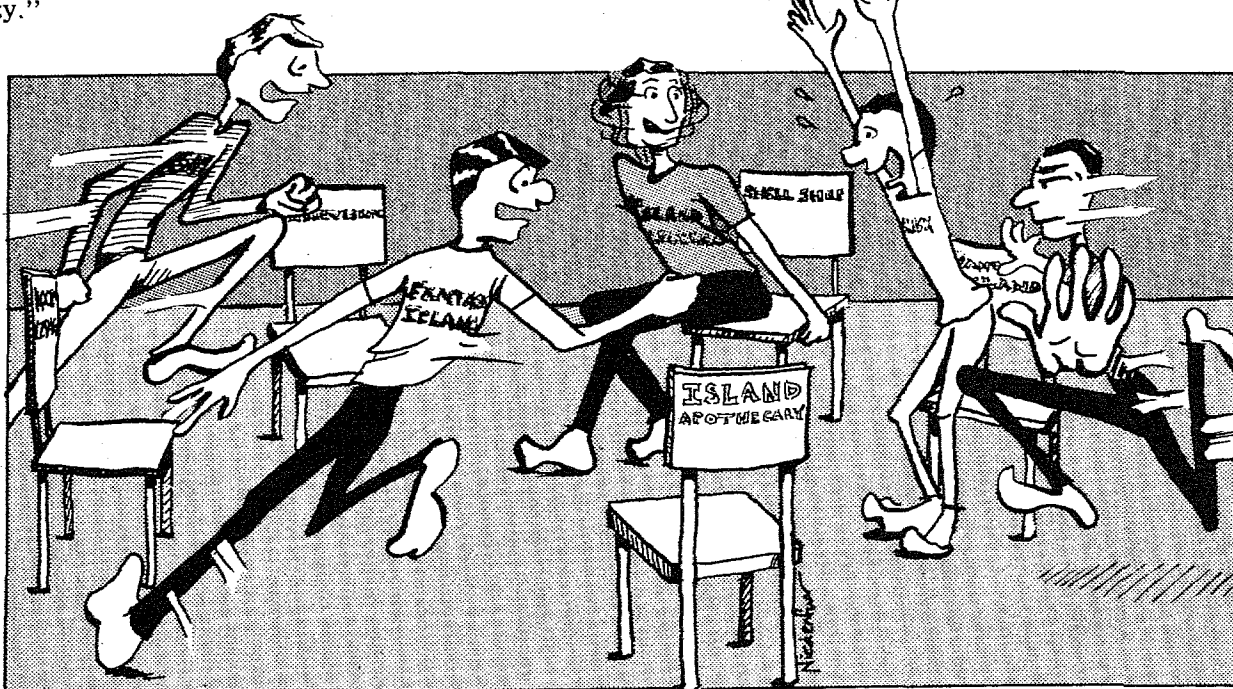
McKee says the new location is more central, closer to Captiva and the Cablevision tower, and has more parking facilities.

But things at Cablevision's old office on Periwinkle Way will be just fine for LeSage. "We've had our ear to the ground hoping to find a place like this for several years," says Jeannie Norris, the doctor's business manager. She adds it will take several weeks to make necessary renovations, however.

And as the doctor begins his move, Fantasy Island can begin its expansion. Taking over LeSage's former office will afford the real estate firm one-third more space in Baywinds Plaza.

"We've been awfully cramped," says Sonya Smith. "We've got some moving around and reorganization to do, but we should be ready to open the new sales office area by Sept. 20."

And then the music can be shut off and the chairs put away.



## Former Book Nook owner uses computer to search for scholarships

Nancy Olds, the former owner of the Island Book Nook, has opened a computer research business in Oklahoma City, Okla., that matches students with available financial aid.

As college costs keep climbing and government loans keep shrinking, Olds says, more and more students are now talking about "found" money.

"Last year more than \$100 million in student aid went unused," Olds says. Her firm, Scholastic Guidance Services, uses a computer to sniff out scholarship funds.

The firm's data bank contains information on \$500 million in nongovernment aid and more than \$2 billion in government grants and scholarships.

The Scholastic Guidance Services, in existence for only a few months, gets good grades from students. Each month 100 high school seniors pay a \$39 application fee to record their education history — grades, test scores, extracurricular activities, even their parents' jobs and membership in civic groups.

"At that point, our computer takes

over," explains Olds. "Once we develop a program that matches abilities and requirements with existing grants, the whole search process takes only a week or so. The complete cycle of a student's computer search takes three weeks at the most."

Olds promises to refund the \$39 fee if her service uncovers fewer than five scholarship alternatives. The average is 12 per applicant. The computer print alerts eligible students to grants from the AFL-CIO, Eastman Kodak, local Rotary clubs and other sources.

"I estimate that around 40 percent of the applicants will be what the public calls successful," claims Olds. "It's a low figure because many students don't follow through after we send them the results."

Olds knows that many parents appreciate her firm's concern about college costs. "When I ran an ad in a local paper," she says, "Parents responded like crazy, while the students just ignored me. But when I placed an ad in several college papers, applications poured in. I guess that

points up the difference between the graduating senior and the frantic freshman, who finds out the campus living expenses can be overwhelming.

Other services being offered by SGS are:

- A college matching service that helps take the guesswork out of locating appropriate colleges. The computer matches clients with colleges based upon the client's specific interests and desires for location, affiliation, size, preferred field of study, etc.
- The athletic award matching service tracks down available awards based on the area of the country in which the applicant is interested and the sports he can play.
- And the graduate/professional financial aid matching service matches financial aid to an applicant's requirements on the graduate and professional level.

The new school of thought is that found funds are worth taking a look at. And Olds is going to the head of the class in this new match game.

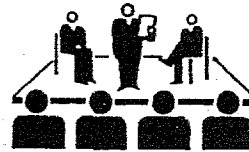
## Program examines real estate syndication

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For additional information, course brochure and registration form call Diane Hinkle, (904) 373-9975.





## BUSINESS NEWS

### Island Interiors studio, boutique opens in Fort Myers

Former Sanibel businesswoman Lori Armstrong has opened Island Interiors, a full-service design studio and accessory boutique, at 33 Patio DeLeon, downtown Fort Myers.

Wendy Briest of Sanibel is the design assistant and manager of the boutique.

Island Interiors offers a full range of design services and products, in-

cluding floor and wall coverings and numerous furniture lines. The works of artist Rich Westerman, formerly of the Seahorse Shops gallery on Sanibel, are on display at the boutique through October.

Hours are from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday and by appointment evenings and weekends.

### ESI selects advertising agency of record

Executive Services Inc., has appointed Gottesman and Associates, Inc., of Fort Myers, as the firm's advertising agency of record. ESI's headquarters are on Sanibel.

ESI, a full service real estate company since 1975, specializes in vacation rentals, long term rentals, condominium and home owner association management, general real estate and exclusive project sales.

The ESI territory includes Gasparilla Island, the Caloosahatchee River area of South Fort Myers and the SunCoast Islands of Manasota, Knight, Palm, Don Pedro, Little Gasparilla, Cayo Costa and North Captiva.

Robert Buntrock is president and co-owner of ESI along with Keith Johnson.

### New tax law affects almost everyone

#### in some way

Courtesy of the Florida Institute of Certified Public Accountants

In an effort to reduce the federal deficit, close some tax loopholes and make the rules more equitable, Congress this year enacted the most complex and cumbersome tax act in history.

The 1984 Deficit Reduction Act is the third major tax act in five years and probably not the last. Its 1,450 pages add tremendous complexity to an already complex system. It affects everyone in some way.

Here are just a few of the changes that might affect you, according to the Florida Institute of CPAs.

If you are an investor, you only have to hold an investment for six months and one day to qualify for long-term capital gains treatment. Only 40 percent of a long-term capital gain is added to your income. For investors in the 50 percent tax bracket, the maximum tax paid is 20 percent of the gain. These new capital gains rules apply to all assets acquired after June 22, 1984.

If you purchased a luxury car for business use after June 18, 1984, you can no longer write off its full cost using a three-year depreciation formula. Now, the depreciation of all cars is limited to a \$4,000 deduction in the first year the car is in service and a \$6,000 deduction in all subsequent years.

Divorced people will find the law tightens up a patchwork of rules of property settlements and alimony payments. The new language also dispels some confusion surrounding employee fringe benefits. Real estate investors must now depreciate property over 18 years instead of 15, which allows smaller deductions over longer periods.

The tax on a gallon of diesel fuel went from nine to 15 cents a gallon as of Aug. 1. The tax on distilled spirits goes up \$2, to \$12.50 a gallon, Oct. 1. And the new law puts a bite on sport fishermen who must pay a 10 percent excise tax on an expanded list of fishing gear beginning Oct. 1.

Computer buyers must also contend with changes in amounts they can

deduct for the business use of their computers. For computers placed in service after June 18, 1984, to qualify for an investment tax credit more than half of its use must be for business.

Additionally, to write off up to \$5,000 for a computer in a single year or to depreciate it over five years, more than half its use must be for business and not personal reasons. A computer used 50 percent of the time or less for business must be written off under a 12-year depreciation formula and does not qualify for an investment tax credit.

The new law also takes away some of the tax break for people whose income has jumped sharply over previous years. It will be harder now to qualify for "income averaging," which allows someone with a sudden jump in annual income to pay less tax by averaging his or her income over several years.

Not all the changes in the tax law hurt; some breaks are offered. For instance, if you drive a car for charitable reasons, such as making clothing pickups for a local charity, you can deduct 12 cents a mile beginning in 1985 instead of nine cents a mile. So, if you drive 5,000 miles for your local charities, you will be eligible for an additional \$150 deduction.

Another change in the tax law, brought about by changing patterns in the way Americans receive medical treatment, affects medical deductions. Specifically, the new law allows you to travel to an outpatient clinic and deduct as much as \$50 a night for lodging at a hotel for the period of treatment. If a friend or relative accompanies you, another \$50 deduction is allowable. You risk losing this deduction if a significant amount of recreation or vacation is connected with the medical trip.

These medical expense qualify for deductions only if — together with your other qualifying medical expenses — they exceed 5 percent of your adjusted gross income. This higher floor for medical expense deductions was part of the tax law change that made medical expenses harder to deduct.



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## SCHOOL NEWS

### Children's co-op prepares for fall

Activity at the Island Children's Co-op is increasing as the summer doldrums move into a busy fall. The co-op, which provides babysitting care especially for children under 3 years old, is six months old this month.

A \$4 membership fee entitles co-op parents to 30 "scrips" worth one-half hour of babysitting time. To receive more time, parents have to return the favor by babysitting other members' children.

One of the first activities planned by the co-op this fall is the semi-annual membership meeting. All parents are encouraged to attend the meeting at 10 a.m. this Wednesday, Sept. 12, at the Gulf Pines subdivision clubhouse.

Among the items to be discussed will be changes in the existing by-laws and electing new officers, according to spokesman Sherry Anderson.

Also planned for next week is a bake sale from 10 a.m. until nothing but crumbs remain this Saturday, Sept. 15, at Bailey's. Parents who can help at the bake sale should call Pamela, 472-3760.

Several mothers in the co-op are interested in forming a "Mother's Morning Out" group. They plan to meet on next Wednesday, Sept. 20. For more information call Anne Ketterman, 472-0236 or Ellen Harris, 472-5205.



Sanibel Police Recreation Club President Art Leanos presents a scholarship check for \$1,000 to David Krepin of Sanibel.

The scholarship from the rec club is based on academic excellence and financial need. Krepin, a student at Edison Community College, plans to use the money to further his

studies in computer science at the DeVry Institute of Technology in Atlanta, Ga.

Pictured from left to right: Pat Krepin; Marilyn Skinner, treasurer of the rec club; Officer Art Leanos; David Krepin; Capt. William Trefny and Bob Krepin. Photo by Mark Johnson.

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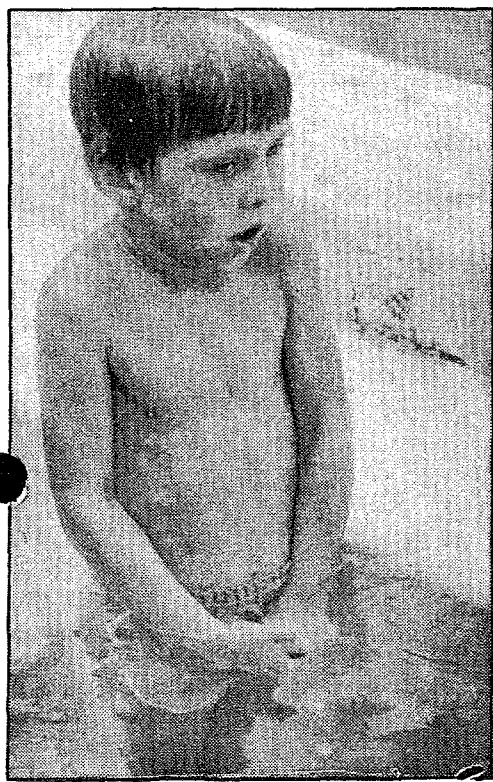
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## SCHOOL NEWS



The cool water put goose bumps on Patrick Horne.

### Program ensures youngsters' safety in the water

About 40 youngsters went through a rigorous test last week. Judging by all the splashing and laughing in the recreation complex pool, the test cannot be compared to the law bar exam. But for the kids it was much more important — it could save their lives.

Each year Sanibel Elementary School and the city's rec complex conduct a "waterproofing" program that tests all new students on their basic water survival skills.

The program has received state-wide notice — two years ago it received the Little Red Schoolhouse Award.

All students at the school must pass certain requirements. The tutors are June Muench, Helene Phillips and often parent volunteers. Last week even Dick Noon, rec complex director, pitched in.

The youngsters were tested on Red Cross beginning swimming level requirements. They floated on their backs then turned around and floated

with their faces in the water. Then they jumped in the deep end of the pool and swam the length of the pool.

Those youngsters designated "non-swimmers" during the screening process are put in special swimming classes that will improve their water

skills.

And considering all the canals, pools, wetlands and the gulf surrounding Sanibel and Captiva, those are skills every person should have.



Recreation Director Dick Noon helps DeAnn Dellinger perfect her water treading skills. Photos by Mark Johnson.

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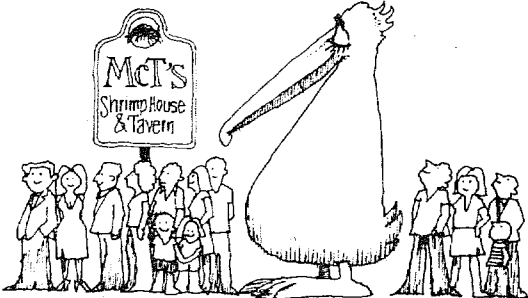
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# Part One: Port Caloosahatchee

## What effect would deep water port in Cape Coral have on the Islands?

By Scott Martell

Imagine this: The sun is just coming up over Estero Island as a Sanibel visitor, Jean Smith, practices the Sanibel stoop at Lighthouse Point while her husband casts his fishing line from the pier.

Then, out of the haze that still covers the gulf this early morning in September comes the abrupt sound of a loud horn.

As the Smiths gaze out to sea a dark shadow materializes. When it breaks through the haze the shadow forms into an ocean-going freighter—headed up the Caloosahatchee River.

"It must have got lost in the fog," shouts John Smith. "It's going to go aground!"

But the ship heads upriver without slowing its pace. The Causeway bridge yawns open, and the freighter chugs past Punta Rassa.

The year is 1989, and the freighter is the very first ship to slide up the new deep water channel heading for the brand new port facility in southern Cape Coral.

Or so goes an optimistic scenario anticipated by Terminal, Inc., which has drawn up conceptual plans for such a port. The plans come in response to a 1983 Lee County solicitation for such ideas.



Whether freighters glide by the eastern tip of Sanibel, under the Causeway bridge toward a new port up the Caloosahatchee River is sure to be

a major issue of the 1980s — if indeed the county is serious about having a centrally located port facility here.

A look at the coastline of Lee County would seem to indicate very few spots that could be considered for such a deep water port.

In part one of The Islander's look at Port Caloosahatchee (the developer's name for the facility) we will show readers what Terminal, Inc., proposes to do. In part two we will look closer at specific issues: environmental, economic and political.

And we will look closest at those specifics that affect Sanibel — the dredging of a deepwater channel, possible changes at the Causeway and the change in the path of oil tankers to the Florida Power and Light plant and other ship traffic past Sanibel up the Caloosahatchee River.

A port in Cape Coral will without question touch the Islands. We will touch base with those questions raised outside Sanibel's realm, too.



The current proposal for Port Caloosahatchee is Terminal, Inc.'s, second attempt to win support for a port concept in southern Cape Coral. The first was soundly rejected by Lee County last September. Concerns raised then included everything from the environmental impact to the community impact the port would have.

And last week the Cape Coral City Council voted 6-0 to oppose the new proposal, which has yet to be presented to them.

So the proposed \$100,000,000 port

facility will be an uphill battle for Terminal, Inc.'s, president, developer and landowner Nathan Zemel, who controls the 550-acre plot designated for Port Caloosahatchee, and for Zemel's consulting firm, Novaport Limited of Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada, represented by vice president John Jay.



Novaport Limited — port development and terminal operation specialists — brings much experience into the fray.

Jay says his firm represents ports around the world and is particularly active in port management in the Caribbean basin.

If the new proposal reconstructed by Novaport Limited is accepted by Lee County, and if Terminal, Inc., receives required dredge and fill permits, then the process will unfold with the dredging of a deep water channel from the Gulf of Mexico to the port in Cape Coral.

"The channel pretty much tracks the present deepwater channel," Jay said last week. The channel will have to be dredged to 30-36 feet deep. Jay estimates about 10-15 million cubic yards will have to be dredged from the channel from the gulf to the port.

"The channel has to be deep enough to accept what are generally considered 'small' tonnage ships — those weighing in the 10-20,000 deadweight tons size," Jay said.

The U.S. Coast Guard estimates that such ships would be in the neighborhood of 100 feet long. Shrimp boats average 72 feet and can weigh up to 10,000 tons.



The ships are targeted to pass through the Causeway where the span currently opens and closes. The passageway is 90 feet wide.

Another possible problem concerns the Causeway. For the ships to pass through, Jay said, Terminal, Inc., will have to "fix" the drawbridge.

"At the moment it malfunctions — the movable parts, when open, should stand straight up," he said. "Once that is fixed, no other change is required. That span was designed to accommodate ships the size we are talking about."

Assuming the boats make it past the Causeway, they will continue up the Caloosahatchee to the new port.

In many cases the boats will be carrying oil for the FPL electric plant. Jay points out one important benefit of oil coming directly into Cape Coral. "Probably the most important aspect as far as Sanibel is concerned is that the port would eliminate the hazard caused by barging oil down from Boca Grande through the environmentally sensitive intercoastal waterway to the north of Sanibel."

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13,000 barrels a day are barged through the waterway for the power plant, Jay says. The route passes the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge and through many areas designated for aquatic preserves.

The connection of oil for FPL and the creation of a port facility have brought forth two other ideas.

First, Terminal, Inc., has proposed that certain oil distribution companies might be willing to foot the bill for new bridge crossing the Caloosahatchee from Cape Coral to the Shell Point Village area south of Fort Myers.

Second, the oil must be transported from the port to the FPL plant, so pipe lines are being proposed.

The proposal for a bridge and the idea of having oil pipe lines from the port upriver to the FPL plant are related.

According to Jay, the bridge could carry the pipelines across the river — a main reason why the petroleum distribution companies might underwrite the cost of the bridge.

Then the pipe lines would head inland along Gladiolus Road, cross U.S. 41 and head straight north to the power plant.

Back at the port, oil from tanker would first be pumped into petroleum storage tanks — the primary industry of the port.

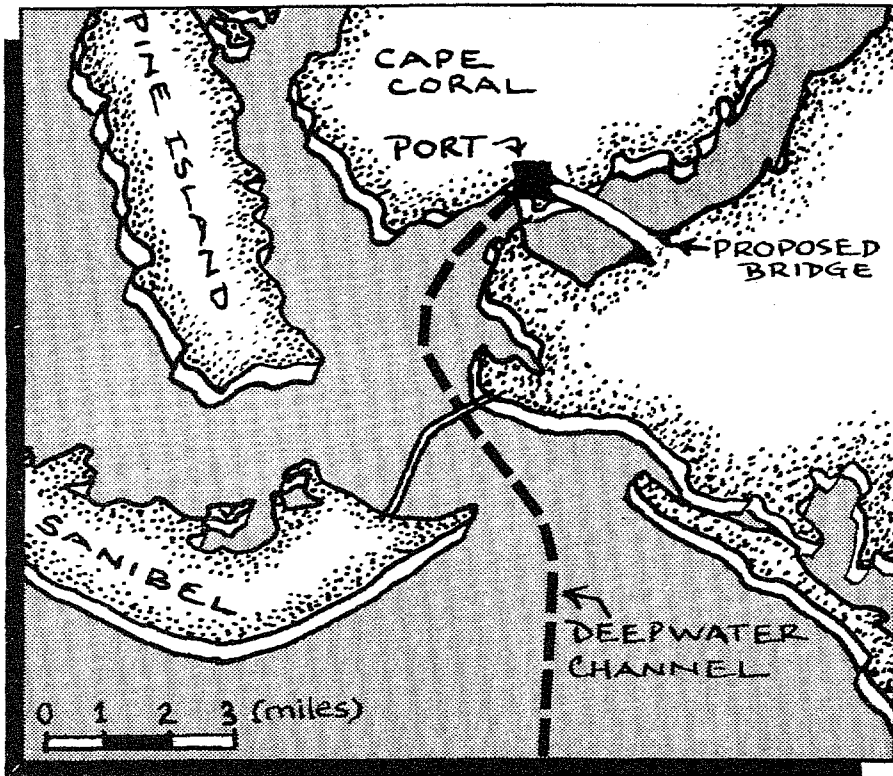
But the port will have other utilities, including a fish processing plant and seafood restaurant, office and manufacturing buildings, a marina for small craft, a plant for the export of local timber, and possibly other light industrial businesses.

All this is still in a preliminary conceptual stage, Jay admits.



Is the port truly needed for Lee County? Jay ventures to say that it is — and that this is a good location.

"It is a fact that Boca Grande is really in the wrong location — in terms of Lee County development and in terms of a port servicing the interests of the county," he said. "It has poor access to the population centers of Lee County. Its major customer is FPL, and it is certainly poorly located to serve them."



### Goss wins first primary, will face Cape man in November from page 1

all 16 precincts. 856 Sanibel residents (27.55 percent of the 3,107 registered voters) went to the polls last Tuesday. District 3 County Commissioner Roland Roberts, the incumbent Republican, will face challenger Mary Ann Wallace in the primary run-off election Oct. 2. Ted Evans won the Democratic nomination for that seat

last Tuesday. Democrats Ed Hessinger and Mason Scott will battle for their party's nomination for sheriff on Oct. 2. The winner will face incumbent Republican Frank Wanicka Nov. 6. Donald Slisher defeated Dinesh Sharma for the Republican nomination for the commission District 5 seat and will face incumbent

Democrat Melvin Morgan in November. The books are now open for voters to register for the Nov. 6 general election. Deadline for registering is 5 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 6. Voters already registered can change their party affiliations on Oct. 3, 4, 5 and 6, an elections office spokesman said.

Republicans outnumber Democrats on Sanibel 1,959 to 924. There are 138 Independents, one American Independent and 85 non-partisan voters. Of the 421 registered voters on Captiva 269 are Republicans, 130 are Democrats, 18 are Independent and four are non-partisan.

## CEPD cuts proposed budget from page 1

The reserve has been designated as part of several finance plans to help pay for beach renourishment. One of those plans failed to gain a required 65 percent approval last spring; another has yet to mature.

This year \$562,834, or 3.5 mils, was set aside for the reserve fund. Last year \$269,000 was designated for the fund.

After listening to the protests, which included a petition of 65 names representing about 45 parcels of property on the Island, Commissioner Chuck Bruning made the motion to eliminate the 3.5 mils from the budget. The motion was seconded by Peg Hofscheider. John Burr voted against the motion.

With the cut, the proposed 1984-5 budget is now set at .906 mils. The final public hearing will be held at 5:01 p.m. this Wednesday, Sept. 12.

Under the revised budget a Captiva homeowner with property worth \$200,000 will pay less than \$200 com-

pared to a previously proposed assessment for erosion control of about \$936.

Commissioners Dewitt Jones and Lloyd Wright were absent from the hearing. Both have been strong proponents of the ad valorem tax capital reserve.

"Both Dewitt (Jones) and Lloyd (Wright) knew when these meetings were," said Hofscheider, who also admitted she wished the motion had not cut the entire 3.5 mils from the budget.

Even though the budget hearings were scheduled more than a month ago, the attack on the proposed budget was a "surprise" action that came about within the three days prior to the public hearing, said Paul Garvey, spokesman for the anti-tax group.

"I think many of us got our tax bills within the past two weeks and said enough is enough," Garvey said. He added that all but two or three of the 65 people who signed the petition were on

the Island last week.

Garvey said the protest has nothing to do with whether or not beach renourishment is a good idea. Instead, he said, Captivans are protesting "fiscal irresponsibility."

"I don't want the CEPD investing my money so that someday they might be able to put sand on the beach," Garvey said. "They should not be collecting money to put in in reserve until they have permission to put the beach in place — permission through a referendum."

Garvey also said many Captivans feel the ad valorem tax reserve is not a fair way to accumulate money for beach renourishment. The tax does not provide an equitable cost-to-benefit ratio, he explained. Instead, inland and bayfront homeowners would pay the same millage rate as gulf-front homeowners. And gulf-front homeowners receive a more direct benefit from a renourished beach, he said.

In other CEPD business:

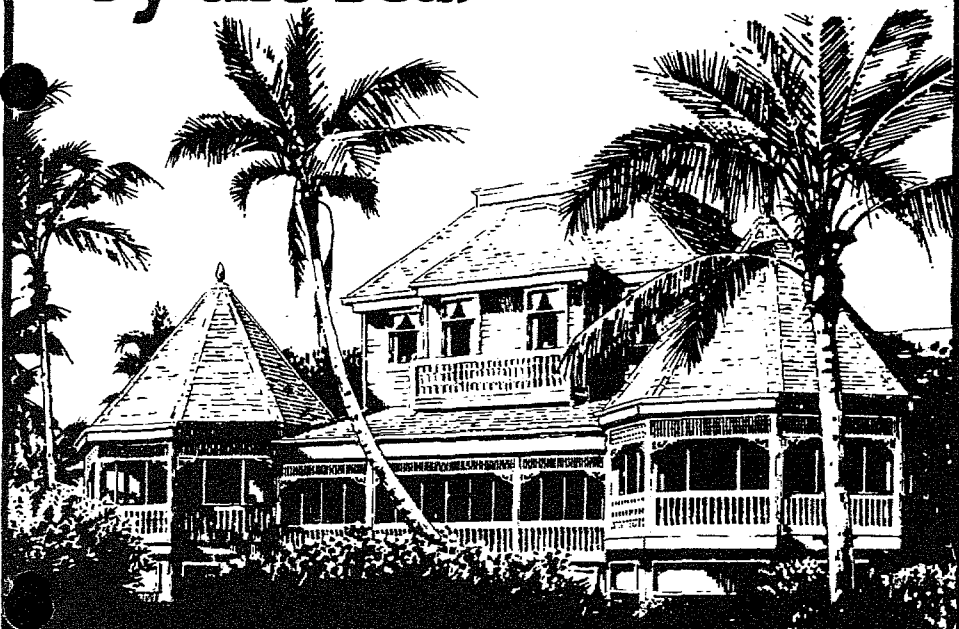
•The board learned at its regular bi-monthly meeting last Wednesday morning that the cost for renourishment might possibly be less than was estimated in 1982.

Because of the delay in acquiring funding, the board feared that the costs may have risen, making their funding goal outdated.

George Watts of Tetra-Tech was asked to research the question. He found that the cost could drop from the 1982 estimate of \$6.6 million to \$5.9 million. He added he was confident that if \$5.5 million were made available through a finance plan, the entire project could be completed.

"He noted that the dredging industry is not getting as much work from federal projects as it had in the past," said renourishment Project Manager Dick Stevens. Therefore, he explained, the competition for jobs is driving down the costs of projects.

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### Council wants full contingent to decide dock issue from page 1

It seemed a shame that this 950-foot stretch of bay beach could not be used by Sanibel boaters, fishermen and shellers, Sam Bailey said.

The eight-acre site is owned by the three Bailey brothers, and for years they have been looking for a suitable use for it, Sam Bailey said. "I would like to develop a private club whose members could use the dock, beach and waterfront," he added.

City Attorney David La Croix said recreation including boating, fishing, hiking, swimming and birding are permitted uses in the bay beach zone. The dock might qualify as an accessory use to a private recreational club, he added.

Valtin said there would be no way that 950-foot stretch of beach could be exempted in the ordinance.

"But," he told Sam Bailey, "We could adopt the ordinance and consider your proposal as a specific amendment and judge it on whether it would be of benefit community wide."

After Councilman Bailey voted "no" in the 2-1 vote on the motion to approve the ordinance, Attorney Richard Donlin, an announced candidate for Bailey's council seat, suggested there might a "conflict of interest."

He suggested the council reconsider the vote — an automatic denial — and continue the hearing until more than three council members would be present.

Bailey, who has always viewed boat docks as a part of Sanibel's natural life style, defended his right to vote.

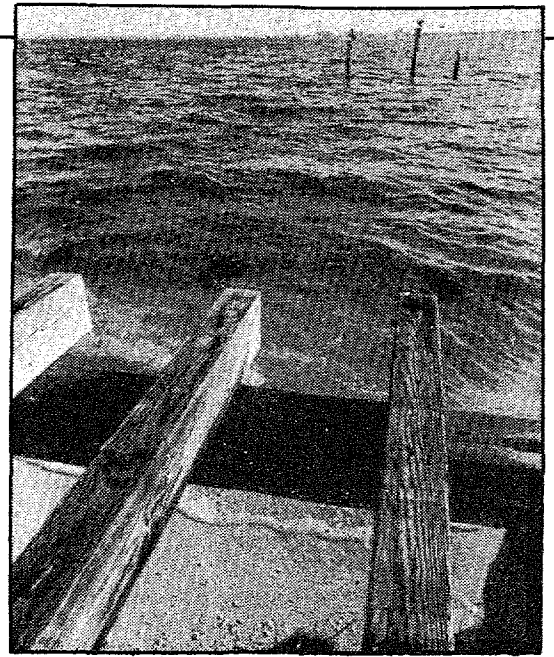
"The city attorney has advised me I have to vote even if I declare a conflict of interest," he said.

Valtin said that under council rules of procedure only the prevailing side can ask for a reconsideration. "In this case I don't know who's prevailing."

But he acknowledged that the issue needed to be considered by a full council and ruled that the affirmative side prevailed.

Subsequent motions by Klein to reconsider and to continue the hearing to Oct. 2 both passed by a 2-1 vote with Bailey again dissenting.

LaCroix reminded the council that another ordinance deleting boat docks and marinas from the accessory uses permitted in the bay beach zone would be coming up for council consideration in the near future.



The old Bailey's dock was built after the 1926 hurricane wiped away the original dock. For many years it was the only dock on Sanibel. Photo by Mark Johnson.

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## A busman's holiday from page 1

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After almost two hours we finally reached Monhegan, to be deposited on a small dock whose better days clearly were long behind it. Far up the hill leading from the dock — at least it seemed far to me — was our hotel. Fortunately, one of the island's small number of trucks was to bring our luggage, if not us, up.

The Island Inn is a magnificent three-story building with beautiful hardwood floors and a veranda overlooking the harbor. This structure, as well as most other buildings on Monhegan, is truly old Monhegan, unlike the "olde Sanibel" types now springing up all over our Island.

Hotel guests, not to mention, I suspect, numerous non-guests, had arrayed themselves in various groups and postures on the grass and on the veranda to enjoy the splendid view of the harbor afforded by the hotel. Unhappily for us, the sun kept ducking behind the clouds and the chill wind went through our jackets.

Compared with Sanibel, Monhegan is a very small island, not more than 1 by 1½ miles or so, a good part of which is hills and cliffs. The picturesque shingle houses, mostly of rather advanced age, generally are situated on the high ground encircling the island. In the middle are undeveloped meadowland and small stands of pine trees.

There is no electricity on Monhegan, although the few stores and inns have their own generators. A handful of trucks provide the only motor transport, which is just as well; the few tracks that pass for roads make those unimproved streets in Sanibel Highlands and Sanibel Gardens look like Summerlin Road.

Only about 40 people live on Monhegan the year around. In the summer the population — exclusive of the tourists — might burgeon to 200 or so. The tourist trade keeps the economy going in the summer. Lobster is the principal catch for those intrepid souls who stick it out through the very cold winters and make their living fishing.

As you may have already surmised, there really isn't very much to do on Monhegan, aside from following several poorly marked trails through the woods, which if you don't get lost eventually lead to various promontories from which you can view the sea splashing spectacularly against the rocks below.

Otherwise, the main activity is to go down to the dock to greet the two boats that arrive in the morning to spew off new batches of visitors and come back in the afternoon to take aboard people returning to the mainland.

I am not certain that waiting for the boats to come in rivals Sanibel City Council meetings as a spectator sport, but it has its moments. Once the passengers are disgorged they begin their arduous progress up the hill, like a column of ants, to their appointed lodging or, in the case of the "day trippers," to begin their frantic attempt to take in all of the sights before the boat returns in the afternoon. Actually, they needn't worry. They have more than enough time.

Many of those who arrived the days we were there came weighted down with back packs and heavy hiking shoes. Personally, I was glad I was wearing deck shoes. Even they became heavier and heavier as I tried to keep up with the ladies in our party during our exploration of the island.

One couple came ashore with bicycles. Where in the world they thought they could ride remains a puzzle to me.

As might be expected, Monhegan is quite an art colony that has attracted numerous painters over the years. Jamie Wyeth is perhaps the best known of the artists currently frequenting the island.

Whereas Sanibel-Captiva artists favor the Lighthouse, various water birds and indigenous semi-tropical vegetation as their subjects, their Monhegan confreres — some of whom could well be the same people — favor the shingled houses and variously shaped large rocks, painted against the backdrop of the always changing sea.

My wife found the island virtually the same as it was when she was there in the late 1930s. She thought perhaps it was a little more overgrown and there was a bit more litter here and there. The big house overlooking the harbor, a portion of which her parents rented, is still there. Another house they had rented also remains, looking little the worse for wear.

The owner of the gift and souvenir shop on the dock in fact estimated that since Sally and her family summered on Monhegan only four houses have been built. Of course this gentleman is a relative newcomer to the island; he has come there for only the last 49 seasons, so he might not be the most reliable source.

One interesting observation he made was that little development has taken place because store and home owners feared that if they modernized they would have to get permits. This would bring a horde of state environmental officers who would tell them to put in proper septic systems and to stop discharging sewage waste into the ocean.

Sally was saddened to discover that the old fishing families she grew to know so well are all gone. Gone with them is the twangy Maine accent she so fondly remembered. She did find one gentleman who as a young man used to play bridge with her parents. He presides over a general store, less groceries, at the top of the hill beyond the hotel. He professed to remember Sally, and he certainly appeared to be in excellent shape despite his advanced years.

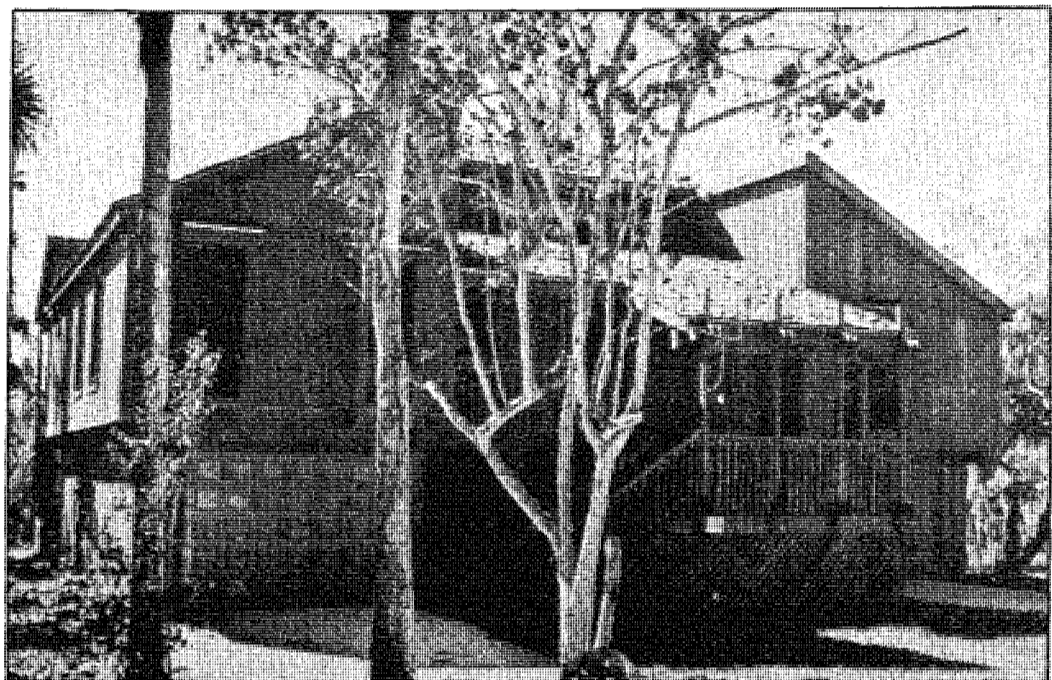
Summering on Monhegan and wintering on Sanibel might be an attractive option for some, but I do not believe it is for us. There are no shells for Sally, and I am afraid I am not as up to climbing hills and scaling cliffs as I once was.

Besides, I might find enough time on my hands to have to do something constructive. Without TV, for

example, I wouldn't be able to waste my time watching the Braves lose.



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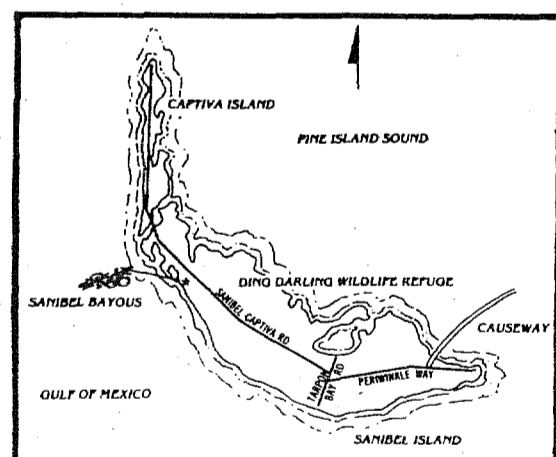
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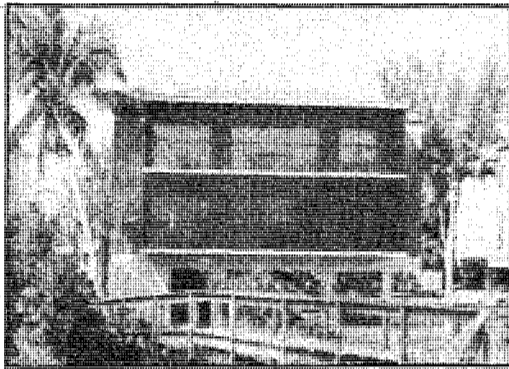
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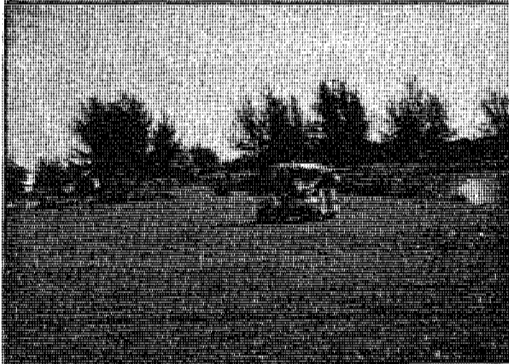
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## Part I: The SCCF barn owl project

### One of the Islands' best friends makes a comeback

By George Campbell

Illustrated by Ann Winterbotham

When I was a boy in Florida too many years ago a fascinating creature we called the monkey faced owl was not at all uncommon. Some people used the more correct name: barn owl.

The barn owl, *Tyto alba*, is the best known species of the Tytonidae family because of its almost worldwide distribution. It is found in both North and South America, Europe, Africa, Arabia, Asia, Australia and Tasmania. It does not seem to have crossed the Tasman Sea to New Zealand, and in this respect its distribution is similar to that of the osprey, which also is found almost everywhere except New Zealand.

Most owls have forward-facing eyes in a flat facial disk and heads set on short necks that seem to turn almost all the way around. At first glance the head looks almost pivotal, but there are limits.

The plumage of nocturnal owls is very soft and fluffy with serrated edges of individual flight feathers. This enables them to accomplish their almost silent, hushed flight when they seek and surprise their nighttime prey.

The forward-facing eyes allow for stereoscopic vision so they can gauge their distance from their prey. The large eyes are characteristic of nocturnal animals, although the barn owl's eyes are comparatively smaller than some other forms.

The barn owl is different from other owls in that it has a sort of heart-shaped facial disk that gives it something of a prosimian look, which lead to the name "monkey faced."

The legs of *Tyto* are rather longer in proportion to the body than are the legs of other owls, and they are completely feathered right down to

their feet. As owls go, the barn owl is rather colorful with a light, almost white breast. The dorsal surface is from brown to tan to yellow or cream with black and white flecks. Its monkey face gives the animal an intelligent, alert, quizzical look.

Barn owls are just about the best friends we have in Florida, and they can and will be on Sanibel, too, if Dr. Bill Webb's barn owl project continues with the notable success it has enjoyed over the past five years.

I say this because barn owls feed almost exclusively on rodents and we have a surfeit of alien rats here on Sanibel. Recently in this series I wrote about roof rats, *Rattus rattus*, and, inexcusably, I neglected to mention that the barn owl feeds almost exclusively on rodents. Here, with the abundance of the one noxious species cited, the barn owl can become a major factor in rat control.

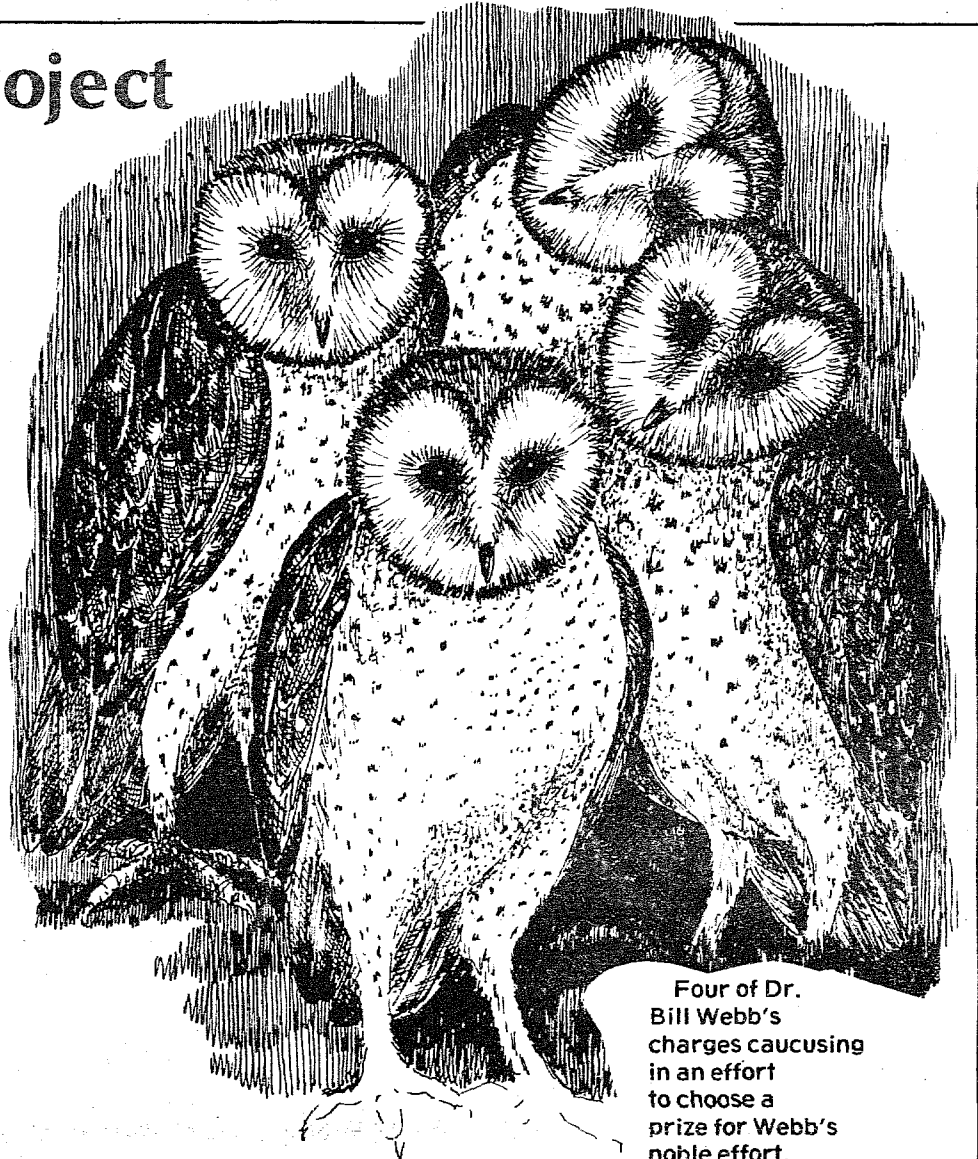
When I was a boy in Palm Beach County barn owls were quite plentiful. Lots of people kept them for pets, and they often were featured in the rather primitive roadside zoos of the day. Often the label simply said, "This is a cross between a monkey and an owl." The public will believe anything, and such exhibits were quite popular among the tourists of that epoch.

I would like to tell you about a harrowing experience I had about 50 years ago that featured barn owls and a lot of other creatures.

My girlfriend of the day was the intellectual queen of our high school class. We often took the 60-mile drive from Palm Beach County to Miami to attend some concert or to see a play because Alison had a literary and artistic bent. Anything I learned in those areas at that time I learned from her. She also taught me about rattlesnakes, alligators and monkey faced owls.

Our route to Miami was Old U.S. 1, a two-lane "slab" in those days that ran from Maine to Key West. En route we frequently passed at Boynton or Delray (I can't remember which for sure) a decrepit roadside zoo that was particularly horrible. It was made from pine slabs, the throw-away boards on the outer edge of pine logs that still have bark on them. They are sort of new-moon shaped when viewed in section.

This old tumble-down slab zoo had bobcats, alligators, rattlesnakes, raccoons, possums and many other poisonous snakes as well as harmless ones, too. There



Four of Dr. Bill Webb's charges caucusing in an effort to choose a prize for Webb's noble effort.

were hawks, a bald eagle and a lot of monkey faced owls, which were one of the main attractions. There were no Florida panthers in this zoo because that cougar subspecies was already scarce 50 years ago. There were no nine-banded armadillos, either, as they had not yet invaded Florida.

Alison and I hated this zoo with a passion because we felt it was a cruel place full of imprisoned, suffering animals that were poorly cared for. It was too hot in the summer and too cold in the water, and scant shelter and skimpy food of poor quality was provided. The slab structures were in the broiling sun, and many of the animals had no shelter whatsoever.

We didn't like it at all, and we thought it should be terminated. As so it was, suddenly, as you shall see:

One summer day when business was bad and the owner's wife was up in Maine and the owner himself was at a local beer joint, Alison and I drove by this unsightly establishment. We saw no signs of life — human life, that is.

So we stopped. We found nobody at home except the many dozens of suffering animals. Well, in half an hour they were all freed. We took a tire iron from the back of my '33 Chevy, broke the hasps and staples from all the cages that had mobile, flying or running or slithering animals in them, shooed them out of the cages and watched them fly, run and slither away.

The alligators we threw into a nearby canal. The snakes that would not leave rapidly under their own steam were sacked and put into the back of our car. The monkey faced owls were a little hard to get moving because it was mid-afternoon. These creatures, which usually fly at night,

finally were stimulated to fly away.

This whole criminal but well-intentioned operation took less than half an hour. We jumped in the old Chevy and headed for Miami. At the first bridge over a hyacinth-clogged canal we up-ended the bag of slow-moving snakes and dropped them down in the hyacinths. They disappeared immediately.

After whatever cultural event it was we attended in Miami we returned to Palm Beach County. But we were too scared to pass the now defunct roadside zoo. In those days there weren't very many route choices, and we had to go out on what is now known as A-1-A, the seaside parallel to U.S. 1.

When we came to Boynton or Delray we headed for the ocean and circumnavigated the ex-zoo, where we were sure some angry individual waited, shotgun ready, for us to return to the scene of the crime.

All future trips to Miami were timed to include circumnavigation of the old zoo site. But as it turned out we need not have taken that precaution, for the owner, broken at the loss of his business, took to more frequent imbibing at the local bar and never could get it together well enough to recreate and restock his junky old zoo.

Alison and I felt pretty good about this adventure. Although we no doubt broke googols of laws we felt then and do today that we did the right thing. I believe it was this initial effort that got me started with the conservation movement, and although he has never heard this story until now, it is one reason Cleveland Amory found me to be a fit person for his organization, the gutsy and humane

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#### ENCAPSULATED BARN OWL NATURAL HISTORY

All owls are Strigiformes; barn owls, *Tyto alba*, are in the family Tytonidae.

Barn owls hunt in total darkness. The facial disc, or ruff, acts as a sound collector dish. The bird swivels his head and aims the disc toward the smallest squeak of a tiny mouse, picks up the sound and flies unerringly in total darkness on silent, muffled wings and captures his prey.

One barn owl equals 10 cats in RDP (Rodent Destruction Power).

In recent times barn owls have left their natural nesting sites (caves, crevices, hollows) and have adapted to man-provided habitat (barns, lofts, attics and church belltowers). Modern architecture lacks easy access to attics, and barns are fewer in number. Thus, provision of barn owl nest boxes allows the species to prosper.

Many "haunted" houses are occupied by barn owls, not ghosts. The eerie racket of a clutch of running and jumping fledgling barn owls is more scary to some people than the Wicked Witch banging her broomstick.

## Tours, slide shows, lectures

### Slide show details reporter's travels

Islander writer-photographer Scott Martell will show a series of slides entitled "Europe by Eurail" at 8 p.m. this Thursday, Sept. 13, at Shirley's Spirit of Foolishness on Captiva.

Martell and his wife, Suzanne, ventured through Europe for three weeks in August using the handy Eurail pass. The pass enabled them to see a great deal of Europe in a short time — all without the exhaustion or cost that can come with traditional group tours.

The show is free, but people are encouraged to drop in a donation to help support Sanibel's Care and Rehabilitation of Wildlife facility.

The Martells in Venice, Italy.



### Caravan leads drivers through the refuge

A car caravan tour will leave the Visitor Center at the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge on Sanibel at 1:30 p.m. next Tuesday, Sept. 18.

The entrance to the refuge is on the right just before Sanibel Elementary School as you drive toward Captiva on Sanibel-Captiva Road.

Reservations are not required for the tour, which will lead visitors along the Wildlife Drive where a story of wildlife management and wildlife's needs for survival will unfold.

The tour will require a minimum of five visitors. For more information call the refuge, 472-1100, during regular business hours.

### Program in Fort Myers shows Island wildlife

The Sierra Club will present a slide program by Care and Rehabilitation of Wildlife showing the wildlife of Sanibel and Captiva from 7:30 to 9 p.m., Monday, Sept. 24, in the Lee County Courthouse commission chambers, 2115 2nd St. in Fort Myers.

## Getting rid of junk??

### Two local groups invite donations of garage sale goods

It's time to start thinking "Girl Scouts" as you clean out your closets and storage cabinets. The annual yard sale will be held in January, but if you have items you would like to get rid of now please contact leaders Mary Shanklin, 472-9341, or Louise Moffett, 472-1773, after 5 p.m.

Also keep in mind that workers for the 1985 Captiva Attic-Basement-Closet Sale already are gathering goods for the sale that is set for Feb. 23, 1985.

Anyone who has items to donate now — furniture, china, books, sporting goods, jewelry, bric-a-brac, etc., — should call George Parker, 472-0855, Carol Allin, 472-2433; or Bob Manderscheid, 472-1554; for pick-up or delivery arrangements. The ABC Sale committee asks that donations of linen and clothing be held until late fall.

Donations are tax deductible and go toward fund raising to benefit the Captiva Civic Association and the Captiva Memorial Library.

## Wildlife Drive reconstruction takes longer than expected

The Wildlife Drive that passes through the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge is undergoing a thorough reconstruction — and it's taking the refuge longer than expected to finish the job.

The refuge now expects the well-traveled road to open again full-time at sunrise next Thursday, Sept. 20.

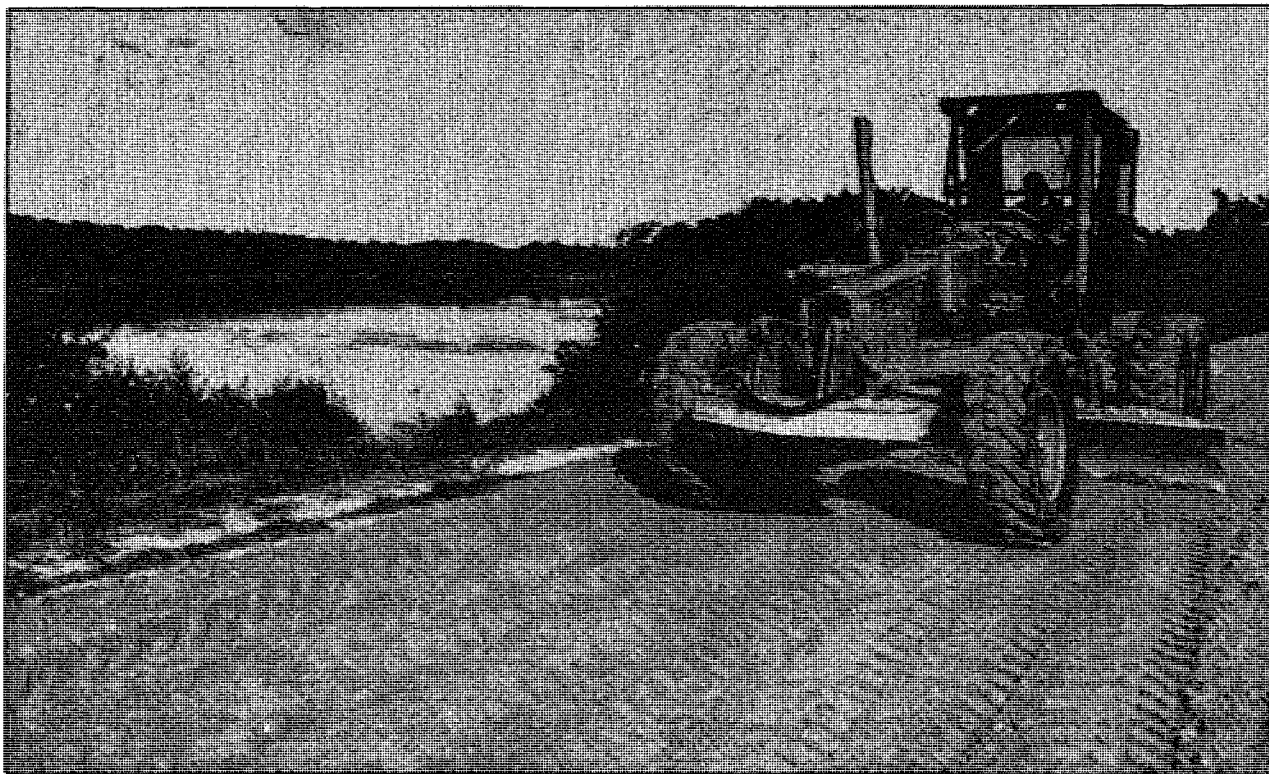
The Wildlife Drive will be open this weekend from 5 p.m. Friday, Sept. 14, through Sunday evening, Sept. 16. But the drive will again close Monday through Thursday so workers can finish the job.

More than 3,200 tons of shell rock are being spread on the drive. The resurfacing will help eliminate potholes, smooth out the "washboard" ruts and help control erosion.

"Drivers are going to end up with a much

The loop road through the refuge will be closed until 5 p.m. this Friday, when it will open for the weekend. The drive will close again next Monday through Thursday so work crews can complete reconstruction of the well-traveled road.

smoother drive," assures Chris Olsen, refuge staffer.



Refuge staffers promise the reconstruction will mean a smoother ride for nature lovers.

## George Campbell from page 1B

Fund for Animals, Inc., which today I represent here in Florida and in many countries abroad.

So I guess I can say, in a way, monkey faced owls were instrumental in launching me on my career of conservation.

I hope that old roadside zoo owner doesn't see these words from his nursing home and come at me even at this late date with his smoke pole.

Prior to Dr. Bill Webb's endeavor to reestablish the barn owl on Sanibel these animals were not unknown here, but their population was greatly reduced or zero.

When Sanibel's senior naturalist, Charles LeBuff, first came here in 1958 a pair of barn owls bred in a cypress water tank that was between the two residential buildings at the Lighthouse.

The tank was old and rotten, and LeBuff tells me it was scrapped in 1967. But he says he knows a pair of barn owls nested in a hole near the top of the tank from 1958 to 1966. They probably were there before 1958, too. LeBuff thinks they produced one

brood a year.

About that same time barn owls were nesting in the attic of the building now known as the Schoolhouse Gallery. When I talked with the present proprietor of the gallery, Fred Fox, he said he had not heard of the existence of the birds in the building prior to his taking it over. He did express a willingness and an interest in getting a barn owl nest box installed there. The Sanibel-Captiva Conservation Foundation could do worse than to consider reestablishing the animals in a place where they were once actually known to be.

In fact, Fox stated he would be "enthralled" and "most interested" if a nest box were placed somewhere up under the eaves, probably on the backside of the building.

LeBuff says a pair of barn owls today lives in an old fishing shack hidden in the mangroves in the J.N. "Ding" Darling National Wildlife Refuge not far from the bird tower but not visible from the road. The former owner of the property used the shack

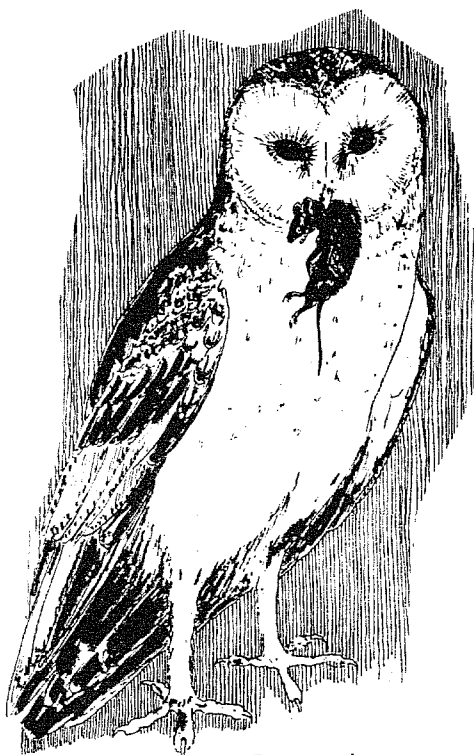
when he came here to fish.

The pair of barn owls that live there seem unable to produce babies because of the presence of a huge yellow rat snake in the same house. Presumably, the snake eats any baby birds that hatch.

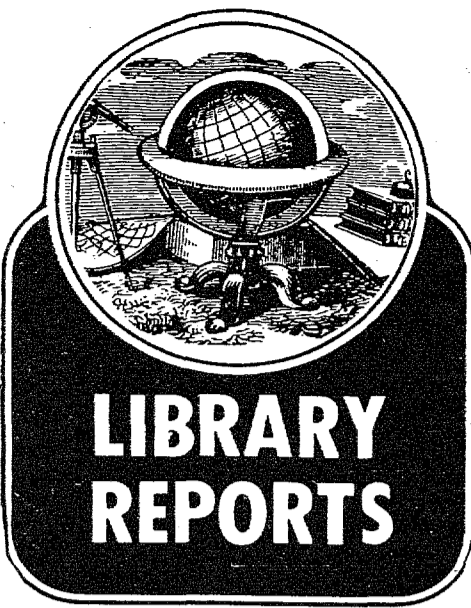
LeBuff and Webb contemplate introducing a better-suited owl nesting box nearby, perhaps to attract the birds away from the shack, which is falling down in any case and cannot last much longer.

So with all the background indicating there once was a reasonable population of barn owls on Sanibel, it was without a doubt a good idea for Webb and his associates at the SCCF to start a program to once more render Sanibel a desirable place for this species.

Next week I shall go into some detail about the program instigated in 1980 by the SCCF Research Committee to reestablish barn owls on Sanibel. I shall describe the work with facts and figures, names and places.



Barn owls are extremely valuable rodent destroyers.



## New reading at the Sanibel library

### IN THE READING ROOM

**Traveler Magazine** — issued quarterly by the National Geographic Society — This newest travel magazine is bursting with the superb color photography associated with National Geographic. Information with each featured article offers suggestions on when to go, how to get there, and what to see. This will prove to be enjoyable browsing for the arm-chair traveler and invaluable assistance for the active one.

**In Britain magazine** — Attention, Anglophiles — The library has received back issues for the years '81, '82, '83 and '84.

**New title: Decorating and Craft Ideas** is now known as **Creative Ideas for Living**. Craft ideas for home, gifts or bazaars are featured, and the magazine has expanded to include departments on home decorating and food.

**All magazines** — Any issue except the current one can be checked out for two weeks.

### NON-FICTION

**Goodson, James. Tumult in the Clouds** — Goodson, a leading ace of the Allied Forces during World War II, begins his stirring account by relating

how the ship he was on returning to the United States was torpedoed in September 1939. This gripping, true story reads like a novel.

**Penny Simkin, Janet Whally and Ann Keppler. Pregnancy, Childbirth and the Newborn: A Complete Guide for Expectant Parents** — The authors, all childbirth educators, have found that knowledge, preparation and teamwork greatly enrich the parents' experience in the birth of a baby. This book is designed to provide a personal approach along with a practical guide to preparing for a confident family beginning.

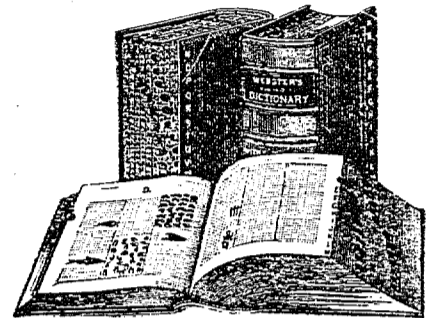
**Wescott, Lynanne and Paula Degen. Wind and Sand: The Story of the Wright Brothers at Kitty Hawk** — Excerpts from diaries and letters and the Wright brothers' own photographs are used in this account of two ordinary young men obsessed with the belief that man could fly.

### FICTION

**Anthony, Evelyn. The Company of Saints** — A successful, exciting, romantic excursion into the complex world of international terrorists and spies. Davina Graham, the first female head of the British Secret Service, is baffled by the intricate twists of international espionage.

**Forsyth, Frederick. The Fourth Protocol** — The action begins in London with a perfectly executed jewel robbery. As plots and counterplots develop one on top of the other, agents in Moscow and South Africa are involved. No-nonsense style and a shrewd sense of variety and pacing combine to leave the reader with sweating palms and racing pulse.

**Wallace, Irving. The Miracle** — Everything readers have come to expect from Wallace — rich, authentic detail, intricate, fast-paced plot, suspense and vivid characterization are found in this sweeping novel about Lourdes and the miracles sought by the faithful.



## Library closes for inventory

The Sanibel Library will be closed from Monday, Sept. 17 to Monday, Oct. 1, so the staff can take inventory and prepare for the coming year.

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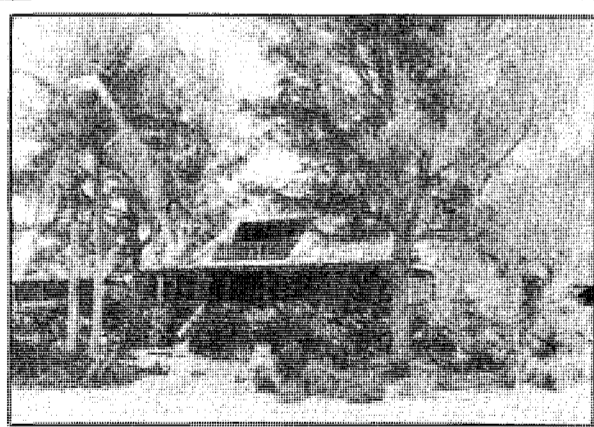


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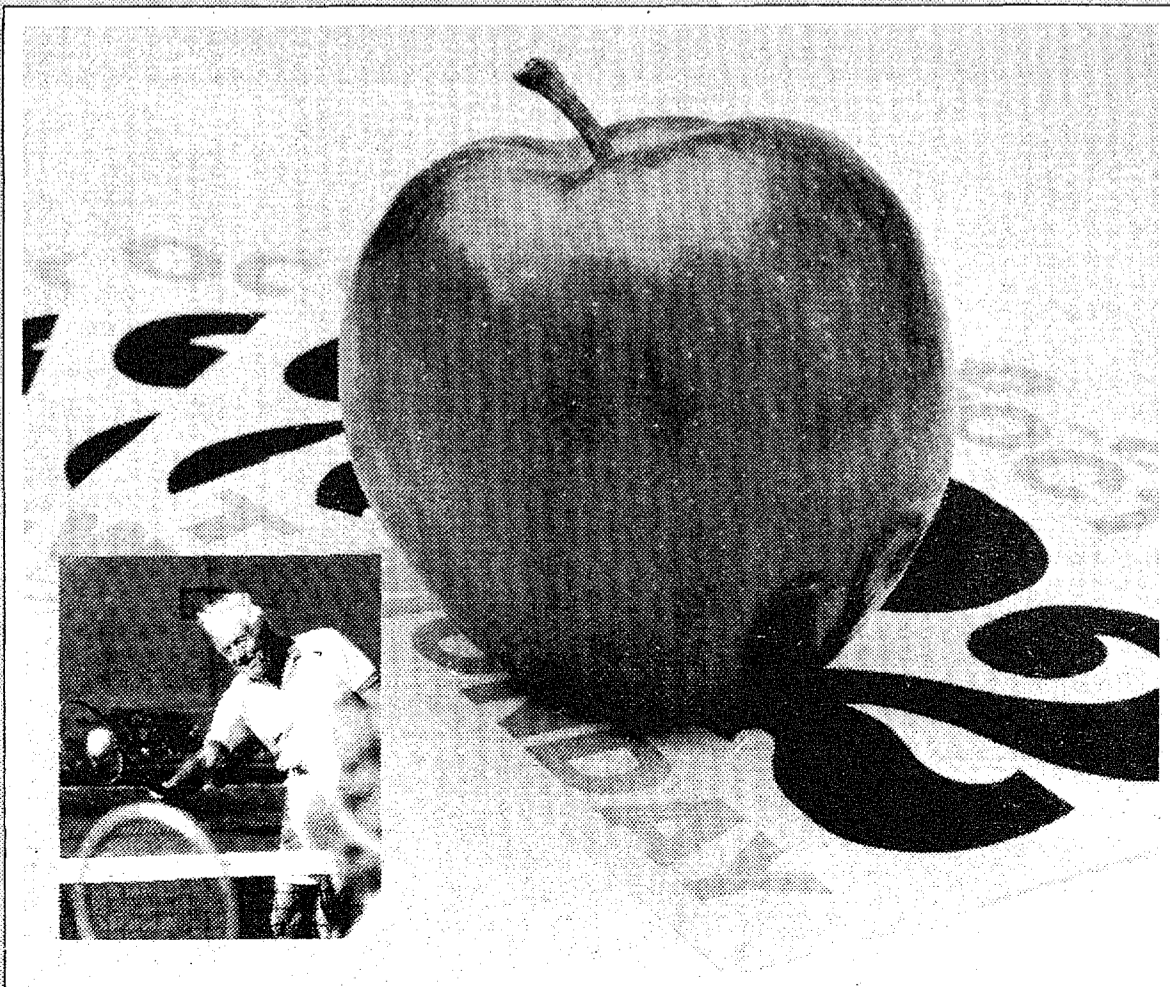
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## CLUB NEWS

### Community church opens registration for youth club

Registration for the Sanibel-Captiva Community Church Island Youth Club is being held this month. The club begins its ninth year on the Island with its first meeting of the season Wednesday, Oct. 3.

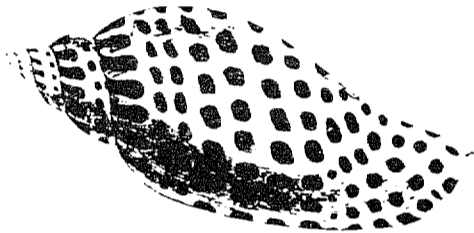
Registration and information meetings for parents are set for Sept. 13, 19 and 20 so parents can become acquainted with the club program, ask questions of club sponsor Dr. Denny Dennison and register their children for the 1984-85 year. Registration can be made only if one or both parents attend a parents' meeting.

For information about times and places for parents' meeting call the church, 472-2684, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. daily.

The club is a ministry of the Sanibel Community Church and is open to all Island youth in grades one through 12. It features opportunities for Bible study, service, recreation activities and dinners.

Special features planned for the coming year include a series of "Senior Seminars" and retreats. Seminars will include the following electives for those in grades nine through 12: "Expose: Pornography Series," "Why Knock Rock (Music, That Is!)," "Don't Ask Me! Ask God," "Cults and the Occult," and "Abortion: Whose Right?" Retreats will include a winter ski trip to North Carolina, a spring trip to Washington, D.C., and a camping-canoe trip on the Peace River in November.

Youth Club is a ministry of more than 3,000 Christian churches throughout the United States and several foreign countries.



### Lions hear from Riverdale member about regional projects

The regular meeting of the Sanibel-Captiva Lions Club took place Sept. 5 at the Sanibel Community Association hall. Two visitors augmented the regular members.

President Joe Feeney reported on the recent board meeting at which board members discussed increasing rental rates at the community association.

Past Secretary John Wilcox noted that in a recent release from the Lions Eye Bank of Miami the Sanibel-Captiva club ranked fifth among nearly 60 clubs in Southwest Florida.

Lion Bob Goldfarb of the Riverdale club spoke

about various regional projects and awards that are available to clubs and members for activities related to Lions and their charities. He especially noted the activities of soliciting eye wills and organ donations, obtaining new members and participating in blood donation drives. Goldfarb promised to come to another meeting of the Island club with a film on eye bank activities.

Lion John Cook announced that the Bloodmobile will be on the Island Wednesday, Oct. 24.

The next regular meeting of the club will take place at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday, Sept. 19, at the community association hall.

### Christian women extend tea party invitation

The Sanibel-Captiva Christian Women's Club is holding a tea party at 10 a.m., Thursday, Sept. 13, at Sundial. Tickets at the door are \$4.75.

A fashion show will be presented by A Bit of Ambrosia on Palm Ridge Road. Musical entertainment will be provided by Jean Killenberger from Fletcher Music in Fort Myers. Pat Ellison from Largo, Fla., will be the speaker.

Reservations are required. Please call Audrey Spencer, 466-5085, or Irva Cain, 472-4275. If you find you cannot attend after making a reservation, it is essential that you cancel 24 hours in advance by calling Audrey at the above number. Free nursery will be provided by calling Marge, 472-3007.

### Girl Scouts plan registration meeting

The Girl Scouts are holding a buffet luncheon in conjunction with the 1984-85 registration and parents' meeting at 10 a.m. this Saturday, Sept. 15, at the home of leader Mary Shanklin, 4565 Brainard Bayou Road, Sanibel. If you plan to attend please call Mary as early as possible.

Scouts and parents who cannot attend this registration activity must make arrangements to obtain, fill out, notarize and return the registration and trip permission paperwork prior to Sept. 15.

Following the luncheon the scouts will visit their adopted special friend. The first camping trip of the season is scheduled for Sept. 28-30.

For more information call Mary, 472-9341, after 5.

### Businesswomen meet this week

The Sanibel-Captiva Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association will hold its monthly dinner meeting at 6:30 p.m. next Thursday, Sept. 13, at the Thistle Lodge.

Guest speakers will be Nancy Jenkins, the mother of a young woman who died from Toxic Shock Syndrome earlier this summer, and Fort Myers

gynecologist Dr. Marilyn Young.

Any woman who is employed in the area is invited to join ABWA or attend as a guest. Reservations for this month's dinner meeting should be made no later than Monday, Sept. 10, by calling Marilyn Degee, 472-1080. Membership information is available from Betty Thompson, 472-1506.



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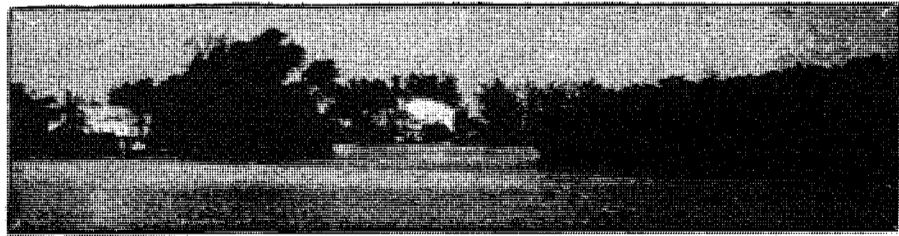
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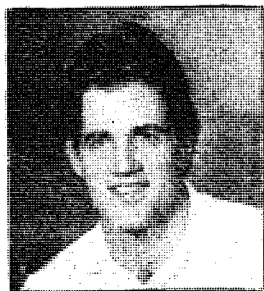
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In addition to the exercise and diet regime participants will hear numerous talks from area experts on a wide range of subjects. Participants in the Fall 1984 session can also take advantage of an optional liquid fast

Nov. 14-15.

Price of the full program with meals and accommodations at Tween Waters is \$550 per person with double occupancy and \$704 per person with private room. Cost of the program without accommodations at the inn is \$396 per person.

For registration and more information about the fitness caper call Tween Waters Inn, 472-5161. For information about the liquid fast call Helen Godman, 542-8641.

### 'Stretch for Life' teaches relaxation

The Lee County Chapter of the American Red Cross is resuming its "Stretch for Life" program from 10 to 11 a.m. next Thursday, Sept. 20, 2461 Fowler St., Fort Myers.

The course teaches participants how to relax and relieve tension. It does not involve "sitting like a pretzel or sitting on your head." Both men and women are welcome.

The eight-week program is limited to a class of 15 people. A \$5 registration fee can be paid in advance or at the first session. A certificate of completion will be issued.

Those who have completed the course and would like to register for a more advanced course should call 334-3401.

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### Arthritis interest group plans September meeting

The Lee County Arthritis Interest Group will hold its monthly meeting at 1:30 p.m. next Wednesday, Sept. 19, in the community room at First Federal Savings and Loan, College Parkway in Fort Myers.

Guest speaker will be occupational therapist Carol Adams, who will demonstrate practical methods that can be used to make everyday life easier for arthritis sufferers. Topics will include homemaking skills, dressing, joint protection and energy conservation.

Participants will have the opportunity to ask questions and discuss problems associated with arthritis.

The program is free and open to the public.

The arthritis interest group meets the third Wednesday of every month.

Its purpose is to assist arthritis patients and their families through education, mutual support and community activity. Anyone who has an interest is encouraged to attend.

For more information call Cynthia Higbea, 549-9125, or Kathryn Wilson, 936-2435.

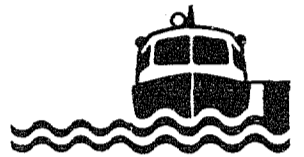
### Coast Guard auxiliary offers boating course

Flotilla 9-10, U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary, is gearing up for another season of safe boating classes. The first "Boating Skills and Seamanship" course is scheduled for 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. every Monday and Thursday from Sept. 18 through Oct. 29 at North Fort Myers High School.

Registration will be at 7 p.m. Sept. 17. All boaters, prospective boaters and passengers are invited to attend. Class instruction is free, but there is a nominal charge for textbooks.

For more information call Bob More, 995-0945, or Joseph Ebright, 549-6083.

Flotilla 9-10 will offer a coastal piloting course for more advanced boaters later in the year.



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# ARTS ON THE ISLANDS

By Julie Niedenfuer

## Who is Carrie Lund?

Actress, theater administrator believes 'the climate is right' for legitimate playhouse on Sanibel

To be or not to be? That is the question surrounding a new theater for the performing arts on Sanibel.

Few places considered landmarks here elicit such fond memories among Islanders as the Pirate Playhouse, and few events in recent years have caused more feeling of loss than its closing in December 1982. Since then many people have held out hope that someone with an interest in the performing arts would take over the quaint old playhouse and bring the magic of live theater back to the Islands.

Enter Carrie Lund — a bright, young, pretty actress with a bubbly personality and a spirited determination to open a legitimate theater — not at the playhouse, but somewhere on Sanibel.

Lund recently made known her intentions to convert the old Bailey's General Store to just such a playhouse when she went before the City Council with a request to change the zoning status of that parcel of land on Bailey Road from residential to Special Use District.

The council approved the request; but Lund realizes she is still a long way from finalizing any plans and says she is, in fact, "keeping her options open."

Perhaps the question that looms largest is why this Pittsburgh native has chosen Sanibel as the spot to open a theater.

"In the United States 'theater' is somewhere up here," Lund says, gesturing above her head. "It's considered so la-tee-da." Because of the prestige that is often attached to theater, a lot of people think it's inaccessible, when in actuality it is something the whole community can participate in and enjoy, she adds.

"Here (theater) is so raw — there's still an innocence. The climate is right here."

Lund thinks the interesting mixture of financial and cultural backgrounds that make up the Island population would be "all the more challenging to the theater administrators or artistic staff."

"I give (the people in) this community more credit than most," she says. "They're quaint and want to remain a separate entity from anything else. The work we want to do would only be to preserve that."

Lund realizes that choosing Sanibel as the site for her proposal means she will have to comply with the city's numerous development guidelines. But she believes those guidelines are what makes Sanibel unique, and she faces them obligingly.

"I don't believe there could be a theater if it didn't fit the codes and regulations. If it has to

conform it will be all the more welcomed."

But she knows there is a big difference in what Islanders consider acceptable theater and what residents of, say, a large city, might give a nod to.

"On Sanibel our artistic freedom will be limited to some degree. I have strong feelings about the kind of theater we want to do, but we're willing to conform somewhat," she says.

Because her attitudes parallel what she calls the "Island's character," she says, "I can't see any conflict."

Lund and her partner, actor Robert Toperzer, started looking at Sanibel more than a year ago as a possible location for a theater. At one point they strongly considered purchasing the Pirate Playhouse, but when their offer was rejected they decided to look elsewhere.

Recently the playhouse was purchased by someone whose identity remains a mystery, and speculation runs rampant as to what the new owner will do with the building. (Rumors that Burt Reynolds had bought the property were quickly dispelled.)

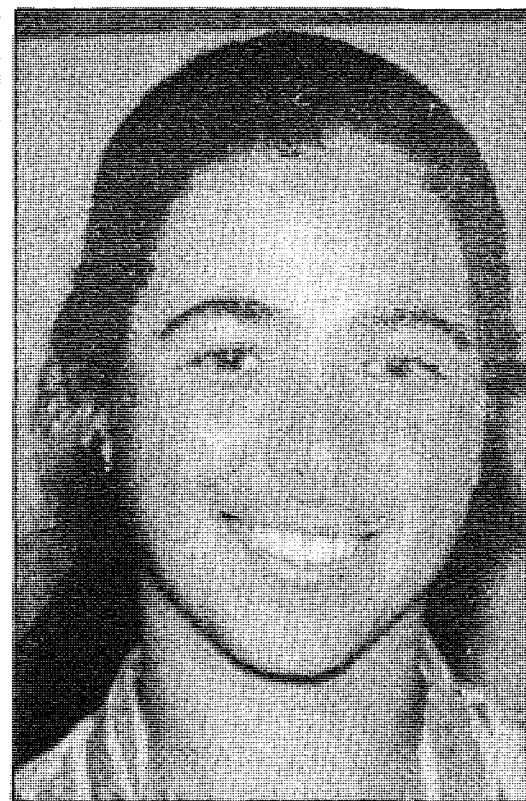
In any case, the possibility of competition from another theater doesn't leave Lund biting her nails. "I hope that if there's any other group, we could try to work in a cooperative way," she says. But, she stresses, "The community could not support two theaters ... but then lots survive that aren't supported."

Lund proposes a "classical, straight and contemporary" theater for Sanibel. To introduce audiences to her new theater and for practical purposes commercial productions would be selected, she says. "We'd have to in order to break even. But we hope after they come to the theater the audience can be enlightened, moved in some way."

Lund hopes her schedule of productions will include ones that appeal to residents as well as tourists. And that doesn't necessarily mean the plays will be Broadway hits. "There are a number of plays that satisfy the same needs but are not as well known," she says.

Plans for more innovative plays, she says, will give audiences "the same uplifting experience those traditional plays have." And selections throughout the season will vary to a great degree. "All will be within the same artistic statement, but not all will be musicals, comedies or whodunnits."

She stresses her intentions to involve local people as much as possible. "It won't be a union theater, but it will be professional theater. Any number of volunteers and community members



Carrie Lund

can help, but they must act and behave professionally. We want good quality theater."

Past experiences in theater have taught her the difference.

Following her actress training at Ithaca College Drama School in New York, Lund worked with numerous regional and stock theater companies throughout the East, usually with Toperzer as her partner. The two have acted and directed continuously since then and have organized new theaters and companies, including a small theater in Stowe, Vt., that was started to entertain that town's tourist industry — skiers.

As theater administrators, Lund and Toperzer selected the shows, directed and acted in them, Lund says, "very much on the line of the Hunters here on Sanibel."

Their combined experience is more than 25 years in the performing arts, and their resumes list theater-related work of a scale too long to list here.

A few highlights stand out in Lund's career, however. "While I was working at the Pittsburgh Playhouse (she was a member of the company there during 1982 and 1983) someone approached me about doing this project," she says. Though Lund was unaware of it at the time, the project was considered a "first" in live theater. In two days she wrote an action score — essentially the movements and action that take place during a play without the words — that was transcribed into Braille for the blind. For this she received

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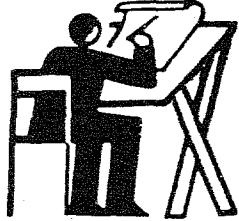
Carrie Lund

# ARTS

## Captiva library hosts printmaking exhibit through Oct. 14

"International Printmaker as Colorist" and "American Printmaker as Colorist" are the themes of the new exhibit that will be on display at the Captiva Memorial Library Monday, Sept. 17 through Sunday, Oct. 14.

The exhibit can be viewed during regular library hours from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Tuesday, Thursday and Friday; from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Wednesday, and from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Saturday. The library is at 11550 Chapin Lane (corner of Wiles Drive), Captiva Island. Phone 472-2133.



## Over the airwaves

WSPF-FM 90.1, the public radio station of the University of South Florida at Fort Myers, has scheduled the following programs of interest for the coming week:

"Adventures in Good Music" with host Karl Haas airs weekdays at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Both the series and its host have received international recognition for the quality and variety in the shows. Following is a listing of this week's fare.

•Tonight's program "The Story of the Concerto (XXV)" looks at the evolution of the concerto. This presentation concludes this series.

•On Wednesday, Sept. 12, Haas invites listeners to identify famous composers by their works, from the obscure to the well-known.

•The program Thursday, Sept. 13, "Women in Music" looks at a sampling of musical scores composed by women at various stages of music history.

•On Friday, Sept. 14, Haas explores the compositional device known as "ostinato," its meaning and various applications.

•The program Monday, Sept. 17 observes the

life and work of American Impressionist in music, Charles Griffes, on the 100th anniversary of his birthday.

"About Books and Writers" with host Robert Cromie is a series of interviews with novelists, poets, playwrights and publishers dedicated to the world of writing. The program airs weekly at 6:30 p.m. Mondays.

Next Monday, Sept. 17, Pierre Salinger is interviewed by Cromie about his new novel, *The Dossier*, which involves international intrigue.

Singer/composer Ben Sidran hosts a medley of coast-to-coast concerts, featuring legendary bassist Ron Carter, Jim Hall, and the Nat Pierce/Frank Capp Big Band on "Jazz Alive!" tonight at 8 p.m.

"Tosca," Puccini's popular opera of passion and political intrigue, will be simulcast in stereo with WSPF-TV, Channel 30 from 8 to 10 p.m. this Saturday, Sept. 15. The production stars Eva Marton in the title role.

## Carrie Lund continued

national attention.

She has also appeared in the daytime soap opera "As the World Turns" and was an extra in the film "Flashdance."

These experiences have taught her the tricks of the trade. "I've been in bad theater and I've witnessed frustration with not having a voice in the theater. I've seen a lot of clashes in peoples' opinions," she says, likening that to the various

opinions that have collided regarding her proposal for Sanibel.

"I've made sacrifices before, and I can lend that experience to what I want to do here."

She says if her efforts fail, "The worst that could happen is that theater could stop on the Island. But even so, I'll have gained a lot."

And why open a theater at all? "It's the appreciation of the arts I want to share with other

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people. It's there for the observing. Let them get what they want out of it — it certainly can't hurt."

## Needlework news

### Make lace the easy way

By Barbara Boulton

Another stitch technique has been revived, this time from the Victorian era, which featured delicate curtains, placemats and table cloths of patterns hand-woven (darned) onto a net-like fabric. The result looks like filet work in crochet but is much quicker to do.

It is called lace net darning, filet netting, net work, Lacis, Guipure D'Art or Opus Filatorium.

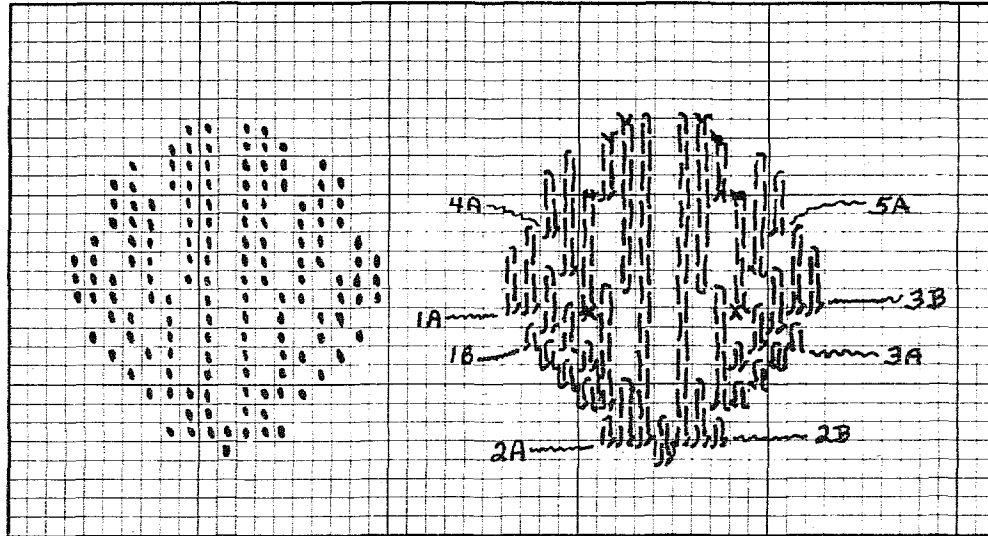
By any name, it is easy and fun to do. Many of the cross stitch charts can be used if they have only one color. The netting canvas can be found in many forms. It should be pliable enough so a needle can weave through five or six canvas threads at a time.

Netting and net banding in assorted sizes are sold for net work. White crochet cotton is most commonly used for weaving.

I found some five count quick point cotton canvas that works great and cut it in placemat size 13x18 inches. Synthetic white raphia filled the squares nicely. Crochet the edges or sew lace on them.

Use a large tapestry needle (number 16 or 18) and follow some of these basic rules. Keep the thread taut enough to stay straight but not so taut as to distort the netting.

To start, leave about a three-inch end on top of the work, out of your way. Starting with 1A, weave under a vertical canvas thread, then over a horizontal thread, under the next one, over and under again. Pull thread through. Reverse direction



and weave back, filling three squares.

Stitch back over the first canvas thread. Bring needle from the back on the next row to the right. Weave the four squares in the second row. Follow the chart, ending the thread at 1B.

Weave the ends invisibly in the back. You cannot run the thread under empty spaces or it will show on the right side. You can reverse direction from right to left and up and down.

On the sixth row in 1A you have to drop two squares down. Catch the "carry over" thread with the needle as you weave the second square of this row. On weaving threads 4A and 5A only do one line of weaving upward on row three, then row four. Complete row five and weave back on rows four and three, ending where the small "x" is located.

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# ON THE WATER

By Captain Mike Fuery

September is just about my favorite month to be on the water. Here are some things you can do this month that are nearly impossible any other time of the year.

You can arrive at dawn, park on the Captiva side of Blind Pass and not see another angler for an hour. There is much fishing and shelling pressure on this pass, and at times there are so many people on the bridge that one can hardly cast, let alone land a fish without tangling other lines.

Get there around dawn no matter what the tides are doing. But for the prime time, especially for what is left of the snook, arrive on a morning when the tide is just about to go out.

Some fine catches of mixed fish come from around the Blind Pass bridge. Fishing from the rock groin on the Captiva side of the bridge during an outgoing tide is ideal.

Pilchards, or shiners as some call these small silvery bait fish, are excellent for not only snook but for redfish, sea trout and a host of others like jacks, ladyfish and so on.

Shrimp is a popular bait, but the smaller fish such as pinfish and catfish will quickly eat your offerings. Being handy with a cast net should get you shiners for fishing.

You can also make a trip to the free Sanibel fishing pier near the Lighthouse in September and actually find a place to fish. You might even be the only one there.

During season on most weekends at the Lighthouse pier you almost have to take a number to fish there. These days you can put out a couple of rods and have elbow room to fish, too.

In short, there are far fewer anglers and boaters on the water this month, so it is easier for you to practice your sport.

Incidentally, we are still waiting for that first hurricane. I hope we'll slide through another year without a visit from one of these dreaded storms.

But being realistic about it, we more than likely will have some activity from tropical depressions or storms in our part of the state. I mention this to remind you that many an experienced angler has told me there are periods of very, very good fishing just prior to the front of a storm, when the barometer is about to drop.

Of course, with a hurricane bearing down on you the last thing you should think of is fishing. But often there is a calm period just before the winds and rain begin, and that is when many fish feed hot and hard in anticipation of several days of not eating.

September is a kind of transition month, anyway. The waters are about as hot as they can get in the early part of the month, then toward the end of the month they cool and fishing takes on a different personality.

A couple of days ago I found the water to be nearly 87 degrees. That's warm! In the winter months the warm water is only in the middle to high 60s.

They say sea trout move offshore during the hotter times of the summer and move back into the bays as the waters cool. We've had fairly good luck on trout all summer, but we noticed that many were on the small side and had to be measured to make sure they reached the legal 12-inch minimum size to be kept.

Fall is also a good time for redfish.

The snook population is so depleted by now that few will be caught as we move out of the summer breeding season. I heard recently that the Florida Cabinet is now considering banning all snook fishing.

So if you are fishing or boating around the Islands right now, you've picked a good time. Best of luck fishing.

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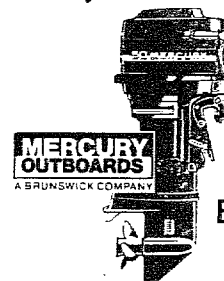
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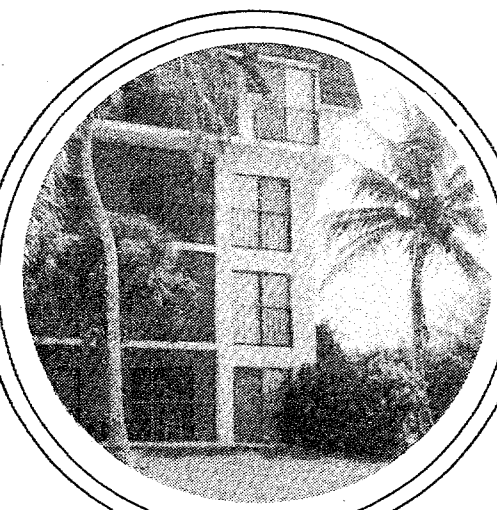


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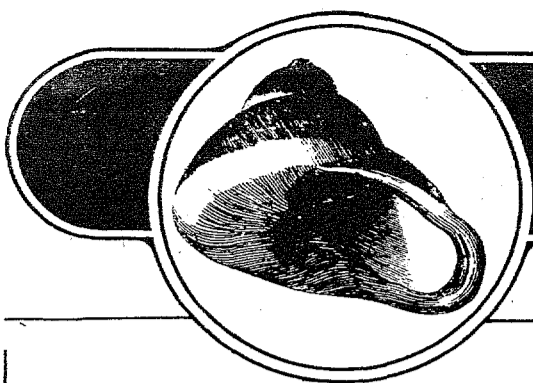
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# SHELLING TIPS

By Captain Mike Fuery

Have you ever heard a shell collector refer to a boat shell? You might also know the shell by its more common name, the slipper shell.

This specimen doesn't look like a boat or slipper to me, but then one of the interesting things about this hobby is learning how shells are named.

The slipper shell is rounded and scooped out. It reminds me of half an acorn. The colors vary, but the most common variety on Sanibel and Captiva, the Atlantic slipper, is usually light brown.

A tall slipper shell might reach an inch and a half, so we aren't looking for large shells here.

You should have very little trouble finding slipper shells. As a matter of fact, they are from a family that is one of the most abundant in the world.

There are some seven or eight kinds of slippers that have great tolerance to cold saltwaters. Some range to Nova Scotia and others down the western side of the United States.

Slipper shells find a host shell after they are a couple of years old and attach themselves to the host by gripping it with the inside muscle of the slipper's flat side.

You can find small slippers on all sorts of shells, including conchs, shark's eyes and whelks. The smaller slippers are the size of peas. The larger adults seem to gather in colonies and attach to one another in irregular lines.

Slipper shells have distinct male and female specimens. The females are always larger, scientists tell us, with the males growing hardly half the size.

If there is one slipper that might reach the status of a very desirable shell, it is the spiny slipper that is found more often in the West Indies. These look much like the jewel box shell we find around here.

I've come to the conclusion about jewel boxes that finding good doubles is just about a thing of the past.

Jewel boxes are round, white shells with small spines that give them a strange, but lovely look. You can find halves without too much trouble, but finding both sides together is a real challenge.

Not too many years ago the southern tip of Cayo Costa Island was a fairly good place for finding double jewel boxes. After a storm you should be able to pick up one or two, but in recent years I can't

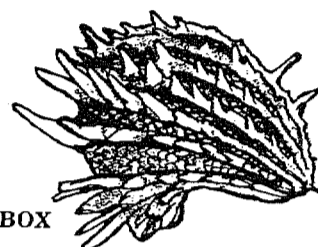
recall finding more than half a dozen.

The hinge system of the jewel box is not strong, and of course, after the living marine animal dies the two sides open and often detach.

Incidentally, as with the best collector shells, I've never found a living jewel box.

Good shelling this week. You should have no problem finding a slipper shell, but don't be discouraged if you only come up with half a jewel box.

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# ISLANDER SPORTS

By Scott Martell

## It's football time at Cypress Lake

Sanibel contingent adds to Panthers' playing power

While most high school football teams in Southwest Florida raced or stumbled through their first games Friday evening, the Cypress Lake Panthers sat idle.

The Panthers play their first game of the season when Clewiston comes calling this Friday night.

The team is anxious to eliminate frustrating memories of a 12-7 defeat to Bradenton Southeast in the first round of the playoffs last year. It was the one loss, the one bad game, in an otherwise sparkling season.

The extra week before the season's opener gives Cypress Lake more time to practice technique — but what they need the most is game time.

"We've got to replace 10 starters on defense, so you can see we're really starting from scratch there," says Coach Boyd Gruhn, who has been with the Panthers since 1970, for the past nine years as head coach. Last year he guided the Panthers to their best ever season, a 10-1 record and a first ever appearance in the playoffs.

To get to the playoffs again the defense must come together. The offense is going to be excellent, there's not much doubt about that; but the defense must learn fast, Gruhn says.

Many of the players do have some experience on defense, though not starting experience. Last year's defense was so awesome Gruhn often could afford to substitute in the final quarters.

From left to right: Sanibel's members of the Cypress Lake High School football team this year are Brad Stanke, Eric Palmer and Mike Gordon.

For instance, the defense allowed a measly 51 points to be scored on them the entire year. And the players racked up 334 points for themselves. And while the Panthers gave an average of only 154 yards per game, they added up a well-balanced 293 yards themselves.

It will be hard to equal those figures this year — but the goal has sparked an inexperienced team.

The defensive line will have some size, with young Mark Bruno (6-2, 210), a sophomore, and with Marion McCrae (6-1, 240) and John Brudreau (6-2, 190), both seniors.

Getting a lot of time in the defensive backfield will be two Sanibel players, senior Brad

Stanke and junior Mike Gordon. The defense plays a 5-2 front, with the backfield covering three zones plus one strong safety. Gordon plays in a zone (like a cornerback), while Stanke usually plays at strong safety.

Perhaps the biggest question this year, and the one that might decide how the season goes, is the linebacker position. The Panthers' system calls for two linebackers, and they must replace the powerful Shed Diggs this season.

But Gruhn feels he may have the man to do it in sophomore Troy Shue (6-2, 195), who, like Diggs, could end up also playing tight end. Anchoring the other linebacking spot will be junior

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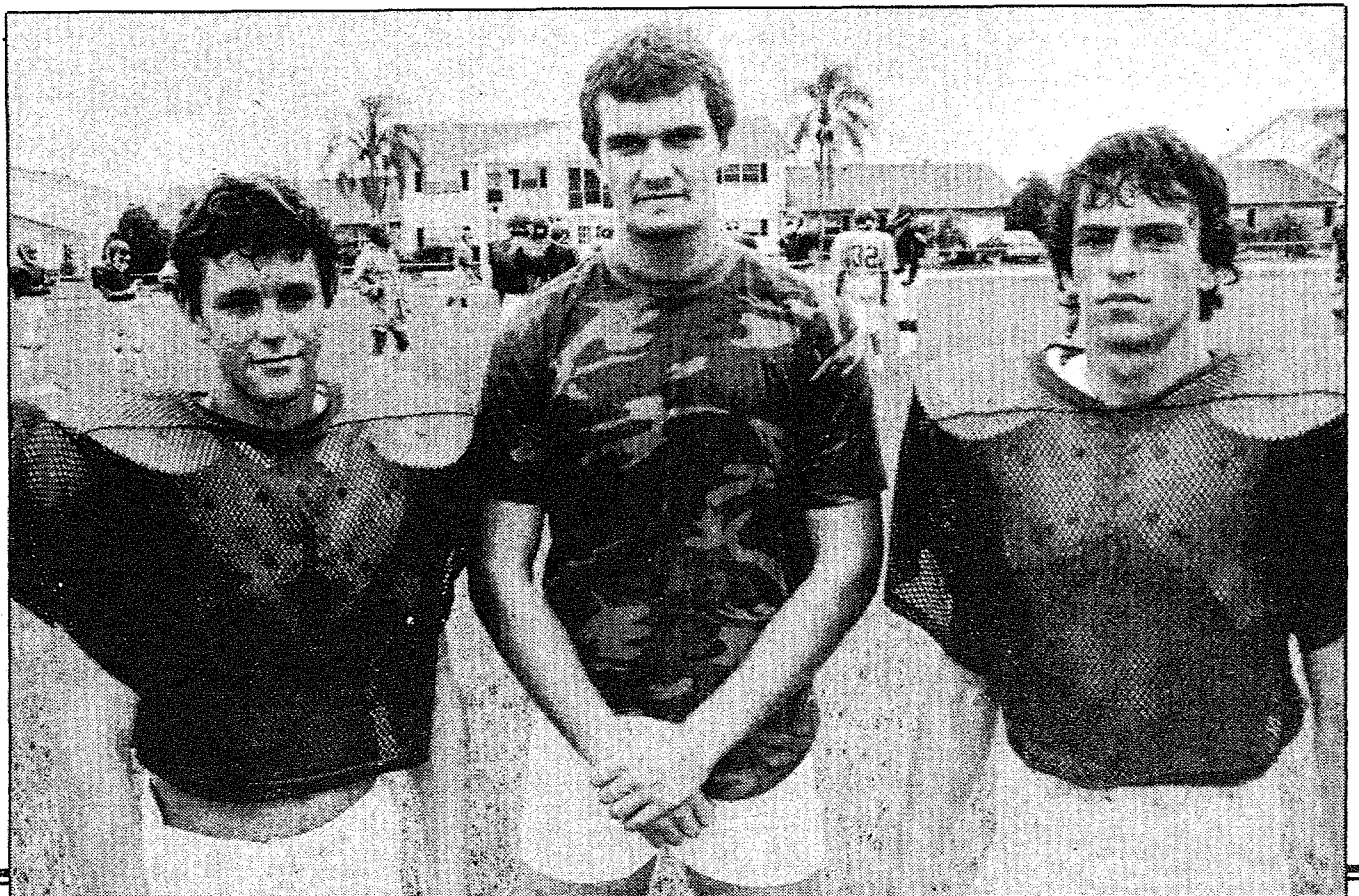
#### Panthers' schedule

Sept. 14 — Home against Clewiston  
 Sept. 21 — Away at Cape Coral  
 Sept. 28 — Home against Port Charlotte  
 Oct. 5 — Away at Riverdale  
 Oct. 12 — Home against North Fort Myers  
 Oct. 19 — Home against Homestead  
 Oct. 26 — Home against Lely  
 Nov. 2 — Away at Naples  
 Nov. 9 — Away at Barron Collier  
 Nov. 15 — Home against Fort Myers

Rusty Plant (6-0, 180).

"In our first game against

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gives us a chance to sneak some football in our local sports section. After all, football and a resort barrier island are not often mentioned within the same sentence, paragraph or even story.

In fact, for many of us transplanted northerners the idea of a football game played near sandy beaches where coconut palms sway in breezes that carry with them not only the faint tickling of a possible tropical hurricane but also the stench of suntan oil — well, it is a strange juxtaposition.

When I think of football my bones feel the cold chill of fall. I smell piled oak leaves burning beside the curb. I see little icicles dangling from gutters. I hear the crunch of feet running over frozen ground.

Football and nostalgia often go together. Being a lifelong supporter of the Washington Redskins, my nostalgia grows from the days of Sonny Jurgensen, Billy Kilmer and George Allen.

Now a Floridian, I try to forget my hate for the Miami team that ruined the Redskins' only Super Bowl appearance prior to last winter's. Miami beat the Skins, 14-7, in 1973 — the year I graduated from high school.

High school football carries with it another stream of nostalgia — a certain rite of passage not necessarily found only on a football field.

We can try to bring back a little of this era most of us experienced. Cypress Lake High School is just down the road. Last year the team was the best

"AAA" team in Southwest Florida. The Panthers went to the playoffs for the first time in their history. With an exciting quarterback and a swarming defense, the team was a blast to watch.

But it was also fun to watch the marching bands, listen to the kids (and their parents) yelling 'til their lungs gave out (which rarely happened) and hear Islander Reed Palmer's announcements and "play-by-play" come crackling out of the intercom.

This year the Panthers will again be worth a home game visit. As far as football for Islanders, Cypress Lake is really the only "live" show in town. It should be good football — no doubt with a touch of nostalgia.

For more information about the Cypress Lake Panthers and their schedule see the story in this week's paper.

Also, concerning the "Greek of the Week" contest, we no doubt have particular prejudices — teams we like and dislike. For instance, if we include the Dallas Cowboys in our pro games, it is only because we fervently hope they get blown away.

Surely Islanders have favorite teams they would like to see in the contest. If so, write them down on the contest form and we'll try to get them in occasionally. We will use the five Florida football teams (two pro, three college) whenever they play ball.



## SPORTS TALK

By Scott Martell

Visions of free dinners at Morgan's Market and dreams of an expense-paid trip to the Orange Bowl — both are real possibilities for Islanders and visitors thanks to Sundial's co-sponsorship of our annual football picks contest.

The contest should be fun and exciting. It also

# SPORTS

## Sanibel guesser has perfect score in weekly football picks

Sanibel's Walt Ciesiensi has won this week's "Greek of the Week" football picks contest sponsored by The Islander and Sundial Beach and Tennis resort.

Since we struck out the tie game with Florida vs. LSU, Ciesiensi ended up with a perfect nine for nine score. The perfect score sends Ciesiensi to what should be a "perfect" dinner for two at Morgan's Market and Lounge.

He is also in good shape for winning the grand prize of a trip for two to the Orange Bowl, which will be awarded to the player who has the best winning percentage based on at least seven weeks of play.

Two players picked eight out of nine games correctly — Larry Appleby and Terry Vanzant. Many picked seven out of nine games correctly.

Good luck this week — remember, circle all 10 games on the card and then guess the number of points you think will be scored in the Game of the Week. These points will be used in case of a tie.

Entries must be brought to the Islander by noon Friday or the Sundial by noon Saturday. They can also be mailed to the Islander, P.O. Box 56, Sanibel 33957, or to Sundial, 1246 Middle Gulf Dr., Sanibel 33957.

## Greek of the Week

Circle the team you think will win each game. For the Game of the Week also include your guess of the total points that will be scored in the game.

Sept. 15  
 Tulane at Florida Auburn at Texas  
 Florida State at Kansas Washington State at Ohio State  
 Miami at Purdue

Sept. 16  
 Detroit at Tampa Bay Philadelphia at Dallas  
 Houston at San Diego Chicago at Green Bay  
 L.A. Rams at Pittsburgh

GAME OF THE WEEK  
 Auburn at Texas  
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Make sure you either mail or deliver your guesses so they are at The Islander by noon Friday or Sundial by noon Saturday.

## It's football time continued

Clewiston we'll see how they do," says Gruhn. "Clewiston tends to run reverses, screens and stuff like that. We're going to have to work on our containment. Our secondary should be pretty quick, but our linebackers will just have to come along."

The Panther offense is "along. Even though six offensive starters are gone this year, including the gazelle-like receiver Don Ellis, much of the unit that scored so well last year is back.

This includes senior Archie Hopkins, who took the passing crown last year with 1,072 yards and 16 touchdowns — twice as many touchdown passes as

any other quarterback in Southwest Florida.

"We have a bunch of good receivers this year," Gruhn says. "Back are Kenny Talbert and Wilfred Rivera. And Rod Talbert also looks good."

And then there are the runners, Riley Ware and Earl Hamilton — both are only 5-10, but they both add the pass catching threat to their repertoire. Last year they were pretty good; this year they should be better. Ware blew out two long runs, 27 yards and 29 yards, in the pre-season jamboree played two weeks ago.

The offensive line could be one of the Panthers' strongest areas, anchored by Greg Gordon, (6-4, 275).

On the line will also be Sanibel's Eric Palmer, (6-

2, 185) at center. Palmer stretched or tore the cartilage in his knee on the fifth play of the season at the jamboree.

"It was our field goal attempt, and one of their fellows just fell on it," Palmer laments. Either way, he says, he will be able to play with a tightly wrapped knee — and is very much ready to play the first game against Clewiston.

The entire team sounds ready to play — how the season goes is anybody's guess, including Coach Gruhn's.

"Again this year, any seven or eight teams could win," he says. "And we should be right in there. Once we get some game experience and some confidence, we should be all right."

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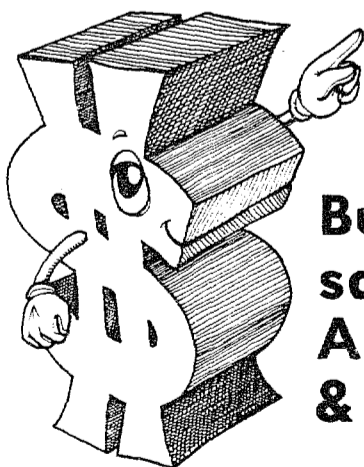
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## Sportsman of the Week: Thom Traucht

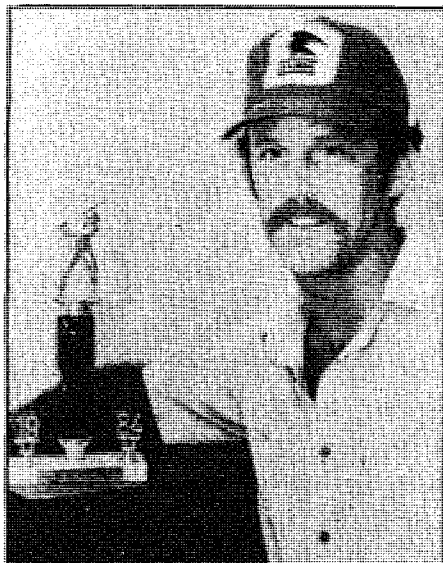
This week's Sportsman of the Week is a member of a men's softball team that won first place in a tournament featuring 12 top teams from all over Florida. Not only that, he was named the tournament's Most Valuable Player.

Sanibel Post Office worker Thom Traucht plays on the Fort Myers Post Office team. The former West Wind player feels his team could handle any of Sanibel's top men's softball teams and hopes to have the chance to prove it in a fall tournament.

The Fort Myers team thoroughly dominated a Labor Day weekend tournament, winning all five of its games, scoring 50 runs and giving up only 13 runs.

Traucht picked up 12 hits in 18 at bats for a .666 batting average. His two triples and two doubles helped slice open the Miami team, 13-2, which was expected to provide the toughest competition, in the final championship game.

The Sportsman of the Week recognizes local athletes from fishermen to ballplayers and swim-



Thom Traucht

mers to golfers — of all ages.

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.

## Sports quiz

We made the quiz too easy last week. Everybody who called — and likely many who didn't — knew both answers.

The callers were John Matusiask, "Jimmy the Greek" and the Associate. They knew the answers without a moment's hesitation. Yes, George Blanda was the oldest player to play professional football. He finally retired when he was 48 years old after playing a record 26 years.

And the Dallas Cowboys did not win a game in their first season in 1960. The best they could manage was one tie and 11 defeats. After last Sunday's game against the Giants, perhaps we

will be treated to a similar season. In all fairness, it should be mentioned, as the "Associate" did, that the Cowboys have indeed been to the playoffs for 17 out of 18 seasons.

This week we try a hockey question. First: Which player has the record for most consecutive games in the NHL? And second: Name the player who has scored both 50 or more goals and 100 or more points for six consecutive seasons in the NHL?

If you think you know the answers, give us a call at 472-5185. If you're right, we'll print your name in next week's Islander.

## There's still time to sign up for Humane Society softball tournament

Softball teams take note: There's another good tournament coming up Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 20-21.

Teams will compete in the Second Annual Lee County Humane Society softball tournament at Rutenberg Field. Team entry costs \$80. Trophies

will be awarded for first, second and third place finishes. The closing date for accepting teams is Oct. 10.

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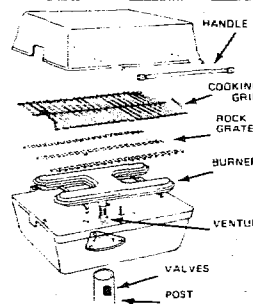
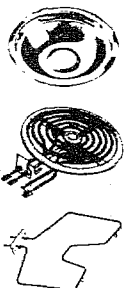
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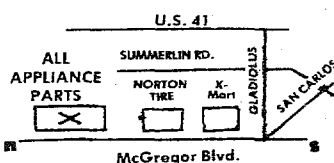
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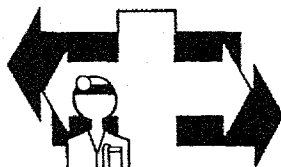
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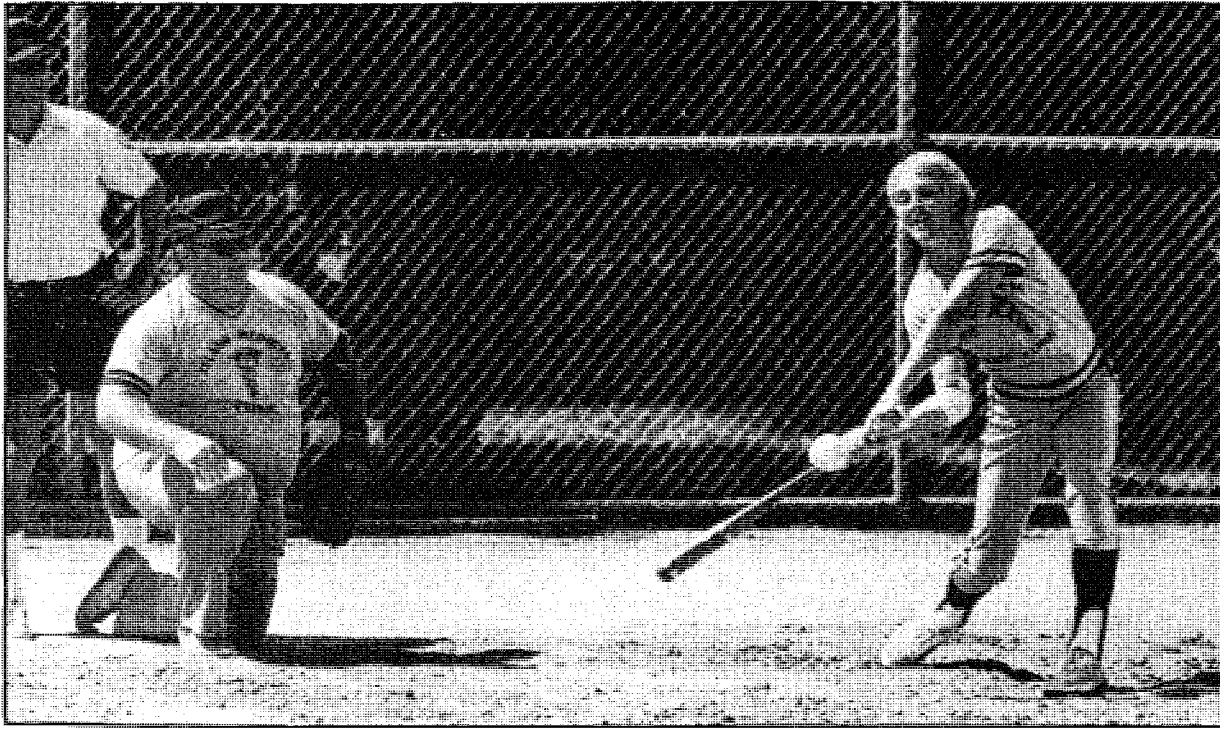


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# SPORTS



What is this — an Island Medical Center player and Coach Doc Bell playing defense while one of the center's own players, Mark Rodgers, is at bat? So it went Sunday when Mucky Duck didn't have quite enough players to compete and Island

Medical Center won by forfeit. But the teams went on to play a fun game, with Bell helping out the Duck. The coach even blasted a single in the fifth inning for the Duck. Photo by Scott Martell.

## Rain forces rescheduling of three men's softball games

A long men's softball season closes tonight. No one can catch West Wind now, but if the Dunes 86ers defeat West Wind at 9 p.m. the Dunes can take sole possession of second place. They are now tied with the Mucky Duck.

The games to be played tonight are those that were rained out last Thursday.

Last week was a slow one for Island softball. With three rainouts and two forfeits, only three games were played.

On Tuesday West Wind showed they were still the best team on Sanibel, beating the Mucky Duck team, which has threatened to take charge all season.

But the game was close, 16-12, which ought to make West Wind a bit nervous as the teams take a three-week break before the No-see-um tournament scheduled for the weekend of Sept. 28-30.

Also Tuesday Naumann and the Dunes 86ers defeated Peppers and South Seas, respectively. Both Naumann and the Dunes look like teams to watch at the No-see-um tournament.

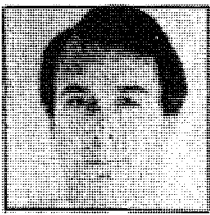
Island Medical could be another team to watch — they finished 11-11 for the season after picking up the forfeit Sunday from Mucky Duck. Peppers also

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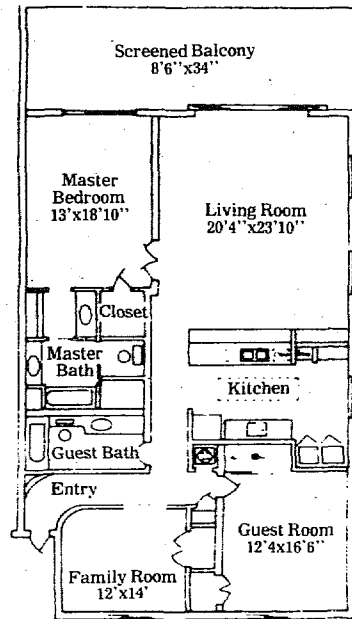
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# Fall means fun on Sanibel and Captiva

Fall is traditionally a quiet time of year for both residents and visitors of Sanibel and Captiva. That started to change last year, however, with the First Annual Fall Festival of the Islands.

This year the second annual festival sponsored by the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce is even bigger and better and offers something for everyone from runners to sailors, softball pitchers,

golfers, fishermen, jazz aficionados and oom-pah-pah fans.

The Islands' finest resorts and facilities are set to host competition that will draw world class athletes and weekend novices to compete with their peers for cash, trophies, Island vacations and other valuable prizes.

Coupled with the sporting competition is entertainment each weekend ranging from a chili cook-

off to a two-day jazz festival.

So whether you want to be a participant or a spectator, and whether your interest lies in sports or entertainment, Sanibel and Captiva is the place to be this October. The calendar is filled from start to finish, beginning on the 7th with a chili cook-off and ending on the 28th with a seafood festival. Keep this list handy all month long so you'll know where to go and when.

## Chili Cook-Off

The Sanibel-Captiva Kiwanis Club is sponsoring the chili cook-off for the third time this year. The popular event has become one of the club's main fund-raising activities, the proceeds of which go toward programs such as scouting and sports for the Islands' youth.

This year's cook-off takes place at the Dunes on Sunday, Oct. 7. Teams and individual chili champions will begin cooking their concoctions for competition around noon. Judging by local personalities and restaurateurs will take place later in the afternoon.

The winner of the chili cook-off will receive a trophy and an invitation to compete in the regional cook-off later this fall at Port of the Islands, Fla.

All day long bluegrass music will fill the air and the Kiwanis will sell beer, giant margaritas and their own chili, nachos and chili dogs.

The entry fee for competition is \$25. For registration forms and more information call John Friedlund, 472-1537, or stop by the Sanibel office of First Federal Savings and Loan on Palm Ridge Road.

Admission to the cook-off for the general public will be \$2.

## One-Pitch Softball Tournament

A new event for this year's festival is the First Annual One-Pitch Softball Tournament. The competition will take place Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 12, 13 and 14, on the fields next to the Sanibel Elementary School.

Special guests will be the Louisville, Ky., Police Department softball team, one of the better teams in the country. The Louisville men will compete in the regular round robin play against teams from Sanibel and Captiva, Fort Myers and Cape Coral.

The tournament is limited to the first 12 teams that pay the \$75 entry fee. For registration and more information call tournament organizer Dick Noon at the Sanibel Recreation Complex, 472-0345.

## 10K Sunrise Run

The Second Annual Sanibel-Captiva 10K Sunrise Run promises to draw even more than the 350 runners who came from throughout Florida last year. This year's race takes place Saturday, Oct. 13.

Hosted by the Fort Myers Track Club and sponsored by Pepsi, Miller Beer and the Phoenix Total Fitness and Beauty Center of Fort Myers, the 6.2-mile, early morning run is the largest of its kind in Lee County. It is sanctioned by the Road Runners of America, the national grassroots running organization that has 410 chapters and 150,000 members.

The race route follows the wide, flat, tree-lined streets of the Dunes subdivision on Sanibel. The awards ceremony after the race will be held at the Dunes Country Club. Runners will be eligible for reduced rates on tickets for Jazz on the Green at the Dunes on Saturday night and Sunday afternoon, Oct. 13 and 14.

Friday evening before the race runners are invited to a clinic at Tween Waters Inn on Captiva. Tom Kenney from Runners Update magazine will discuss all aspects of running in Florida. He will be joined by other prominent runners from throughout the state.

A videotape of the race will be shown at

'Tween Waters after a special brunch on Sunday.

Registration is \$7 postmarked before Oct. 10 and \$9 after that date. For information on where to pick up registration forms call Lou Allshouse of the Fort Myers Track Club, 936-0383, or write the Fort Myers Track Club, P.O. Box 06131, Fort Myers, FL 33906.

## Jazz on the Green

Jazz on the Green returns to Sanibel under the sponsorship of Barrier Island Group for the Arts for the fourth time this year. Each year the evening of jazz under the stars grows more and more popular.

This year the festival at the Dunes Country Club has been expanded to two days, with contemporary jazz starting the program Saturday night, Oct. 13, and classical jazz artists taking the stage Sunday afternoon, Oct. 14. The Peter Graves Orchestra will anchor both programs.

Joining the orchestra for the Saturday evening contemporary jazz show will be world-renowned alto sax player David Sanborn. The music will begin at 6:30 p.m.

On Sunday classical jazz trumpet player Nat Adderly will join the orchestra on stage beginning at 4 p.m.

Tickets for each evening are \$7.50 in advance and \$10 at the gate. Children under 12 will be admitted free. Tickets are available at Sanibel Audio-Visual on Periwinkle Way, the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce on Causeway Road and at Rainbow Records in Fort Myers and Cape Coral. For more information call 472-3355.

Plan now to bring your lawn chair or blanket and take your place under the stars for the return to Jazz on the Green.

## Sailing Regatta

The Second Annual Sanibel-Captiva Sailing Regatta is set for the weekend of Oct. 12-14. This year's regatta is sponsored by Bailey's of Sanibel and Lowenbrau.

Competition is divided into nine classes: PHRF, Hobie, Boards, Cruising, Laser, Lightning, J-24, Prindle and "Other." The entry fee for PHRF, Cruising and J-24's is \$30; three man one-designs, \$25; two man one-designs, \$20; and single classes, \$15.

Entry fees include dockage, launching facilities, t-shirts, transportation and skipper's ticket to Jazz on the Green. Additional tickets to Jazz on the Green will be available for regatta participants at a reduced rate.

Regatta weekend activities begin Friday with the skipper's meeting at 7 p.m. followed by a welcoming party at Sanibel Marina.

The actual races will take place Saturday and Sunday. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. Saturday at Sanibel Cove on the east end of the Causeway. A skipper's meeting will be held at 10 a.m. and the race will be underway at noon Saturday. Sunday's racing will begin at 10 a.m.

Spectators will have the best view of the races from the Causeway islands Saturday and Sunday.

For race registration packets, instructions and more information call the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce, 472-3232, or Sanibel Marina, 472-2723. Or write the Chamber of Commerce, P.O. Box 166, Sanibel, 33957.

## Golf Tournament

Tee up for the Second Annual Festival of the Islands Golf Classic at the Dunes and the Beachview country clubs Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 21-22. This year's pro-am tournament is sponsored by Bank of the Islands and the Reef Motel of Sanibel.

Three golfers will team with a different pro each day for the two best balls net competition. Entrants must have verified handicaps and can compile their own three-person team or sign up individually.

Shotgun starts will be at 9 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. at the Beachview course and at 9 a.m. at the Dunes. Based on 36 teams, prize money will range from \$750 for the first place team to \$75 for the tenth place team. Pros will compete for a \$1,000 first place prize to \$100 for tenth place.

Island merchants have donated various prizes for closest-to-the-pin winners.

Golfers will be entertained at a cocktail party from 8 to 10 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 20, at the Beachview and at a cook-out/awards presentation from 2 to 4 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 21, at the Dunes.

Entry fee is \$90 per person. For entry blanks and more information call head pro Pat Flinn at the Dunes, 472-3525. The entry deadline is Wednesday, Oct. 10.

## Oktoberfest at Tween Waters

Roll out the barrel at Tween Waters Inn on Captiva Oct. 16-21 during the second annual Oktoberfest of the Islands. Last year's festivities drew hundreds of oom-pah-pah fans to the tented bier garden every day of the festival.

Oompahs with the world-renowned Stratton Mountain Boys begin at 5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday, Oct. 16-20, and at 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 16. The seven-piece band comes directly from the Bavarian Alps bringing Tyrolean music, dancing and singing for the entire family. More music will be provided by The Richters.

Also available under the bier garden tent will be German beers, wines, foods, crafts, t-shirts, mugs and various souvenirs. In the Tween Waters dining room will be assorted Bavarian specialties and established favorites.

Daily admission for the Oktoberfest is \$3 for adults and \$1 for children. Rooms at the Tween Waters motel will be half price Monday through Thursday of the Oktoberfest week.

To make your reservations call the inn, 472-5161.

## Big Pumpkin Swim Meet

Florida's finest young swimmers will gather at the Sanibel Recreation Complex pool Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 19, 20 and 21 for the Annual Big Pumpkin Swim Meet.

This year's meet is hosted by the island's own Sanibel Water Attack Team, which is a member of the Greater Lee County Youth league. SWAT Coach Dick Noon says he expects as many as 600 swimmers to compete in this year's Big Pumpkin meet.

For more information call Noon at the city's rec complex, 472-0345.

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## Fall means fun continued

### Fishing Rodeo

The Second Annual Festival of the Island Fishing Rodeo takes place Friday, Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 26-28.

Official rodeo headquarters will be set up in the vacant lot across from Bailey's at the corner of Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road. A welcoming reception will take place there from 4 to 6 p.m. Friday followed by a captain's meeting where rules of the rodeo will be discussed.

The actual fishing competition will begin at 7:30 a.m. Saturday and is divided into three categories for the entire weekend: shore division, pro boat division and amateur boat division.

Catches of redfish, trout and sheepshead will be eligible for the shore competition. Redfish, trout, cobia, grouper and triple tail will be eligible for both pro and amateur boat division competition. Winners will be based on length, not weight.

Registration is \$25 per person in the shore division; \$75 per amateur boat; and \$100 per pro boat.

Daily cash prizes will be awarded in all three divisions for the longest fish of numerous

species. First, second and third place grand prizes will be awarded in each division on Sunday afternoon at rodeo headquarters.

For complete rodeo rules, instructions and registration forms contact the Sanibel-Captiva Chamber of Commerce, 472-3232, or the Bait Box on Sanibel, 472-1618. The registration packet includes admission to the Festival of the Islands Seafood Festival at rodeo headquarters Sunday afternoon, Oct. 28.

### Seafood Festival

Take your taste for seafood to the Festival of the Islands Seafood Festival on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 28.

Following the format of the popular Taste of the Islands, many of the Islands' finest restaurants will prepare tastes of their seafood specialties for sampling at the fishing rodeo headquarters in the vacant lot across from Bailey's at the intersection of Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road.

Live entertainment and oyster-shucking and oyster-eating contests will be part of the fun.

Admission will be \$1 for adults.

### Rain forces rescheduling from page 13B

picked up a forfeit victory Sunday — they showed up, South Seas didn't.

Standings as of Monday, Sept 10:

- West Wind, 19-3
- Mucky Duck, 16-7
- Dunes 86ers, 16-7
- Naumann, 15-7
- Island Medical Center, 11-11
- Island Exxon, 11-11
- Peppers, 5-15
- South Seas, 5-15
- Mariner, 2-14

This week's schedule:

Tuesday, Sept. 11 — 6:30 p.m., South Seas vs. Naumann; 7:45 p.m., Island Medical vs. Peppers; 9 p.m., Dunes vs. West Wind.



Island Medical's Barry Gordon, reputed to be the "oldest" man in the league, powers a hard single to centerfield. Photos by Scott Martell.



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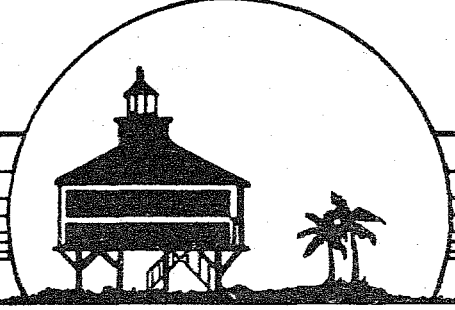


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**Peppers** — In the Tahitian Garden shopping center on Periwinkle Way, Sanibel. Thursdays, Fridays and Saturdays hear the Doc Travis Band (formerly Hummingbird) play rock 'n' roll and dance music from 9:30 p.m. to 1 a.m. A disc jockey plays "oldies but goodies" Sunday through Wednesday. No cover. Dancing.

**Thistle Lodge** — At Casa Ybel Resort, Casa Ybel Road, Sanibel. Through Sept. 29 hear Ron and Bob Inkenbrandt beginning at 8:30 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday, 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Happy hour with piano music from 5 to 7 p.m. Tuesday

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♠ 86  
♥ A K 8 7 5  
♦ J 6 2  
♣ A 9 5

**WEST**  
♠ 9 5 2  
♥ Q 2  
♦ K 9 5  
♣ Q 10 8 7 3

**EAST**  
♠ 7 4  
♥ J 10 9 3  
♦ Q 10 7 3  
♣ J 6 2

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

<b>North</b>	<b>East</b>	<b>South</b>	<b>West</b>
1♥	Pass	2♠	Pass
2NT	Pass	4NT	Pass
5♥	Pass	5NT	Pass
6♦	Pass	6♣	All Pass

Opening lead -- ♠ 2

By Alfred Sheinwold

Counting losers is a good short cut when you are declarer at a suit contract. But in a difficult hand the right idea might come more easily if you count your winners.

Today's declarer saw that his only losers were two diamonds. He drew trumps, took the top hearts and ruffed a heart. When the six missing hearts failed to divide evenly he struggled on for a while but eventually gave up to diamonds.

## STRANGE LOSER

If South counts winners he sees that he has 11 sure tricks. His losers are not necessarily in diamonds. After drawing trumps South should lead a heart and play low from dummy, thus losing a heart trick.

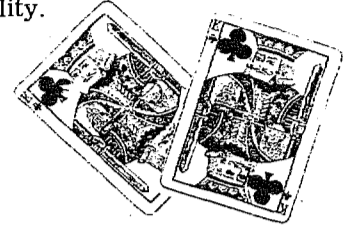
South wins the club return (best defense) in his hand, takes the top hearts (discarding a diamond) and ruffs a heart. Now South can lead to the ace of clubs (saved in dummy for this purpose) to discard another diamond on dummy's last heart. Conceding a trick in hearts, where he had no loser to start with, improved South's chance of developing a 12th winner.

## WEEKLY QUESTION

You hold: ♠ 8 6 ♥ A K 8 7 5 ♦ J 6 2 ♣ A 9  
5. Partner bids one spade, you respond two hearts, and he then bids 2NT. The opponents pass. What do you say?

### ANSWER

Bid 3NT. With 12 high-card points opposite an opening bid you want to get to game. You cannot raise spades with only a doubleton, and you've already promised at least five hearts. No-trump is the only remaining possibility.



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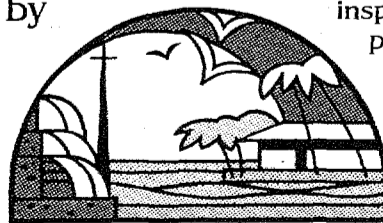
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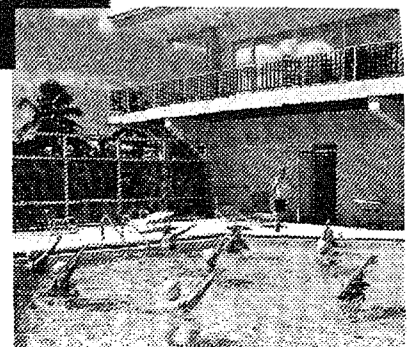
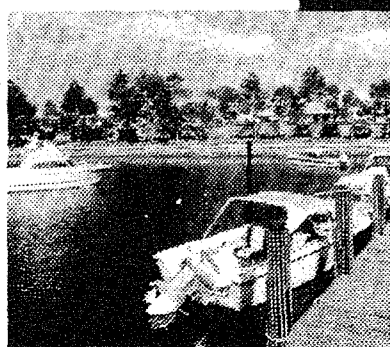


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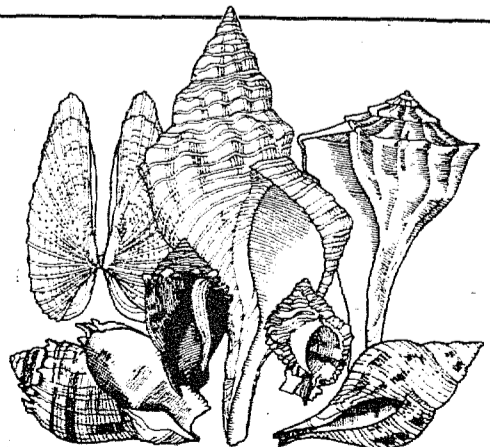
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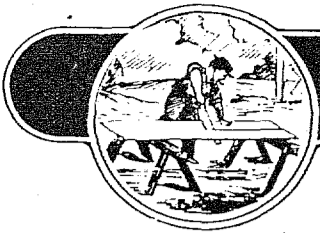
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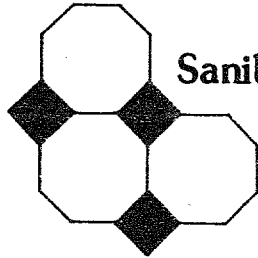
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**For Sale By Owner** Large 2 bedroom, 2 bath gulf view condominium at Sandpebble. Dining room overlooks golf course, top floor unit with elevator. Terrific buy at \$129,900. Call 466-1269 after 5 p.m. (TFN)

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### INTERVAL FOR SALE

**LIGHTHOUSE RESORT** sale by owner. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, bay front, 1st floor, corner unit, weeks 18 & 19 (May) \$9,500 for both. Call 301-475-5256. (TFN)

Casa Ybel week 44 & 45 (November) \$4,000 below current market rate. 2 br, 2 bath, overlooks pool and gulf. Call (515) 288-1023. (TFN)

### INTERVAL FOR SALE

Time share direct from owner. Sanibel's best location, weeks 16 & 17 at Sanibel Beach Club II. \$8,750 each week. Call 549-6553. (TFN)

Week 37 (Sept. 12-19) and week 49 (Dec. 5-12). Reasonably priced at Casa Ybel. Call 549-0949. (TFN)

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Spectacular Gulffront South Seas Plantation Beach Club week 21 (includes Memorial Day) \$6,000. Call 466-0399. (9-25)

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Week 16 (3rd week in April) at Casa Ybel Resort and Club. Upper, two bedroom, two bath, all amenities included. \$12,000 negotiable. Days call (617) 523-2306. Or write 112 Union Wharf, Boston, Mass 02109. (TFN)

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Shell Island Beach Club week 47 (Thanksgiving week). 2 bedrooms, 2 baths, sleeps 6, gulf front, pool, tennis. 2 years old. \$8,000. Call (516) 277-1324. (9-11)

Excellent Gulfview - One of Sanibel's best intervals - Sanibel Beach Club II, newly redecorated 2 bedrooms, 2 baths. Week 40, (early October). Call (312) 788-5980. (9-25)

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- 23 Aboveboard
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- 28 Sea bird
- 30 Macadamizes
- 31 Aromatic heartwoods
- 32 Make a record
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- 37 Vendor's display
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- 39 Hazard
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**ANSWERS TO LAST WEEKS PUZZLE**

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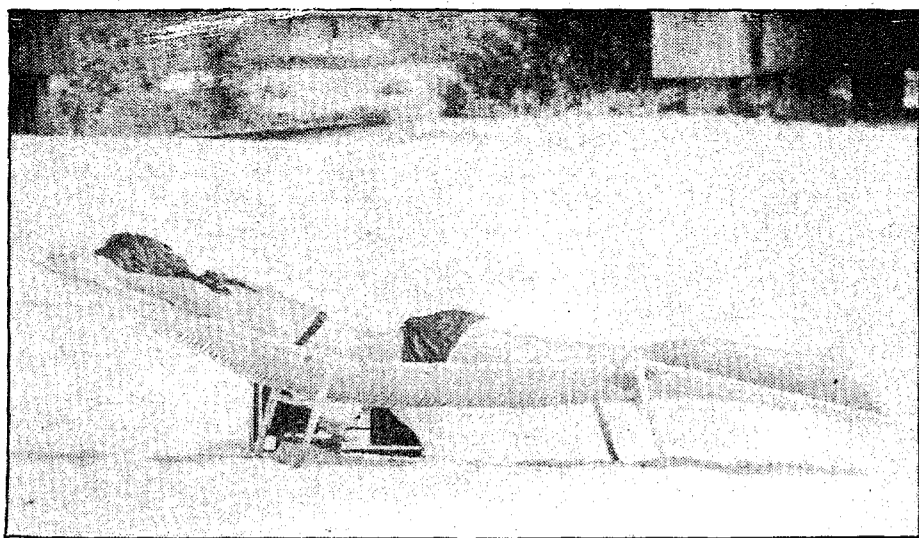
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**Alanon**  
Meets at 8 p.m. every Tuesday at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church on Periwinkle Way.

**Alcoholics 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 group, step meeting at 8 p.m. Sundays at the church.  
Women's group, closed discussion, 10 a.m. on Mondays at St. Isabel Catholic Church on Sanibel-Captiva Road.  
Men's Big Book Group closed discussion 12 Noon on Thursdays at St. Isabel Catholic church on Sanibel-Captiva Road.

**American Business Womens' Association**  
Meets at 6 p.m. on the second Thursday of every month at the Thistle Lodge. Any woman who is gainfully employed either part time or full time is welcome. Must make reservations by Monday before Thursday meeting date. Call Marilyn Deese 472-1080 or 466-4456 hospitality chairman, for reservations.

**Audubon Society**  
Winter program held at 8 p.m. every Thursday at the Sanibel Community Association hall on Periwinkle Way.

**Barrier Island Group for the Arts BIG Arts**  
An organization founded to build a cultural community on the Islands. 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 Marty Grasgreen, 472-3301.

**Care and Rehabilitation of Wildlife, Inc.**  
Meets at 1:30 p.m. the second Wednesday of every month at the Sanibel Library.  
Tour the hospital and sanctuary at 3883 Sanibel-Captiva Road by appointment.  
For information about tours, wildlife or membership call 472-3644.

**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 Wightman Lane**  
472-0482  
Bi-monthly meetings. Call for additional information on this newly formed group.

**Coconut Co-op**  
The food-buying 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 Halverson, 472-6503.

**CONA Committee of Neighborhood Associations**  
Meetings held on the second Thursday of every month. For more information call President Fritz Holtz, 472-2335.

**Sanibel Community Association**  
Meetings held at 6:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month, October through May at the Community Association Auditorium on Periwinkle Way.  
For information call the office Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 10 a.m. to 12 Noon - 472-2155 or Urban Palmer - 472-1316.

**Girl Scouts**  
472-9341  
Visiting Girl Scouts - Juniors, Cadettes, Seniors. Make new friends. Call 472-9341 for meeting schedule.

**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 7:30 p.m. on the second Wednesday of each month at the Sanibel Community Association hall.  
For information call Lt. Urban Palmer, 472-1316.

**Kiwanis**  
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 6:30 p.m. on the third Wednesday of each month at the Dunes. For information call Hazel, 472-2660.

**Murex**  
Games played at 8 p.m. every Thursday at the American Legion Post on Sanibel-Captiva Road. Cash prizes awarded.

**Rotary Club**  
Meets every Friday at 7:45 a.m. at the Sundial on Middle Gulf Drive. All visiting Rotarians, 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 around from 9 a.m. to noon followed by sack lunch and critique. Phone 472-4594 for locations. Indoor workshops January, February, March. Membership open to all area artists. Phone 472-2619 for information.

**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 Sebald, 472-4141 days, for more information.

**Sanibel-Captiva Shell Club**  
Meets at 8 p.m. on the third Monday of each month, October through May, at the Sanibel Community Association Hall. President, Doris Platt. Assistant membership chairman, Mili Backus (472-4709) or write Sanibel-Captiva Shell Club, Box 355, Sanibel, FL 33957. Dues are \$6 for an individual, \$10 for a couple. New members welcome.

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

**Sanibel Swim Team**  
For information call Dick Noon, 472-2313.

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

## Rentals

**AUTOMOBILES**

**Avis Rent-a-Car**  
3-Star Grocery  
472-4040  
Intersection of Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge roads. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., seven days.

**Dollar Rent-a-Car**  
South Seas Plantation Captiva  
472-5111, ext. 3314  
Open 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. seven days. Call to make arrangements.

**Hertz Rent-a-Car**  
Sanibel Stardard  
1015 Periwinkle Way  
472-1468  
Open 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Closed Sundays.

**BICYCLES-MOPEDS**

**Bike Barn**  
Periwinkle Way and Main Street  
Opposite the 7-11  
No phone  
Bicycle rentals, sales and service.

**Bike Route**  
2330 Palm Ridge Road  
472-1955  
Bicycle rentals, sales and repairs. Open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Sundays.

**Island Moped**  
1470 Periwinkle Way  
472-5248  
Open 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. seven days. Rentals and repairs of bicycles and mopeds.

**South Seas Plantation Captiva**  
472-5111  
Bicycle rentals. Open 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. seven days.

**BOAT HOUSE**

**Sanibel Marina**  
472-2531  
Sail & Power boats - Sunfish. Captain sail charters available.

**WINDSURFERS**

**Windsurfing of Sanibel**  
Periwinkle Way  
472-0123  
Windsurfing rentals, sales, instruction and accessories.

**Sanibel Island Hilton Inn**  
937 Gulf Drive  
472-3181  
Windsurfers, hobie cats and phantoms. Hourly rental and instructions.

**Sundial**  
7246 Middle Gulf Drive  
472-4151  
Sailboats, catamarans, windsurfers, bicycles. Hourly and half-day rentals.

**HEALTH SUPPLIES**

**Island Apothecary**  
Apothecary Center  
2460 Palm Ridge Road  
Opposite the 3-Star grocery  
472-1519  
Wheelchairs, crutches, personal health care items.

**VIDEO EQUIPMENT**

**Harmon's of Sanibel**  
359 Periwinkle Way  
472-6364  
Video tapes and machines, video discs and disc players available for daily or weekly rental.

**Sanibel Rental Service**  
Jerry's Shopping Center  
472-5177  
Rollaways, cribs, strollers, highchairs, car seats, beach items and more.

meadows Drive off U.S. 41 in Fort Myers.  
Admission is free and visitors are welcome. Call 472-2665 for information.

## Doctors, therapists, pharmacies

**GENERAL PRACTICE**

**Jean Gentry, M.D., P.A.**  
2750 Periwinkle Way  
472-4188

**Stephan Halabis, M.D., FACS**  
2426 Palm Ridge Road  
472-3163

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

**MEDICINE AND SURGERY**

**John Collucci, D.O.**  
& **Dr. John Cossu, D.O.**  
Island Medical Clinic  
2400 Palm Ridge Road  
8 a.m. to 8 p.m., seven days  
472-5974

**CHIROPRACTIC PHYSICIAN**

**Harry Kair, D.C., P.A.**  
1640 Periwinkle Way  
472-1824

**DENTISTS**

**James Bell, D.D.S.**  
Sanibel Plaza  
1630-G Periwinkle Way  
472-6333  
472-6500 for emergencies

**Roger Dunphy, D.D.S.**  
**William Shorack, D.D.S.**  
Bay Wind Plaza  
2402 Palm Ridge Road  
472-2060  
481-7493 in Fort Myers

**OPTOMETRISTS**

**Dr. Albert Evans**  
1633 Periwinkle Way  
Suite F  
472-2112  
Open Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to noon.

**Robert LeSage, O.D.**  
Bay Wind Plaza  
2402 Palm Ridge Road  
472-4204

**PHARMACIES**

**Corner Drugs**  
Island Shopping Center  
Periwinkle Way and Tarpon Bay Road  
472-4149  
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 pharmacist on duty on weekends.

**Jerry's Pharmacy**  
Jerry's Grocery Store  
Jerry's Shopping Center  
472-6670  
24-hour emergency service, 472-9202. Open Monday thru Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday and holidays from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Eckerd Drugs**  
2331 Palm Ridge Road  
472-1719  
Open seven days a week. Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m., Sunday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.

**Island Apothecary**  
Apothecary Center  
2460 Palm Ridge Road  
Opposite the 3-Star Grocery  
472-1519  
Open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.  
24-hour emergency service, 472-2768.

**VETERINARIANS**

**Drs. Paul and Phyllis Douglass, D.V.M.**  
1042 Cypress Lake Drive  
Fort Myers  
481-4746  
Animals can be seen on Sanibel on Tuesday and Thursday beginning at 1 p.m. Arrangements should be made by calling the above number.

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**INTERNAL MEDICINE AND CARDIOLOGY**

**Stephen Mullins, M.D.**  
2440 Palm Ridge Road  
472-1334

## Churches

**St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church**  
The Rev. James D.B. Hubbs  
Periwinkle Way  
472-2173  
472-3356 (annex)  
Sunday - Holy Eucharist, Rite 1, 7:30 a.m.; Holy Eucharist (morning prayer and church school) 9:30 a.m.  
Wednesday - Holy Eucharist, 9 a.m.  
Thursday - Holy Eucharist, 7:30 a.m.  
Saturday - Holy Eucharist, 5:30 p.m.

**Sanibel Community Church**  
The Rev. Ralph E. Dennison, Jr.  
1741 Periwinkle Way  
472-2684  
Sunday services at 10 a.m. Nursery service available during service. Friendship hour follows service. Summer hours: May 1 - October 1.

**First Baptist Church**  
Pastor Jamie Stilson  
Sanibel-Captiva Road  
472-1018  
Sunday - Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; worship, 11 a.m.; children's church, 11 a.m.  
Evening services at 6 p.m. Sundays and Wednesdays at 7 p.m.  
Nursery available for all services.

**St. Isabel's Catholic Church**  
3559 Sanibel-Captiva Road  
472-2763  
Weekend schedule: Saturday Vigil 5:30 p.m. Sunday Mass 8:30 a.m. and 10:30 a.m. Daily Mass - 8:30 a.m. Holy Day schedule same as weekends.

**Captiva Chapel By The Sea**  
Services suspended until November.

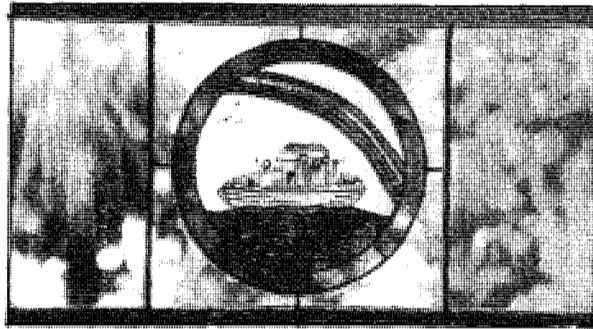
**Sanibel Congregational United Church of Christ**  
The Rev. Richard Stein  
472-0497 or 472-3692  
Sunday - Worship service at 11:15 a.m. at St. Michael and All Angels Episcopal Church, Periwinkle Way.

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**First Church of Christ Scientist, Sanibel Captiva**  
2950 West Gulf Drive  
472-4449  
Sunday Service 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 Agin  
2721 Del Prado Boulevard  
Cape Coral  
574-5115  
Sunday - Children's religious school, 9:30 a.m.  
Friday - Service, 8 p.m.

**Greek Orthodox Church**  
The Rev. Fr. Arthur Kontinos  
Cypress Lake Drive  
Fort Myers  
482-2099  
Sunday - Orthos, 9:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy, 10 a.m.



## Service stations

**Island Exxon**  
2435 Periwinkle Way  
472-2012  
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days. 24-hour road service and complete auto repair.

**Island Garage**  
1609 Periwinkle Way  
472-4318  
Open Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. 24-hour wrecker service. American and foreign car repair. AAA. NO GAS!

**Sanibel Standard**  
1015 Periwinkle Way  
472-2125  
Open 7 a.m. to 9 p.m. seven days. 24-hour road service and complete auto repair. AAA.

**Gulf Service Station**  
of Sanibel  
1215 Periwinkle Way  
472-1878  
Open 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday, 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. weekends. Certified licensed mechanics.

**South Seas Plantation Captiva**  
472-5111, ext. 3384  
At the entrance to South Seas Plantation on the left side of the road just before the security guard station.  
Open seven days from 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed for lunch from noon to 12:30 p.m.

**Three Star Grocery**  
Tarpon Bay and Palm Ridge Roads  
472-5400  
Open Monday through Friday 6 a.m. to 11 p.m. Saturday and Sunday from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. Diesel, Gas.  
Master Charge, VISA, Shell Charges accepted.

**Bike Route**  
2330 Palm Ridge Road  
472-1955  
A full service bike shop open 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Saturday. Closed Sunday.

**Chadwick's General Store**  
South Seas Plantation Captiva  
472-5111, ext. 3307  
Open seven days from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.

**The Grog Shop**  
The Island Shopping Center  
472-1682  
Open Monday through Saturday 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays from noon to 6 p.m.

**R & B Liquors**  
1205 Periwinkle Way  
Next to Huxter's  
472-3333  
Open Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Sundays from noon to 7 p.m.



# Good things to know

## BANKING

**Bank of the Islands**  
1699 Periwinkle Way  
472-4141  
Open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Drive-in window open from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 8:30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday.

**Bank of the Islands Branch Office**  
Bailey's Shopping Center  
472-5173  
Open Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.; Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m.; Saturday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. Closed Sunday.

**First Federal Savings and Loan**  
Palm Ridge Road and Florence Street  
472-1537  
Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed weekends.

**Gulf Coast First National Bank**  
Sanibel-Captiva Road and Andy Rosse Lane  
Captiva  
472-6666  
Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Closed Weekends.

**First Independence Bank**  
2245 Palm Ridge Road  
472-1314  
Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed Saturdays.

## BICYCLING

The extensive network of bike paths on the Island is clearly marked along the edge of the road. Observe caution when driving near the bike path. A state law and city ordinance combine to prohibit parking or driving on the bike paths. Mopeds are not permitted on the bike paths. If you plan to spend some time on a bike make sure your

vehicle is equipped with a flag, horn, good brakes and a light for night riding.  
Under Florida law bicycle riders have the same rights and responsibilities as motor vehicle drivers.

## CAMPING, BEACH FIRES

Camping on the beach is prohibited, as are open beach fires. Fires are permitted, however, in an approved cooking container (not to exceed 48x24x12 inches deep) with an extruded metal grill for non-commercial food preparation. After you have your beach party please assume the responsibility for cleaning up any debris or litter in your area.

## CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

On the Sanibel side of the Causeway  
Open Monday through Saturday from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Sunday from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

## DISASTER ALERT

Radio Station WRCC 104-FM broadcasts hurricane and other emergency information that might affect Sanibel or Captiva.  
Cable TV Channel 11 broadcasts the same disaster information for the Islands.

## DOGGY DO'S AND DON'TS

Sanibel law requires that although your dog does not have to be on a leash in public he must be under your control at all times. You are responsible for your pet's behavior.  
The Chamber of Commerce can tell you which accommodations accept families with pets.  
Remember: Wherever you are, clean up after your pet! "Leave nothing on the beach but footprints," applies to dogs, too.

## HELP! EMERGENCY NUMBERS

Police 472-3111  
Fire 936-3600  
Sheriff 332-3456  
Ambulance 936-3600  
Paramedics 936-3600  
Island Apothecary -- For 24-hour emergency prescription service 472-2768  
CROW - Emergency care for injured wildlife 472-3644

## FISH

Friends in Service Here 472-0404  
24 hours a day  
Neighboring help for Islanders in need of transportation, regular phone checks and assorted non-emergency neighboring services.

## FISHING

No permit is required for the saltwater sport, but fishing in freshwater ponds or on the Sanibel River requires a Florida fishing license. Licenses are available at Bailey's on Sanibel for \$6.50 for residents and \$10.50 for non-residents.  
**Minimum Legal Lengths**  
Bluefish 10 inches  
Flounder 11 inches  
Grouper 12 inches  
Mackerel 12 inches  
Mullet 12 inches  
Pompano 10 inches  
Redfish 12 inches  
Snook 18 inches  
Trout 12 inches  
Snook fishing is outlawed from Jan. 1 through Feb. 28 and from June 1 through July 31.

## SHELLING

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

## GATORS

Feeding alligators anywhere within the Sanibel city limits is not only illegal but extremely dangerous. Alligators can run up to 45 mph, so if you are close enough to feed an alligator he is close enough to bite you. An alligator fed for fun loses his natural fear of humans and becomes a potential threat to children and pets. Dogs should never be permitted to run free on Sanibel. Fence your dog, walk him on a leash or, if you must free him for a walk, keep him under voice control. Never tie your dog in an unfenced back yard. For help with a nuisance alligator call the following representatives of the South-west Florida Alligator Association. They are licensed and have permits to handle gators: George Campbell, 472-2825; Steve Phillips, 472-2329; Mark Westfall, 472-5128.

## GOVERNMENT

**Sanibel City Council**  
Meetings held on the first and third Tuesday of every month beginning at 9 a.m. in MacKenzie Hall council chambers at City Hall off Dunlop Street.

**Sanibel Planning Commission**  
Meetings held on the second and fourth Monday of every month beginning at 9 a.m. in MacKenzie Hall council chambers at City Hall off Dunlop Street.

**Sanibel Fire Control District**  
Meetings held on the second Tuesday of every month at 1 p.m. at the Sanibel Fire House on Palm Ridge Road.

**Captiva Erosion Prevention District**  
Meetings held on the first Monday of every month beginning at 10 a.m. at the Captiva Community Center.



**Captiva Fire Control District**  
Meetings held on the second Tuesday of every month beginning at 8:30 a.m. at the Captiva Fire House at Captiva Road and Wightman Lane.

## LIBRARIES

**Sanibel Public Library**  
Palm Ridge Road and Florience Street  
472-2483  
Open 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday. Saturday 10 a.m. to 12 NOON. Wednesday 7 p.m. to 9 p.m.

**Captiva Memorial Library**  
Chapin and Wiles  
472-2133  
Open Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.; Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m.; Saturday from 9 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. Closed Sunday and Monday.

## POST OFFICES

**Sanibel**  
Turn right off Periwinkle Way on Tarpon Bay Road  
472-1655  
Open 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although mail is delivered on Saturday.

**Captiva**  
On Captiva Road near the entrance to South Seas Plantation  
472-1674  
Open 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday. Closed Saturday and Sunday, although mail is delivered on Saturday.

**Western Union**  
Bailey's Island Shopping Center  
Open Monday through Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.; Sunday from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

## PUBLIC RESTROOMS

**Sanibel Fishing Pier** - At the eastern tip of the Island near the Lighthouse  
**Turner Beach** - At Blind Pass between Sanibel and Captiva Causeway - Between the drawbridge and Sanibel Chamber of Commerce - Just off the Causeway on the Sanibel side  
**Gulfside City Park** - Public beach off Casa Ybel Road

## TAXES, TITLES & TAGS

**Lee County Tax Collectors**  
First Independence Bank  
2245 Palm Ridge Rd.  
Office hours will be Monday thru Thursday 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

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472-5974

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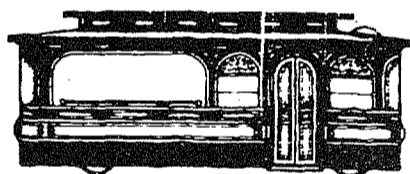
To the Soviet Union he is an enemy. To the world he is a hero. Sakharov. He cannot be silenced.

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# 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
Arnolds 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
Ramada 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	
Captiva Center		11:06				4:06	
Timbers Restaurant	9:22		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
Olde Sanibel	9:30		11:30	12:30	1:30	2:30	4:30 5:30
Bailey'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
MacIntosh Book Shop	9:52		11:52	12:52	1:52	2:52	4:52 5:52

## ADDITIONAL PERMITTED DEMAND STOPS (PLEASE WAVE OR SIGNAL EARLY!):

Colony, Gallery Motel, Sanibel Arms, Sanibel Hilton, Coquina Beach (Nerita St.), Sanibel Siesta, Signal Inn, Nutmeg House, Hanleys Specimen Shells, Sanibel Center. Catholic Church B-Hive, Burger Emporium, Gibby's Restaurant, Periwinkle Trailer Park, Bait Box, Seven Seas Clothing, Heart of the Islands, Apothecary Center, Bowman's Beach Rd., Santiva Mini-Mart, Mad Hatter Restaurant.

Sanibel Route \$1.00; Captiva Route \$3.00. Tickets are good for unlimited reboarding throughout the day. Captiva ticket valid for both routes. Summer schedule runs Monday through Friday.

We can pick up and drop off ONLY at the above city-permitted stops - please signal us from these areas only.

Traffic delays may occur within scheduled times.

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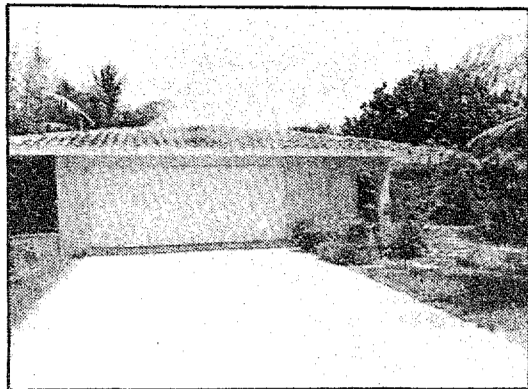
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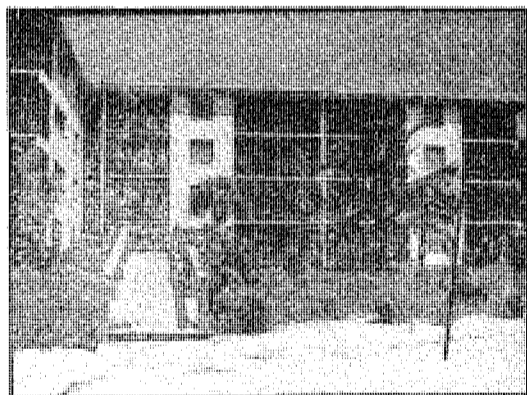
for \$147,000. Furnished. Beach, pool, tennis courts, clubhouse and walk to convenience store, etc. Ask for #413. Call Maryann C. Skehan GFI, Broker-Salesman.



VACATION AT HOME

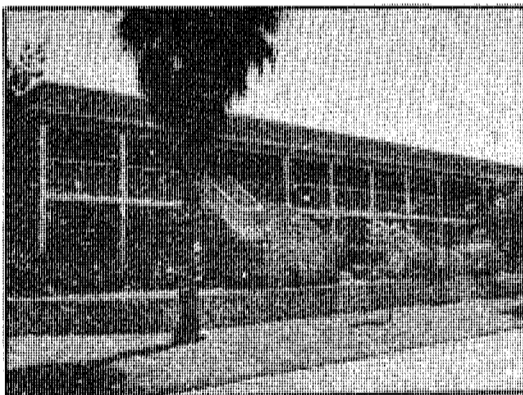
2525 square feet of luxury...three bedroom, two and a half bath, uniquely designed Townhouse with some Gulf View and many extras...original model...\$205,000. Furnished. Contact Marie L. Renn, Broker-Salesman.

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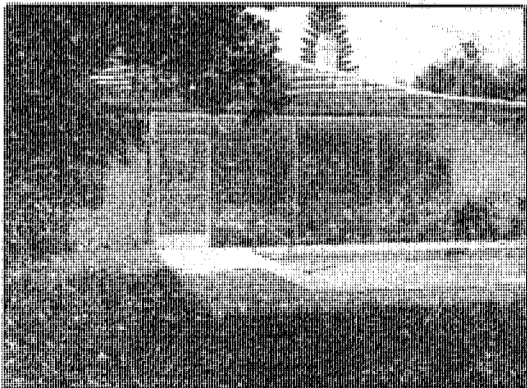
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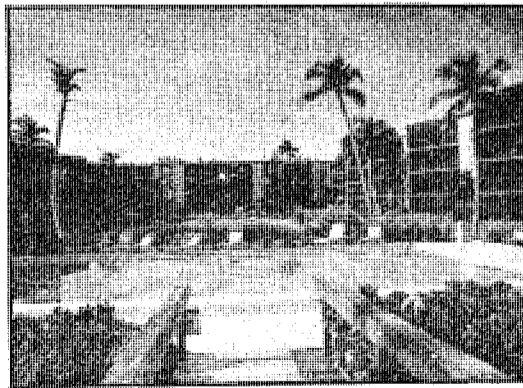
GREAT BUY - GULF FRONT

Can you beat this price for a GULF FRONT condominium? \$179,500 buys this two bedroom unit with two porches and all the resort amenities you desire. It is furnished. Call Pauline Trimarco, REALTOR-Associate.



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Here's that affordable retirement home for you. This spacious CBS home in the Rocks Subdivision has lushly vegetated grounds, pool, located on an inland lake and quiet neighborhood. Beach access not far away. Price reduced to \$139,900 - below appraised value. Call Betty Clark, Broker-Salesman, for more details.



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#O-303: Gulf View - \$235,000

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