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A WORD FROM OUR ELECTED OFFICIALS

It’s a great time to be in Hallandale Beach. We’re taking steps every day to improve the City and services to you, our residents.

Our parks programs continue to grow and improve. We recently broke ground for improvements to Sunset Park and will soon begin work on the new Golden Isles Tennis Center and Park. Our Dog Dayz of Summer returns on May 27, and will be on the second and fourth Saturdays through August. Visit www.cohb.org/parks to see all the programs we have to offer and register to participate.

We’re moving forward with projects such as Sunset Park, Golden Isles Tennis Center and Park, and with other facilitators for your use and benefit. Also, please remember hurricane season begins June 1. Have you prepared? Plan on attending our annual hurricane forum, Thursday, June 8, 6 to 9 p.m. at the Cultural Community Center.

I look forward to working with our City Commission, administration, staff and you to deliver innovation, progress and opportunity.

OVER THE LAST TEN YEARS, I AND MANY OTHERS HAVE ACCEPTED AN INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY THROUGH A COLLECTIVE UNITY TO BRIDGE THE RACIAL DIVIDE. THE GOAL HAS ALWAYS BEEN TO PROVIDE OPPORTUNITIES TO PRESERVE OUR RICH HERITAGE OF THE PAST, EMBRACE THE PRESENT AND SHARE IN A UNIFIED VISION OF THE FUTURE. WE CALLED THIS INITIATIVE "ONE HALLANDALE." WE HAVE USED A COMMUNITY ORGANIZER, INTER-FaITH PRAYER GROUPS AND INTER-GENERATIONAL PROGRAMMING TO HELP US IDENTIFY OUR SHARED GOALS TOWARD SETTING A PATH TO GET THERE AND HAVE SEEN SIGNIFICANT PROGRESS.

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First, I would like to say that I am truly humbled and thankful for all of the support that I have received. It is my duty to serve my community and address any issues that may arise. As a Realtor, I pride myself on providing the best service to my clients’ needs and that translates to my work ethic for Hallandale Beach. With condo fraud frequently occurring in South Florida, my goal is to help the victims as much as possible. Working with the condo fraud association is a step to reduce the amount of fraudulent activity that occurs.

I am also involved in social community outreach programs for seniors to ensure that their lives remain healthy and safe. My hard work never stops because I am always finding ways to improve the lifestyle of Hallandale Beach residents. If there is anything that I can assist with, contact me at (954)937-1006.

MAYOR JOY COOPER
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Recently, I have been working on an advocacy board for making the city more accessible for those in need. I am committed to serving my community. I also look forward to seeing dogs and their owners enjoying the beach at Hallandale Beach’s Dog Dayz of Summer this May. Therefore, I will do whatever it takes to reconstruct the issues that shape our world.

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ANABELLE TAUB
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Our city has recently experienced changes in administration. I would like to welcome our new City Manager, Roger Carlton, and City Attorney Jennifer Marino. These two individuals are a fresh addition to our community and will work to improve our city significantly. Mr. Carlton has over 30 years of experience in city/county management in South Florida having worked for the Cities of Miami Beach, Miami, and Surfside. Ms. Marino worked with the Miami-Dade and Broward Office of the Inspector General (OIG) prior to joining us in Hallandale Beach.

MR. CARLTON’S AND MS. MARINO’S OVERSIGHT WILL STRENGTHEN TRANSPARENCY AND ENHANCE THE PROFESSIONALISM OF OUR CITY AS WELL AS THE QUALITY OF LIFE FOR OUR RESIDENTS, VISITORS, AND BUSINESS OWNERS. THEY BOTH ENCOURAGE OPEN THE LINES OF COMMUNICATION AND PARTICIPATION BY OUR RESIDENTS AND BUSINESS OWNERS BY HAVING AN OPEN-DOOR POLICY LEADING THE WAY TO MORE ENGAGEMENT IN OUR COMMUNITY.

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Public Safety

Please make note of the following public safety services for our constituents.

**Alarm Systems**
Hallandale Beach’s Alarm Ordinance requires that each alarm system (residential or business), be registered with the city. For more information, visit: cohb.org/alarms

**First Aid Classes**
To sign up for a class, visit cohb.org/firstaid

**Economic Crimes**
Did you know we have an economic crimes unit? For more information please contact: Detective Christopher Grieco (954) 457-1432 c grieco@cohb.org

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**Important Numbers**
Fire & Police Emergency 911
Water Billing 954-457-1360
Solid Waste 954-457-1612
Water Plant 954-457-1610

**Library**
Broward County Library 954-357-6380

**Animal Services**
Broward County Animal Care 954-359-1313

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Roger Carlton 954-457-1300

**CITY ATTORNEY**
Jennifer Merino 954-457-1325

**CITY CLERK**
Mario Bataille 954-457-1340

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Sarita Shama, Director 954-457-3030

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954-457-2226

**DEVELOPMENT SERVICES**
Keven Klopp, Director 954-457-1376
Building 954-457-1383
Code Enforcement 954-457-1390
Planning and Zoning 954-457-1378

**FINANCE**
Celeste Lucia, Director 954-457-1371

**FIRE RESCUE**
Chief Mark Ellis 954-457-1470

**HUMAN RESOURCES**
Radu Dodea, Interim Director 954-457-1345

**HUMAN SERVICES**
Beverly Sanders-Mayweather, Director 954-457-1460

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Greg Chavarria, CIO 954-457-2226

**PARKS & RECREATION**
Cathie Scharnz, Director 954-457-1452
Foster Park 954-455-0310
Teen Center 954-457-3066
OB Johnson Park 954-457-1460
Cultural Community Center 954-457-1452
Peter Bluestein Park Pool 954-457-1458
B.F. James Pool 954-457-1321

**POLICE**
Chief Dwayne Flournoy 954-457-1400

**PROCUREMENT**
Andrea Lues, Director 954-457-1331

**PUBLIC WORKS**
Steven Parkinson, Director 954-457-1600

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Jim Buschman 954-457-1310

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COHB.ORG/HCITYCLERK

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**EcoFriendly App**
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Protecting our Neighbors

Turtle nesting season is here. Learn how we can protect our seafaring friends and why they’re so important to our community.

Parks Programs

Check out the different summer camp programs available this year and learn how to get a jump on registration.

Police Athletic League Establishes Values

Athletics help shape young minds by promoting virtues that help on and off the field. The Police Athletic League uses the lessons learned from sports to help the youth.

A Peak into Hallandale’s History

Hallandale Beach has a rich history. Learn about historical locations within the city, like The Curci House and PBA Hall, the oldest schoolhouse in Broward County.
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**Events**

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**EGGSTRAVAGANZA**

APRIL 15TH
10-12PM
PETER BLUESTEN PARK

For more information please visit [cohb.org/eggstravaganza](http://cohb.org/eggstravaganza)

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**GOLDEN ISLES COMMUNITY MEETING**

For more information please visit [gohallandaleparks.com](http://gohallandaleparks.com)

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**GREENFEST**

MAY 6
10-2PM
CITY HALL

For more information please visit [cohb.org/greenfest](http://cohb.org/greenfest)

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**OB JOHNSON MULTI-PURPOSE FIELD RIBBON CUTTING**

MAY 20TH
10-2PM
CITY HALL

For more information please visit [cohb.org/Obribboncutting](http://cohb.org/Obribboncutting)

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**HURRICANE FORUM**

JUNE 8
6-9PM
CULTURAL COMMUNITY CENTER

For more information please visit [cohb.org/hurricaneforum](http://cohb.org/hurricaneforum)

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**MEMORIAL DAY**

MAY 29TH

For more information please visit [facebook.com/cityofhallandalebeach](http://facebook.com/cityofhallandalebeach)

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**DOG DAYZ OF SUMMER**

DATES
May 27th
June 10th
June 24th
July 8th
July 22
August 12th
August 26th

For more information please visit [cohb.org/dogdayz](http://cohb.org/dogdayz)

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**South City Beach Park**

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Hurricane season takes place from June 1st through November, and Hallandale Beach Fire and Rescue wants you and your family to remain safe this season. Here are some important safety tips:

Have an evacuation plan
If a hurricane poses enough of a threat, residents could be asked to evacuate. Decide where you and your family will go in the event of an evacuation before it happens. If you evacuate your home, make sure you contact friends and family to let them know you’ll be out of the house.

If you evacuate, contact family
Stay informed, Tune into HBRadio and follow Facebook & Twitter (using hashtag: #HBemergency). We will use these platforms to provide up to the minute information during an emergency.

Prepare an Emergency Kit
Whether or not you have to evacuate, it’s important to have an emergency kit prepared. It should contain essentials like bottled water, non-perishable food (food that doesn’t need to be refrigerated), a flashlight or lantern, and batteries. Be sure to also pack seven days’ worth of any prescription and over-the-counter medications you might need.

Condo Associations
Did you know that condos are required to have an evacuation plan? Fire Rescue can assist condo associations with planning and updating evacuation plans. Contact the fire department at (954) 457-1470 or email Fire_Dept_Office@Hallandalebeachfl.gov.

Please join us for our Annual Hurricane Forum event. For more information, please visit: cohb.org/hurricaneforum

MAKING GOLDEN ISLES TENNIS CENTER & PARK VIBRANT

Hallandale Beach approved a Citywide Parks Master Plan in 2011 that guides the development of our community’s parks. The City’s Capital Improvement’s team has led the renovation of six Master Planned Parks to date, and several more are on the way including the Golden Isles Tennis Center and Park thanks to the 2014 Voter Approved Parks General Obligation Bond.

As the Director of the Hallandale Beach Parks and Recreation Department, Cathie Schanz is excited about the improvements that are being made to parks for our community and she’s confident that Golden Isles Tennis Center will “be a tennis destination for our community” once the renovations are complete.

While the Golden Isles Tennis Center renovations were not part of the Citywide Parks Master Plan, the Parks General Obligation Bond provides the opportunity to design and renovate the Tennis Center to ensure it continues to serve our community for years to come. Community Meetings were held to allow the community input into the project and the design is currently under way!

“We can’t wait to see the design of the new Tennis Center” said Director Schanz. “We are excited about the opportunity to take a fresh look at this much used facility and create something special for our entire community.”

For more information please visit: GoHallandaleParks.com
Contact:
Sarita Shamah
Director of Capital Improvements
(954) 457-2995
CIP@cohb.org
Green Initiative: Community Garden

To encourage healthy eating and community ownership, Health in the Hood founder Asha Loring opened the Hallandale Beach community garden in December. The Hepburn Center serves as its major location by hosting nutrition and fitness workshops and serving as a vegetable distribution center. Community members, including Mayor Cooper and the City Commissioners, helped set the foundation for the forthcoming culinary hub for local families. Volunteers assisted in gardening, which required the transport of several hundred pounds of soil and planting hundreds of vegetable plants and seeds.

The community garden is a great place to gather fresh seasonal vegetables including collard greens, cherry tomatoes, carrots, and bell peppers. Plots are now available for families to maintain their own sections in the garden with the assistance of the Health in the Hood team.

The garden currently has fresh green beans, radishes, romaine lettuce, tomatoes and herbs to be harvested. Loring encourages people to sign up for family vegetable plots by emailing amirabal@healthinthehood.org to reserve one.

Health in the Hood has been working with the Human Services Department and Healthy Community Zones (HCZ) to develop a plan to bring food to Hallandale Beach. They aim to work with food pantries and community centers to build gardens around Broward County.

Green TIPS: HOME WATER EFFICIENCY

With water bordering the state of Florida, it might be difficult for residents to think of water as a finite resource we need to conserve. During the dry season, it is imperative that we reduce our usage of water. Sue Fassler from Hallandale Beach’s Green Initiatives Program has tips on how to conserve water this spring.

1.) Practice smart irrigation. A sprinkler or home irrigation system is crucial for growing a healthy lawn, but there’s no need to water it every day. Fassler says that proper irrigation helps you care for your lawn without wasting water. Try using a soil or rainwater sensor to detect the amount of moisture in your lawn.

2.) Get creative with your lawn. Reducing the size of your lawn is a simple way to conserve more water. And you can have fun with downsizing. Experiment with grasses that require less water, replace vegetation with decorative stones, and add a few native plants that are adapted to low-water conditions for a touch of color.

3.) Eat less meat. ¹According to National Geographic, the water it takes to produce the average American diet alone is more than the global average water footprint per person per day in total. ²An article in the Huffington Post states that it takes about 1,800 gallons of water to produce a pound of beef, so try incorporating more fruits and vegetables into your diet to help reduce your water footprint. "About half the water the average American consumes comes from the food we eat," said Fassler. It takes about 1,800 gallons of water to produce a pound of beef, so try incorporating more fruits and vegetables into your diet to help reduce your water footprint.

4.) Check for "leaky" fixtures. According to the U.S. EPA, 10,000 gallons of water are wasted on average each year due to household leaks. Replace old or leaky water fixtures with low-flow fixtures that are distributed free from the city. Replacing an older (pre-1994), high water use toilet with a water conserving model can save an average of $5-$10 each month!

5.) Take advantage of the toilet rebate program. The city’s toilet rebate program can replace your toilet with a water-efficient model. To apply, visit us at http://www.conservationpays.com

For more information, please call the Department of Public Works (954) 457-1623 or visit: cohb.org/publicworks


GREEN HAPPENINGS
The City will receive $100,000 in technical assistance from the Broward Regional Health Planning Council (BRHPC) to develop a plan to improve the health outcomes of residents across Broward County. The technical assistance is administered through The Transforming Our Community’s Health (TOUCH) Initiative. City Commissioners and residents have come together to identify barriers and create Community Action Plans (CAPS) to living a healthy lifestyle.

Beverly Sanders-Mayweather, the director of Human Services, said the primary reason BRHPC partnered up with Hallandale Beach is because the city already had initiatives for promoting public health in place.

“We’re the only city to receive the technical assistance that has a full-service social services agency, so we can champion the initiative while we’re also providing quality of life services to our residents,” Beverly Sanders-Mayweather said.

Human Services worked with the Division of Code Compliance and other departments to hone in on the 1-mile area surrounding Hallandale High School and ensure there are safe routes for children. The assessment counted the number of grocery stores and bodegas and made a note of issues with sidewalks and other physical elements that are in good condition or must be improved.

The second year of the grant will focus on sustainability. The city is working with local stores through a Good Neighbor Store initiative to provide healthier food options for residents who don’t have the means to access them elsewhere. The initiative also encourages local businesses to reduce the number of tobacco ads targeted at young people.

HCZ also has created clinical and preventative health programs. One of these programs is a mobile unit that comes to the Hepburn Center twice a month to perform blood pressure and cholesterol screenings, as well as enroll residents for health care. Mayweather says residents have the opportunity for training as community health workers to provide door-to-door health screenings, to ensure that such programs are sustainable.

“Who better to know their communities to go door-to-door than the residents?” asked Mayweather.

For more information, please contact Beverly Sanders-Mayweather in Human services at: Human_Services_Office@Hallandalebeachfl.gov (954) 457-1460

@TOUCHBroward

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**Hallandale Beach Awarded Healthy Community Zone**

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DID YOU KNOW?

Private Storm drains are required to be cleaned once a year by the owner of the unit.

For more information please contact the City at (954) 457-1600

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Keep HB Healthy, Safe and Clean

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Hallandale Beach Celebrates Public Works Week

The City of Hallandale Beach will recognize the Department of Public Works in Public Works Week, May 21-27.

Public Works Week is a nationwide celebration of the hardworking individuals in the department that keep the essential functions of our city running. In Hallandale Beach, the Department of Public Works maintains water sanitation, waste management, sidewalk construction, and sustainability. Each division contributes to keeping the city sanitized and safe for the daily lives of residents.

According to Mary Francis-Jeannot, who is the Special Project Coordinator for the Department of Public Works, the American Public Works Association established Public Works Week in the late 60’s to acknowledge the backbone of our city.

Visit our public works page at:
cohb.org/publicworks

(954)457-1600
public_works@hallandalebeachfl.gov

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To view full interviews please visit: cohb.org/hallandalehappenings

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Storm Drain Awareness
Public Health Announcement

Tossing grass clippings into storm drains can be a potential hazard to the environment, and there is a difference between storm drains and sewers more people need to be aware of. While sewers convey sewage that originates from toilets and other household fixtures, storm drains use a completely different pipe framework and are intended to carry rainwater spillover through various channels into natural bodies of water. Since this water isn’t filtered or treated before flowing into rivers and bays, we all need to be mindful not to throw anything into the storm drain openings on the street.

Minimize Flood Impact

If your property is in or near an area subject to flooding, the following information should be of interest to you. We’re providing this information to help you protect your property from flooding.

1. The areas around the canals in Hallandale Beach are susceptible to flooding. Even if your property is no longer in the designated Special Flood Hazard Area (SFHA), your property may be subject to flooding. FEMA encourages policyholders to maintain and keep current flood insurance policies.

2. To protect your property from flood damage, consider re-grading your lot or building a small flood wall. Call our building Department for advice on flood-proofing projects (954) 457-1386 or email eleonhardt@cohb.org.

3. Do not attempt to walk or drive through flooded areas.

4. Get a permit from the City’s Building Department before you start to build or make any type of protective structures. For permit information, please go to cohb.org/permitsearch

5. It is a violation of City Ordinance (Sec. 13-105) to dump debris of any kind, including grass clippings, into canals or storm-drains.

Please report any violations to the Code Compliance Division (954) 457-1390 or via myHB app.

GARBAGE SERVICES

Bulk Pickup / On Demand

Single-family homes and apartments of 4 units or less are allowed to schedule one yard waste and one bulk-trash collection each quarter. Multi-family dwellings are entitled to 4 pick-ups of yard waste (of up to 6 cubic yards each pick-up) annually. For more information or to schedule a collection, please call (954) 457-1616.

(1st Quarter) January - March
(2nd Quarter) April - June
(3rd Quarter) July - September
(4th Quarter) October - December

Bulk trash includes furniture, appliances, mattresses and cardboard boxes. No garbage, glass, construction debris, fence material, tires, batteries, paints, oil, liquid, or hazardous waste. Yard waste includes tree limbs, leaves, grass clippings, and trunks less than 6 inches in diameter. No trash, treated wood, or construction debris.

For more information regarding garbage services, please visit: cohb.org/bulkpickup

Regular Pickup Schedule

Recycling

Hallandale Beach residents are reminded that recycling is an easy and vital way to help preserve our future and protect our environment. Hallandale Beach makes it possible for residents to join the recycling program with little or no effort. Residents may place all acceptable recyclable materials in their blue recycling container that is provided by the City. The recycling container will be picked up once a week on the same day as regular garbage collection. There is a $2.00 fee for each recycling container that is automatically charged in your monthly water bill. For more information, please visit cohb.org/recycling
HOW TO DO BUSINESS WITH THE CITY

FRIDAY APR. 14TH 2017 / 9AM

HALLANDALE BEACH CULTURAL CENTER
410 SE 3rd St,
Hallandale Beach FL 33009
954-457-1333

For more information please visit
cohb.org/becomevendor

How to become a City Vendor
How to GROW your bottom line through City Contracts
Local vendor preference
Meet staff from various departments

WE WANT YOUR PHOTO!

Every month, the City of Hallandale Beach randomly selects pictures and news to be featured on its social media accounts.

Please use the hashtag #HBhereforyou on Facebook or Twitter for a chance to have your photos selected.

Got News? Please email us at social@cohb.org
Jonathan Carrillo took on the job of area coordinator for the Hallandale Beach Police Athletic League (PAL) in 2007 and helped the program grow from the few hundred children who initially signed up to the 1,300 children who participate today during the league’s thirteenth year.

PAL is a national organization that police departments in different cities across the country implement to foster a greater connection between law enforcement, cities, and communities through recreational sports.

“We’re a 501c3 organization that aims to get all kids involved, giving them something to do,” Carrillo said.

PAL never turns children away, no matter their financial situation, athletic ability, or academic performance. Through fundraising, PAL can provide scholarships to Hallandale Beach families that cannot afford to sign their children up for one of its sports teams. They do enforce a 2.0 GPA requirement and collect report cards every quarter to ensure players are maintaining the required grades. When someone falls below this requirement, they are placed on probation and given the opportunity to work with tutors provided through the school district or City to improve their grades.

“Last year in football, we had a few kids who fell below the requirement, but they were all able to get their grades up by the end of the probationary period,” said Carrillo. “Our goal is to build a foundation for a future, not just to play sports.”

PAL runs throughout the year, offering two to three sports children can choose from each month, such as basketball, football, cheerleading, soccer, and track and field.

Police officers and other volunteers help coach the teams, teaching the children quality sportsmanship. Carrillo thinks of PAL as a junior varsity league for the high school, as well as a character-building workshop.

“Sports teach you everything about teamwork [and] overcoming adversity and not just about winning,” Carrillo said. “We just feel it’s a big part of growing up, as well as becoming a productive citizen.”

PAL is also starting a travel soccer team called the Hallandale Beach Thoroughbreds for 10- to 16-year-olds who have more experience playing the sport. In August, kids will be able to try out for the team and travel to play teams with similar experience. PAL is still focused on children of all skill levels getting the chance to participate in friendly competition.

“We’re a recreational league first and foremost.”

Sign your child up for a PAL sports team today!

For more information please visit: hallandalebeachPAL.com
Dog Dayz of Summer

Just like us, our canine friends now have the chance to enjoy the warm sand and fresh breeze at Hallandale Beach.

“The Dog Dayz of Summer program will continue for the third year in a row as we provide an opportunity for people to take their dogs to the beach,” said Cathie Schanz, Director of Parks and Recreation.

Typically, dogs are not allowed on the beach in order to protect wildlife and natural resources. However, since summer 2015, owners and their dogs have had the opportunity to go to the beach and make new friends.

“This is a great time for dog owners and their dogs to come out to the beach,” Schanz said.

The scheduled dates for turning designated areas of the beach into a dog park will be every other Saturday following Memorial Day and continue through Labor Day.

Only one dog per master is allowed at this event, and like any other dog park, owners are required to control and clean up after their pets.

Dog Dayz of Summer Dates

May 27th  
June 10th  
June 24th  
July 8th  
July 22nd  
August 12th  
August 26th

Did you know?

Hallandale Beach offers off leash dog areas for small and large dogs at Joseph Scavo Park located at:

900 Three Islands Boulevard, Hallandale Beach, FL 33009

Hours of Operation: 
Dawn to Dusk

Dog Dayz Summer Rules

1. One dog per owner.
2. Dogs must have current rabies tag and must be under control of the owner at all times.
3. Owner is responsible for waste clean up.
4. Unruly or aggressive dogs or owners may be asked to leave.

For full schedule please visit: cobb.org/dogdayz

Facebook: @HBParksRec
Twitter: @HBParksRec
The start of sea turtle nesting season is here! But before you hit the beach for a morning jog or a late-afternoon volleyball match, ask yourself, “Do I know how to spot a turtle nest? What can I do to make sure I don’t disturb them?” These are questions the Department of Public Works for Hallandale Beach wants residents to know.

They’ve found that education and awareness impact the success of a nesting season, which occurs every year between March 1 and November 1. The 2015 and 2016 seasons saw a record number of turtle nests as a result of regulations placed on beach cleaning and local businesses. Residents and tourists also play an important role in conserving turtle nests. To make them easier to spot, volunteers from Nova Southeastern University have sectioned nests off with stakes and yellow, red, or orange ribbon. When the turtle’s hatch, it is important for them to conserve energy. They use light to guide them to the water, and excess light can disorient the baby turtles. Residents can help the turtles make their journey by turning off decorative lights and screening (shielding) lights required for safety. Turtle safe life bulbs help as well.

The most common turtles to hatch in South Florida are the Loggerhead turtles. These turtles can sometimes age up to 80 years. Only one in one-thousand baby turtles that make it to the ocean live to this age. These turtles will travel thousands of miles migrating with their favorite source of food. Once they are ready to nest, they will lay their eggs as close to five miles from where they hatched. This means that they are just as much locals of Hallandale Beach as its residents. They have always been an essential part of our community, and we don’t want them to become extinct.

When you’re out on the beach this spring and summer, be mindful of these nests, just like you would a neighbor’s towel. Let’s make it easier for residents and sea turtles to coexist.

### Common FAQ’s For Condos Nearest The Beach During Turtle Season

1. **What are “turtle-friendly” bulbs and where can I find them?**
   Turtle-friendly bulbs are light fixtures approved by the Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) that shield light emitted from beachfront properties and are invisible to turtles. Turtle-friendly bulbs can be purchased online or instore through various vendors.

2. **What is the difference between turtle safe lighting and turtle-friendly lighting?**
   Turtle-friendly lighting uses special light bulbs that emit a wavelength of 450 nanometers on beachfront condos. Turtle-safe lighting is the actual process of blacking out or turning off lights along the beachfront so that turtles don’t make their way to the shore.

3. **What type of blinds and drapes should I buy to reduce the indoor lighting of my condo?**
   You should buy blackout window shading so that the light from inside will not penetrate out.

4. **What time do the turtles start to nest/hatch?**
   Turtle nesting runs from March 1 to October 31, and the eggs hatch about 45-55 days. Female turtles begin nesting at night where it is dark and quiet, and hatchlings usually wait until night to make their way to the ocean.
See turtles nests? Send us a pic at Social@cohb.org
Report an issue or violation of the turtles at myHB app
THE ARTISTIC SIDE OF HALLANDALE

FADD District’s Revitalization

The Hallandale Beach CRA received an Art of Community grant of $75,000 from the Community Foundation of Broward to help revitalize the City’s Fashion Art and Design District (FADD) with an art installation. This grant was made possible with the support from the following Community Foundation of Broward Funds: Helen and Frank Stoykov Charitable Endowment Fund, Robert Elmore Family Fund and Mary and Alex Mackenzie Community Impact Fund.

FADD’s economic prosperity has been impacted by its absence of visibility and identity for some time. Hallandale Beach CRA will foster collaborations to revitalize the identity of this art hub.

“This particular phase, one of many, will paint a new picture for the FADD. Literally. This is just the beginning of many welcoming contributions that will happen to the area, and we couldn’t have started this revitalization project without the Community Foundation of Broward. Through art, FADD can continue to grow--art will bring FADD back to life,” said Joy Cooper, Mayor of the City of Hallandale Beach.

Hallandale Beach CRA (HBCRA) has been moving forward with a mural project to enhance the vibrancy of the city. Once completed, nine buildings in the district facing W. Dixie Highway will link by different murals unified through the pointillism theme.

An evaluation committee selected Jonathan Brender for the mural project. The committee members are invested in their community and want every step of this project to be a collaboration between property owners, development owners, and the artist.

“This is a city that deserves great art, great movements of art, great people.”
- Jonathan Brender

Jonathan Brender is a passionate artist who is knowledgeable of various artistic techniques but has most notably adopted pointillism, a painting technique by painters Georges Seurat and Paul Signac in 1886. Brender creates images by painting small and distinct dots in a pattern. His work has been exhibited internationally in countries like Israel, England, Venezuela, Brazil, Panama, and the U.S., and he was the winner of the 2016 Spotlight award at New York’s ArtExpo.

Functional & Visual Utility Boxes

The City of Hallandale Beach was on the lookout for a particular artist who would be able to design and cover the utility boxes in the area, several have a historical theme for the historical district. It was broadcasted as a call to artists, and there were very specific instructions that needed to be submitted to choose the correct person for the job. Annie Chaskalson is a commercial artist, and she was selected to design the 21 boxes assigned in Hallandale Beach.

Annie feels the reason why the City of Hallandale Beach wanted to wrap their utility boxes with art is that it is trendy. “A lot of the other cities in the area have been covering traffic boxes with artist’s work and with digital art.” The inspiration for Annie’s artwork came from the previous beach feeling she felt was vibrant in Hallandale Beach. Their logo is a beach ball as well as their water tower, so she decided to add onto that whimsical sense she perceived. When driving around Hallandale Beach, be on the lookout for Annie’s artwork located on Dixie Highway, Federal Highway, Hallandale Beach Boulevard and two located in the Foster Road area.

A1A Mural Project

Hallandale Beach displays its unique culture through its arts. The Broward 100 project has done an excellent job of capturing the spirit of this vibrant South Florida City. One of these murals can be seen on the side of A1A. Those who are headed to the beach can see the artists’ Eduardo Mendieta mural just before the coastline greets them.

Broward County commissioned 15 artists to paint murals around the area in celebration of their 100th anniversary. Mendieta received an email asking for submissions and was chosen. His murals can be seen throughout South Florida.
LOCAL ART GALLERY SPOTLIGHTS

Sirona Fine Art

Sirona Fine Art features all original paintings and sculptures by some of the finest contemporary representational artists working today. Sirona represents both national and international artists, drawing from the three decade New York gallery career of director Timothy Smith.

Sirona Fine Art opened its 8,000 square foot gallery in 2013. They are located at 600 Silks Run, #1240, Hallandale Beach. Visit the website at or call for more information on current and upcoming events.

Sirona Fine Art
600 Silks Run
Hallandale Beach, Fl #1240
sironafineart.com
(954)454-9494

AlexandrasArt954

AlexandrasArt954 consists of mainly Latin American art, frames and prints from professional artists. Carlos is the owner of AlexandrasArt954 and they have been around in Hallandale Beach for nine years now. They are looking to display local artists, and they host events, expositions and art shows. Another primary focus of theirs is to present events with the city.

AlexandrasArt954
115 NE 5th St.
Hallandale Beach, Fl 33009
alexandrasart954.com
(954)549-5243

Art & Matter

Created by Magali Wilensky and Samson Hertz, Life & Matter is an Expressive Art Academy that hosts events and conveys high quality art to the public. They focus on collaborating with local artists, building an arts community, and teaching their weekly Expressive Arts Classes. To Life & Matter, anyone can be an artist if they choose. Every Monday night at 7:00 p.m., Magali and Samson hold their Expressive Art Class, which consists of discussion, guided meditation and movement, musical collaboration and visual/sculptural arts. Life & Matter is meant to assist the Hallandale community to delve deeper into their creative spirit and learn things about themselves.

Art & Matter
1130-C East Hallandale Beach Boulevard
Hallandale Beach, Fl 33009
lifeandmatter.org
(954)939-7636
YOU’RE GOING PLACES
Let us help!

Here at the City of Hallandale Beach, we emphasize a local and diverse workforce. Partnering with the Hallandale Opportunity Project Agency, we are able to assist in job placement, career training and business development. Please view the opportunities below for those looking to grow with us.

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For more information contact:
George Rich
HOP Administrator
Phone: (954) 457-1460
Email: grich@cohb.org
cohb.org/HOP
Super Fun in Hallandale Beach

Summer is almost here! It's important for children to stay active and safe during the down time of the season. Fortunately, Hallandale Beach has plenty of activities to keep busy and a convenient way to go about the city. The following activities are held at facilities accessible by the City’s Hallandale Beach Mini Bus.

1. **Visit Our Beaches**
   - South City Beach
   - North City Beach
   **Route 1**

2. **Visit Our Parks**
   - Take minibus to Scavo Park
   **Route 2**
   - Go to the playground at Ingalls Park
   **Route 4**
   - Play ball or hit the recording studio at OB Johnson Park
   **Route 4**

3. **Snacks at Cafe Cita**
   - Cool down from the sun at the cafe on South City Beach.
   **Route 1**

4. **Go for a dip in the community pool**
   - Located at BF James Park
   - Swimming Classes Weekly
   **Route 3**

For more information on what to do in Hallandale Beach, please visit: hallandalebeachfl.gov/Attractions
Curci House

Frank Curci was an accomplished entrepreneur, elected city official and pioneer to the Hallandale Beach community, leaving behind a home that is truly celebrated.

The Curci family built their house in 1924, naming it the “Villa Providence.” This Mediterranean-style house was up for demolition in 2004, but the City of Hallandale Beach saved and rehabilitated the historic mansion in 2007.

Now, the Curci House remains in its historic location and was listed on the National Register of Historic Places on Christmas Eve in 2013. According to Cathie Schanz, director of parks and recreations, the Historic Preservation Volunteers offers tours to the public. The house is open to visitors on the first Saturday of the month and is available to be rented.

“It’s a beautiful and unique home that is a jewel in our community” Schanz said. “It is a must see for fans of Italian Renaissance architecture and of the rich history of our community.”

Historic Hallandale Schoolhouse

Historic Hallandale Schoolhouse is the perfect example of community service. Located near the Curci House, the schoolhouse is the oldest schoolhouse in Broward County, known to have been originally built as a schoolhouse according to director of parks and recreations, Cathie Schanz.

The legend goes that when the 1910 hurricane destroyed the school, local citizens petitioned the local School Board for a new building. However, the school board provided the community with the materials for them to rebuild it themselves.

“Community members ensured that their children would have a school in the city,” Schanz said.

Today, the Historic Preservations Board opens Historic Hallandale Schoolhouse for tours on the third Saturday of each month, and also available for rent.
YOUR CITY BUDGET

THE BUDGET PROCESS

The City of Hallandale Beach Fiscal Year begins on October 1. The FY 2018 Budget is currently being developed. City Administration will provide a calendar with key dates for preparation and delivery of the City’s Proposed Operating and Capital Budget.

COMMUNITY INPUT

Community input is an important part of the budget process. Feedback from community input provides valuable direction to City Commission and City Administration Officials prior to the preparation of the City’s Proposed Operating and Capital Budget.

YOUR PARTICIPATION IS ESSENTIAL

The City invites you to participate through our community outreach campaign for the Budget. Specific dates and locations will be shared ahead of time via our Budget Page (cohb.org/budget) and City social media channels.

Learn more at: cohb.org/policeevents

We will utilize #HBBudget for any relevant information regarding the Budget development process. Stay tuned for more information.

Get to know your Police Department with events such as:

Coffee with the Cops
Evenings on the Porch
Hoops with the Cops

@HallandaleBeachPD
@HallandaleBchPD
The Hepburn Senior Center has a variety of activities scheduled to get seniors out of the house this spring and summer. From Zumba, Yoga to Spelling Bees to a post-Labor Day celebration where everyone wears white (even though it’s taboo.) Lizabeth Miguel says there’s something for everyone.

“There are studies that show that seniors who stay isolated at home do not maintain their health as well as seniors who are active within their communities,” “At the Hepburn Center, you can discover a variety of intellectual, social, and health and fitness programs to stay fit, engaged, and healthy.” Mrs. Miguel said.

All the activities offered by the senior center are meant to fulfill basic, recreational, and social needs for its members. The senior can get a healthy breakfast if they aren’t able to prepare one at home, as well as lunch, provided by Meals on Wheels South Florida. They can attend a group trip to Walmart or CVS to purchase essential items, or even meet with a social worker who can help them access affordable housing, food stamps, counseling, supportive services, and emergency assistance.

Membership is free and open to non-residents, so it’s easy for seniors to attend the activities and events the center provides. “Aging should be something positive, active, and unique to the individual,” said Mrs. Miguel. Let the Hepburn Center be part of your lifestyle!!

For more information please contact Lizabeth Miguel at: lmiguel@cohb.org
Green Happenings

The City of Hallandale Beach is committed to progress, innovation and opportunity to preserve resources by providing e-copies. The City will be publishing an electronic copy of the Hallandale Happenings quarterly for its residents to view. The online version will be more media friendly with links to videos, photos, and other interactive elements.

Subscribe for the electronic newsletter by visiting cohb.org/HallandaleHappenings and clicking “Keep Me In the Happenings”