



# Hallandale Happenings

The Official Hallandale Beach Community Newsletter

Quarter 4 / Oct.-Dec.



## EMBRACING A NEW SEASON

LIVE, WORK, PLAY IN HALLANDALE BEACH ALL YEAR ROUND

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

# A WORD FROM OUR ELECTED OFFICIALS



MAYOR  
**KEITH S. LONDON**  
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I look forward to a new productive fiscal year. Our recent approval of the City Budget affords the ability to continue delivering core services which all of us enjoy. The Commission approved the budget without dipping into reserves to pay for day to day expenses. Since I came into office, I have looked for innovative ways to improve operational costs and have better accountability of each dollar allocated for core city services.

Public safety initiatives, road improvement projects, storm water, sewer operations, sanitation, and utility water services will continue to perform and the highest levels, and we look forward to serving you better. Our fiscal year 2018-2019 adopted budget reflects an allocation of resources enhancing resiliency in Hallandale Beach and lifting residents' quality of life. I genuinely believe we have bright future ahead, and by investing into City government operations that are essential to support continued economic growth. Together, we must address new issues as they arise. My commitment is to work arduously, ensuring Hallandale Beach remains on a path toward future financial sustainability and resiliency for all residents.

I also want to invite all to come out and make your voice be heard at any of my Town Hall meetings that take place from 6-8PM, each month in the Hallandale Beach Cultural Center. Please check the City's Facebook page for specific dates/times. Speak your mind. Tell me the issues which are important to you, your business, your neighbors and your concerns.

With your support, we will continue to preserve our communities and keep Hallandale Beach a great place to live, work, play and learn. As always, feel free to reach me at [klondon@cohb.org](mailto:klondon@cohb.org) for any concerns that you may have.



VICE MAYOR  
**MICHELE LAZAROW**  
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Election season is upon us. As our neighborhoods fill with signs, our mailboxes with campaign mailers, and our phones ring constantly with campaign calls, I know it can be a bit much.

Here is what I'd like to encourage each and every Hallandale Beach resident to do:

First, vote. It is critical that you use your right to vote.

Second, get a sample ballot. The ballot is long. You shouldn't go into the polls without having seen it and knowing how you are going to vote on each race and item on the ballot.

Third, do your homework. Every race and question on the ballot is important. The US Senate and governors race get most of the attention, but the cabinet positions are critical too. And of course, so are our Hallandale Beach elections.

There are 12 constitutional amendments, as well as 12 Broward County Charter Amendments on the ballot. They are all important.

Finally, if you are looking for more information, or need any help, call or email me. I am not on the ballot this year.

Early voting is just around the corner. See you at the polls!



**COMMISSIONER  
ANABELLE TAUB**  
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When I knocked on your doors in 2016 I vowed to advocate for our streets to be safer, to ensure our first responders have the appropriate support they need in order to best serve you. To date that is exactly what I continuously work on, and one of the biggest concerns many of you worry about (and in some cases it turns out some of you have reason to be concerned). I am making progress meeting with authorities outside of Hallandale Beach to gather all the sources available to you so that you continue to have the right to peacefully and adorably live on your condo. Please visit my Facebook page for soon to come important updates on condo association fraud and public safety issues @ Facebook.com/anabelletaub18  
Wishing you all the best, Anabelle Lima-Taub

Cuando toque en sus puertas en 2016, prometí abogar para que nuestras calles estuvieran más seguras, garantizar que el personal de primeros auxilios reciban el apoyo adecuado que necesitan para poder brindarle un mejor servicio. Hasta la fecha, eso es exactamente lo que estoy realizando continuamente. Pero una de las mayores preocupaciones de muchos de ustedes (y en algunos casos, resulta que algunos de ustedes tienen motivos para preocuparse), quisiera dejarles saber que estoy realizando reuniones de progreso con las autoridades fuera de Hallandale

Beach para reunir todas las fuentes disponibles para que usted continúe teniendo derecho a vivir en su apartamento de forma pacífica y adorable. Visite mi página de Facebook para recibir actualizaciones importantes sobre fraude de asociaciones de condominios y problemas de seguridad pública @ Facebook.com/anabelletaub18 Les deseo lo mejor, Anabelle Lima-Taub



**COMMISSIONER  
RICHARD DALLY**  
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I am very proud that we were able to pass the ban of plastic straws through City ordinance, as we move into a proactive and progressive City. We must shift our mindsets from using single-use plastic straws, which environmentally never decompose. According to scientific estimates, 7.5 million plastic straws are lying around America's shorelines. Another statistic shows that nearly 9 million tons of plastic trash end up in the world's oceans and coastline each year. While these stats are alarming, it lets us know that we must be proactive and sustainable. I want Hallandale Beach and the State of Florida to be here to raise my family. We must do our part today and protect the environment. Adopting the straw-ban ordinance is a start, and I'd love to see us do more.

On another note, I would like for all residents to know that the November elections are coming. Make sure that you go out to vote. Starting with your Governor, U.S. Senator, the rest of the State Cabinet, all the way down to three City Commission races. It is a long ballot (approximately ten pages front and back), but rest assure your vote counts. You may always request a ballot by mail by contacting the supervisor of elections office.

I am also happy to announce that coding classes have started. This initiative will help our children have exposure to new technology skill sets and perhaps seed a new tech career for the near future. For more information, please visit [www.cohb.org/codeclass](http://www.cohb.org/codeclass). As always, feel free to reach me at [rdally@cohb.org](mailto:rdally@cohb.org) for any concerns that you may have.



**COMMISSIONER  
MIKE BUTLER**  
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Our new budget year 2018-2019 begins on October 1, 2018. Unfortunately, as a result of previous years' poor financial planning, this year's budget was challenging. The City Commission approved a maximum millage rate increase of .9355. The largest drivers of our budget challenge were an unanticipated increase in the City's pension costs of \$1.517 million; required reserves for increased medical insurance costs of \$491,295; and a Cost of Living Adjustment (COLA) contemplated as part of the City's union contracts of \$635,732. The largest of those is the pension cost increase. To address this unexpected increase, the City Commission approved on August 1st a Resolution directing the City Attorney to seek relief from the Courts. Until we get a judgement, however, the City is obligated to budget for the potential impact to our budget. In the meantime, the City Commission is considering many options to otherwise reduce the City's costs. One very controversial potential cost savings proposal is to merge our Fire Department with the Broward Sheriff's Office. Right now, we don't have enough information to have a detailed review of the advantages and disadvantages. Once we get that information, we can all then

determine what's best for every stakeholder in the City. Until then, the discussion is primarily (and understandably) an emotional one.

# 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/alerts](http://cohb.org/alerts)



## Public Safety Stats

View the latest stats from our Police Department, visit [cohb.org/crimestats](http://cohb.org/crimestats)



## Economic Crimes

Did you know we have an economic crimes unit? For more information please contact: Detective Christopher Grieco: (954) 457-1432 | [cgrieco@cohb.org](mailto:cgrieco@cohb.org)



## Have A Question About Debris?

Visit [cohb.org/debris](http://cohb.org/debris) or call 954-457-1616

# Upcoming Events



### October

#### Pumpkin Patch

Curci House **19 & 20**

#### Halloween Festival

OB Johnson Park **31**



### November

#### Veterans Day Salute

Hallandale Beach Cemetery & Cultural Community Center **11**

#### Beach Entertainment Series

South City Beach Park **25**  
(4th Sunday of every month through April)



### December

#### Holiday Lighting Celebration

1750 E. Hallandale Beach Blvd. **7**

#### Community Unity | Hope 4 the Holidays

Foster Park **15**

#### Beach Entertainment Series

South City Beach Park **16**

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Teen Center	954-457-3066
OB Johnson Park	954-457-1460
Cultural Community Center	954-457-1452
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<b>IMPORTANT NUMBERS</b>	
Fire & Police Emergency	911
Water Billing	954-457-1360
Solida Waste	954-457-1612
Water Plant	954-457-1610
<b>LIBRARY</b>	
Broward County Library	954-357-6380
<b>ANIMAL SERVICES</b>	
Broward County Animal Care	954-359-1313



Hallandale Beach  
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MOBILE APPS AVAILABLE



REPORT ANY ISSUES VIA MOBILE APP  
[COHB.ORG/MYHBAPP](http://COHB.ORG/MYHBAPP)



MANAGE PUBLIC RECORD REQUESTS, PUBLIC COMMENTS, VISITOR TRACKER,  
[COHB.ORG/HBCITYCLERK](http://COHB.ORG/HBCITYCLERK)



HB MINIBUS TRACK THE CITY'S FOUR (4) COMMUNITY BUS ROUTES.  
[COHB.ORG/HBMINIBUS](http://COHB.ORG/HBMINIBUS)



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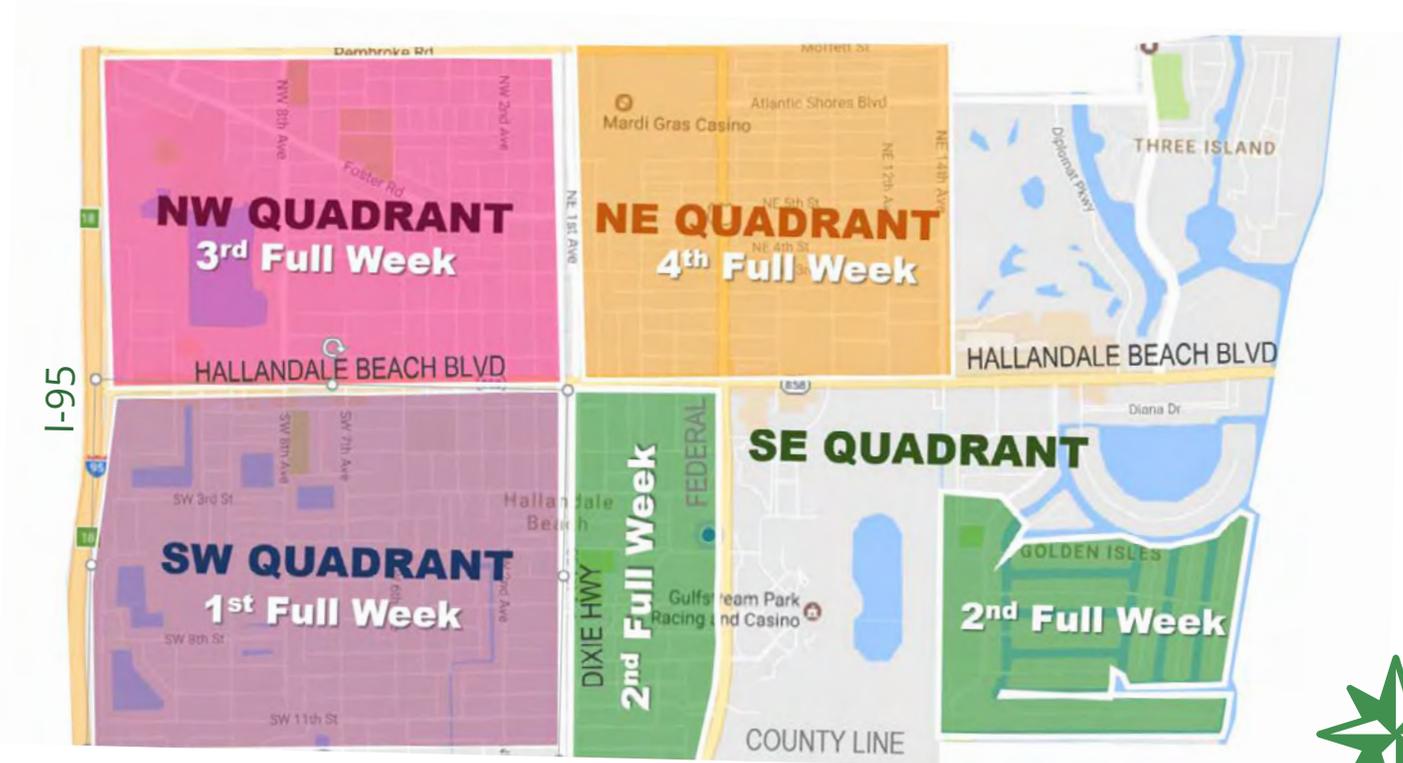
## Giving back this Thanksgiving

Learn about how many of our employees and citizens are giving back this Thanksgiving

# #KEEPHBCLEAN



Please take note of the new monthly bulk trash pickup schedule\* effective July 1, 2018.



\* The Bulk Trash Pick-up service is provided only to single family homes and multi-family units up to 4 units.



## No Call in Necessary

Residents are able to place their bulk trash and yard waste to be picked up per the following schedule: 1st Full Week for SW Section, 2nd Full Week for SE Section, 3rd Full Week for NW section and 4th Full Week for NE Section



## Place trash at the right time

Residents must have debris placed in the swale by 7AM on Monday of scheduled week, and not earlier than 24 hours prior to that time. Once the truck picks up along a block, it will not return to that block until the next month's scheduled collection week.



## More information, we'd be glad to help.

If you would like more information, please contact 954-457-1616 or visit [www.cohb.org/bulkipickup2018](http://www.cohb.org/bulkipickup2018)



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# City of Hallandale Beach welcomes new Green Initiatives coordinator Alyssa Jones Wood



**Alyssa Jones-Wood**  
Greens Initiative Coordinator  
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The City welcomes our new Green Initiatives Coordinator- Alyssa Jones Wood. Alyssa comes to the City from the South Florida Regional Planning Council, where she led its climate change resilience and brownfields programs. Alyssa is very familiar with the City's Green Initiatives, and its effort to amend the City's Comprehensive Plan to reduce risk and loss related to flooding and sea-level rise. Alyssa holds a Bachelor's Degree in Environmental Studies and a Master's Degree in Geography, specializing in Human-Environment Sustainability.

Alyssa has been doing environmental advocacy her entire life having memories of snorkeling before she could swim and napping in recycling bins. Alyssa has extensive experience in sustainable agriculture, having established and managed an organic

Community Garden in Jupiter, doing farm work in Appalachia after graduating with her Bachelors, and volunteering with Kai Kai Farm in Martin County while she served as an AmeriCorps VISTA. She has a passion for habitat conservation, parks, waste reduction, climate change resilience, and the social equity aspects of sustainability. In her spare time she loves to take walks in wetlands, spend time with her dog Banjo and husband Richard, SCUBA dive, garden, and cook/preserve delicious food. Tune into seeing what new sustainable initiatives Mrs. Jones will lead for The City Hallandale Beach.

## ..... Preparing for King Tide .....

King Tides, also called "Sunny Day Flooding" or "High Tide Flooding", are expected to occur between September and November of this year. King Tides are the highest tide of the year which may flood low-lying areas of the City with saltwater. Depending on the height of inundation, King Tides may cause saltwater to overflow past seawalls and flow up through storm drains.

Last year, King Tide flooding was observed in Golden Isles and along Golden Beach Drive. King Tides are expected to occur the following dates: October 9-11 and November 7, 2018.

Between now and King Tide days, take the time to prepare. Get to know your flood hazard and familiarize yourself with your flood insurance



[www.broward.org/Environment/Engineering/FloodZoneMaps/Pages/ProposedNewFloodMaps.aspx](http://www.broward.org/Environment/Engineering/FloodZoneMaps/Pages/ProposedNewFloodMaps.aspx)

During these King Tide days you can also prepare by educating yourself and your peers on the causes of sea-level rise and what you can do to reduce your greenhouse gas emissions. Reoccurring floods like King Tides provide a test-run of likely sea-level rise scenarios. As sea-level rises, the frequency of King Tides are expected to increase to nearly 50 times per year by 2030 and over 200 times per year by 2045. Remember, it is never too late to make changes in your life to be greener. If you want learn about changes you can make to lessen your impact, or the work the City is doing to become more sustainable, contact the Green Initiatives Coordinator at 954-457-1617 or by email.

policy. The City provides property protection consultations including site visits and drainage evaluators. Call 954-457-1386 for property protection advice. During King Tide events, be careful driving or walking through flood water. If you're expecting to walk through flood water it is best to wear close toed shoes, as hazards may be hiding where you can't see them. The same is true for driving- do not drive through flooded areas. Expect to experience traffic delays due to flooding. Do not let children play in or near flood water. Email photos and the location of flooding to the City's Green Initiatives Coordinator and upload them to Broward County's Document the Floods Crowdsourcing Map. (link: <http://>





# PARKS PROGRAMS

954-457-1452  
 HBparksrec@cohb.org  
 cohb.org/parksonline

**FOR MORE INFORMATION:**

Facility	Program	Days	Time	Ages
BF James Pool	Parent/Child Learn2Swim	Monday & Wednesday	5:00pm-5:30pm	6 months to under 3 years
BF James Pool	Preschool Learn2Swim	Monday & Wednesday	5:00pm-6:00pm	3 years to under 6 years
BF James Pool	Learn2Swim	Monday & Wednesday	6:00pm-6:45pm	6 years to 12 years
BF James Pool	Adult Learn2Swim	Monday & Wednesday	7:00pm-7:45pm	18 years and up
BF James Pool	H2U Aqua Exercise	Monday & Wednesday	11:00am-12:00pm	All ages
BF James Pool	Parent/Child Learn2Swim	Tuesday & Thursday	5:00pm-5:30pm	6 months to under 3 years
BF James Pool	Learn2Swim	Tuesday & Thursday	6:00pm-7:45pm	6 years to 12 years
BF James Pool	Preschool Learn2Swim	Tuesday & Thursday	5:00pm-6:00pm	3 years to under 6 years
BF James Pool	Learn2Swim	Saturday & Sunday	10:00am-10:45am	6 years to 12 years
BF James Pool	Parent/Child Learn2Swim	Saturday & Sunday	9:00am-9:30am	6 months to under 3 years
BF James Pool	Preschool Learn2Swim	Saturday & Sunday	9:30am-10:00am	3 years to under 6 years
BF James Pool	Open Swim	Everyday	11am - 4:45pm	All ages
Cultural Center	H2U Low Impact Aerobics	Monday & Wednesday	10:00am-11:00am	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Tai Chi	Monday & Wednesday	10:00am-11:00am	50+
Cultural Center	Memorial Mah Jongg & Board Games	Monday & Tuesday	12:00pm-4:00pm	50+
Cultural Center	Memorial Bridge	Wednesday	12:00pm-3:00pm	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Chair Yoga	Tuesday	10:30am-11:30am	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Chair Yoga	Thursday	10:00am-11:00am	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Line Dance	Monday	11:00am-12:00pm	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Line Dance	Wednesday	11:00am-12:00pm	50+
Cultural Center	H2U Zumba	Friday & Saturday	10:00am-11:00am	50+
Cultural Center	Atlantic Shotokan Karate	Wednesday	-	5 years - Adult
-	Beginners	-	5:30pm-6:30pm	-
-	Novice	-	6:30pm-7:30pm	-
-	Intermediate/Advanced	-	7:30pm-8:30pm	-
Foster Park	HF Ballet	Monday	6:30pm-7:30pm	3-6 years
Foster Park	House of Onyx Dance Team	Monday & Wednesday		11-13 years
Foster Park	House of Onyx Dance Team	Tuesday & Thursday		14-17 years
Foster Park	HF Zumba	Tuesday & Thursday	6:30pm-7:30pm	Adults
Foster Park	HF Ballet	Wednesday	6:30pm-7:30pm	7-12 years
Foster Park	Field Trip	Saturday	TBD	All Ages
Foster Park	H.O.S.T After school	Monday-Friday	2:30-6:00pm	6 - 12 years
Foster Park	Library	Monday-Friday	6:00pm-9:00pm	All ages
Foster Park	Library	Saturday & Sunday	12:00pm-5:00pm	All ages
Foster Park	Library Make & Take	Sunday	2:30pm	All ages
OB Johnson Park	Open Gym	Monday-Thursday	6:00pm-9:00pm	6 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Open Gym	Friday	6:00pm-10:00pm	6 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Open Gym	Saturday	8:00am-10:00pm	6 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Open Gym	Sunday	8:00am-9:00pm	6 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Computer Lab	Monday-Thursday	6:00pm-9:00pm	13 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Computer Lab	Friday	6:00pm-10:00pm	13 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Computer Lab	Saturday	8:00am-10:00pm	13 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Computer Lab	Sunday	8:00am-9:00pm	13 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Fitness Center	Mon,Tues,Thurs, Fri, Sat, Sun	8:00am - 9:00pm	18 years & up
OB Johnson Park	Fitness Center	Wednesday	12:00pm-9:00pm	18 years & up
OB Johnson Park	World TaeKwonDo	Tues/Thurs	6:15pm - 7:45pm	5 years & up
OB Johnson Park	A.R.I.S.E. Dance Studio	Weds/Thur/Fri	6:00-8:00pm	6 - 17 years
OB Johnson Park	Code Explorers Game Design Level 1	Thursday	6:00-7:00pm	6 - 9 years
OB Johnson Park	Code Explorers Game Design Level 1	Thursday	7:00-8:00pm	10 - 13 years
OB Johnson Park	Code Explorers PK Coding	Thursday	4:45-5:45pm	4 - 5 years
OB Johnson Park	Teen Zone: Manhood on the Go	Tuesday	6:00-8:00pm	13 - 17 years
OB Johnson Park	Teen Zone	Mon-Friday	12:00pm-6:00pm	13 - 17 years
OB Johnson Park	Teen Zone	Sat/Sun	1:00pm-6:00pm	13 - 17 years
Curci House	Tours	1st Saturday of month	11:00am-4:00pm	-
Schoolhouse	Tours	3rd Saturday of month	12:00pm -3:00pm	-

# LEED GOLD AWARDED TO FIRE STATION 7



The City of Hallandale Beach recently achieved the Gold LEED Acknowledgement Award for the new Fire Rescue Station #7 located at 111 Foster Road.

Fire Station 7 made its grand opening on June of 2018 with new public safety features such as one of the City's Emergency Operations Center, four drive-through bays, Fire Administrative Offices, Fire Inspection offices, training space, and living quarters for Fire Rescue staff.

The acknowledgment was awarded by the US Green Building Council (USGBC). LEED, or Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design, "provides a framework to create healthy, highly efficient and cost-saving green buildings." LEED certification is recognized globally as a mark

of sustainability achievement. LEED recognized Fire Station 7's green and sustainable design as well as construction. LEED awarded their Gold Acknowledgement based on points stemming from a list of standards that were met. There are 4 levels of achievement, with gold ranking at number two. The City of Hallandale Beach is proud to be a recipient of the LEED Gold Achievement. The City looks forward to diligently continue a path to clean and sustainable buildings and projects within the community. For a list of current construction projects, please visit [cohb.org/construction](http://cohb.org/construction)

## Keep Hallandale Beaches Clean

The City of Hallandale Beach is focusing on keeping our city clean. Please help us by remembering the following:

- Dogs are not allowed on the beach or in city parks.
- When you do take your dogs out please don't forget to take your utensils
- Waste cannot be disposed of in a city receptacle.

Violation of the listed ordinance is \$100.00

City ordinance(s):

Sec 6-5 Animals not permitted in public parks or beaches

Sec 6-62 Duty to carry and use utensils for removal and cleanup of waste

Sec 6-63 Disposal of waste material

Let's keep our beaches clean!



## FLOOD HAZARD INFORMATION & PROTECTION

### Know Your Flood Hazard

Flooding is a serious threat and the City of Hallandale Beach is working to help protect your property and belongings. The City offers several services to help you identify your flooding potential and raise awareness to potential problems.

For tips please visit [cohb.org/FloodHazardInformation](http://cohb.org/FloodHazardInformation)



CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH  
**HOLIDAY LIGHTING CELEBRATION**

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 2018 | 6:00 TO 10:00PM  
 1750 E. Hallandale Beach Boulevard

**SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES:**

Holiday Light Display, Children's Activities & Holiday Crafts, Community Performances, Visits with Santa, Holiday Music & Inflatables and Amusements. \$5 Ride Band for the Evening & Fun Foods Available for Sale.



**JOIN US!**

FEATURED EVENTS



CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH  
**Veterans Day Salute**

Sunday, November 11, 2018

The City of Hallandale Beach will honor all men & women who served in the armed forces.

**PROGRAM SCHEDULE**

- 9:30am Placement of Flags at the Hallandale Beach Cemetery  
801 NW 6th Ave.
- 10:00am Coffee and Veterans Display at the Cultural Community Center  
410 SE 3rd Street
- 10:30am Ceremony at the Veterans Monument, 400 South Federal Highway





## ADOPT-A-FAMILY

The City of Hallandale Beach employees participate in adopting numerous families for the holidays in the annual Adopt-A-Family drive.

Families are registered and selected by the Human Services Department. If you want to help a family in need, different city departments collect toys, games, and gift cards to distribute.

With the holiday season fast approaching, the City of Hallandale Beach Human Services Department hopes all residents will take a moment to think of those less fortunate and join our Adopt-A-Family toy and gift drive. Every child deserves a gift for the Holiday Season, be it Hanukkah or Christmas; it's the season for giving.

If you can afford to adopt-a-family, or just want to give an unwrapped toy, please stop by the Human Services Department at OB Johnson Park. For more information please call Human Services Department at: 954-457-1460



# HOLIDAY DECORATING SAFETY

## Follow These Safety Precautions To Keep Threats At Bay:

Fresh trees are less likely to catch fire, so look for a tree with vibrant green needles that are hard to pluck and don't break easily from its branches. The tree shouldn't be shedding its needles readily.



Always place your tree away from heat sources like fireplaces, candles, heat vents or lights.

Make sure all your indoor and outdoor Christmas lights have been tested in a lab by the UL or ETL/ITSNA for safety, and throw out any damaged lights.

Any lights you use outdoors must be labeled suitable for exterior placement, and be sure to plug them into a ground-fault circuit interrupter protected receptacle.

Keep all your holiday candles away from your Christmas tree, surrounding furniture and décor.

Bedtime means lights off! Don't forget to turn your Christmas tree lights off each night.

When your tree begins to drop its needles, it's time to say goodbye to your evergreen foliage.

Reference:  
[www.christmastreeassociation.org](http://www.christmastreeassociation.org)



# REPORT

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# EASY AS...

# 1.

Report any HB concerns to the City of Hallandale Beach using the MYHBAPP.

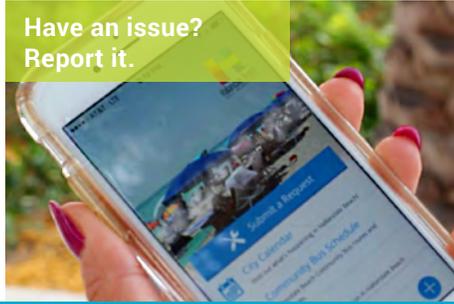
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**COHB.ORG/MYHBAPP**

# 2.

App available in Google Play or in Apple App Store



# 3.



## ▶ CODE EXPLORERS COMES TO HALLANDALE BEACH

CODE EXPLORERS® is an award-winning, 501c3, non-profit organization dedicated to teaching, motivating, and expanding participation in computer science, technology and engineering using mobile technology and learning.

“Our vision is to enable students of all ages to engage with and learn through the use of mobile technology and empower them to compete in a global economy.” - Maria C Malave de Pena, MS, President and CEO, Code Explorers.

“Code has become the 4th literacy. Everyone needs to know how our digital world works, not just engineers.” - Mark Surman, Executive Director, The Mozilla Foundation

Scholarships are available to children who reside in the City of Hallandale Beach with their parent and/or legal guardian. The parent and/or legal guardian must provide a copy of their driver's license and current utility bill having the same address, recent Income Tax Return (1040) with parent's name and child(ren) as dependent to the Cultural Community Center, 410 SE 3rd St, Monday through Friday, 8am - 6pm. For more information about the coding program, please contact 954-457-1452 or visit [www.cohb.org/codeclass](http://www.cohb.org/codeclass).

For more information on Code Explorers, please visit [www.CodeExplorers.org](http://www.CodeExplorers.org).

**BECOME A CODING ROCK STAR**

HALLANDALE BEACH PARKS & RECREATION IS PARTNERING WITH CODE EXPLORERS FOR CODING CLASSES. VISIT [WWW.COHB.ORG/CODECLASS](http://WWW.COHB.ORG/CODECLASS)

**CODE: EXPLORERS™**

FOR VARIOUS LEVELS FOR AGES 4-13

Hallandale Beach Parks & Recreation logo



# UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA TOUR

On August 6th and 7th, members of the OB Johnson Teen Zone visited the University of Central Florida (UCF) to cap off their summer program.

The end of summer trip is a reward for the teens who worked hard and stayed engaged all summer. They earned points by participating in enrichment activities, providing community service hours, and completing summer assignments. No discipline issues and good attendance throughout the summer was also required to attend. Forty teens were awarded to attend this year's trip to Orlando.

The teens had the opportunity to tour the UCF campus and become familiar with the various educational opportunities offered by the school. Many of our teens found interest in the University's ROTC and Athletic programs. Some of our athletic teens visited the athletic facilities and were inspired to work hard towards college. Freshman orientation was taking place while teens were touring so they were able to picture themselves there!

They participated in some of the orientation activities such as: getting advice from current students, and visiting the student affairs offices. The students look forward to visiting other local colleges next summer.

The Teen Zone program focuses on Career Development, Academic Enrichment, Fitness, Nutrition Education, and Civic Outreach to help our teens reach their full potential. The annual summer trip is a great motivator and provides awareness of post high school options for the teens involved in the Hallandale Beach Teen Zone.

Keep up to date with the Parks & Rec Department at:

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 @HBParksRec



**"THIS TOUR PROVIDES A GREAT EXPERIENCE FOR AT RISK YOUTH WHO MAY NOT HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO TRAVEL OUTSIDE OF BROWARD COUNTY"**

*-Sam Brinson, OB Johnson Park Supervisor*



# HALLANDALE BEACH POLICE PUBLIC SAFETY UPDATES



*The Hallandale Police Department strives to keep our community safe. Here is the latest on our progress.*

## CRIME STATS

Since the beginning of this calendar year, crime has drastically lowered in comparison to the previous year. This reduction in crime is a testament to the brave and diligent work the men and women of the Hallandale Beach Police Department do every day.

### COMPARISON

**January – June 2017 / January – June 2018**

<b>ROBBERY</b>	<b>-15.4%</b>
<b>BURGLARY</b>	<b>-37.4%</b>
<b>MOTOR VEHICLE THEFT</b>	<b>-9.4%</b>
<b>VEHICLE BURGLARIES</b>	<b>-3.0%</b>

## PD CITIZENS ACADEMY

HBPD invites the community to be part of citizen's police academy. The Police Department recently concluded the most recent session of the Citizen's Police Academy. Thirty-One graduates completed the 12-week program. They were exposed to various aspects of the law enforcement field.

The graduates were provided with classroom instruction, police demonstrations, and participated in the use of force simulations. The curriculum is designed to introduce citizens to real world challenges faced by police officers every day. The next academy class will begin in the month of January 2019. Applications are still being accepted and can be found by visiting: [cohb.org/citizensacademy](http://cohb.org/citizensacademy)



## TIPS FOR TEENS

STUDENTS VOICES MATTER.

The "see something, say something" philosophy is geared towards students even though it affects everyone at school. Students should feel comfortable talking to their parents, teachers, or school resource officers. If they see something unusual that concerns them, speaking up can prevent a major incident from occurring.

## JOIN US FOR NNO

The HBPD invites you to this year's National Night Out (NNO). It will be held on October 2, 2018, 6-9pm, at the Gulfstream Casino and Racetrack Park. This exciting annual event is an "Open house" for the Police Department. Police and Fire Rescue will exhibit the services they provide to the community. HBPD encourages everyone, especially families, to attend and meet the officers who keep your home and businesses safe.

## SCHOOL VALOR PROGRAM

HBPD's VALOR program is designed to assign an additional school resource officer, (SROs) to each school. This program helps the Police Department to provide quick resources in case of an emergency. HBPD is committed to protecting the most vulnerable members of our community, OUR CHILDREN .



**STAY TUNED BY FOLLOWING THE HALLANDALE BEACH POLICE SOCIAL MEDIA:**

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 @HallandalePD

## LICENSE PLATE RECOGNITION CAMERAS COMING SOON

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In July 2018, the City Commission moved forward with a resolution to to contract with Vetted Solutions Inc. to install License Plate Recognition Cameras throughout major entrances and exits of the City of Hallandale Beach. This technology has the ability to read vehicle plate numbers and compare them against law enforcement “hotlists”, which immediately alert police to the presence of stolen vehicles, missing persons, amber alert-related tags, vehicles wanted in connection with felonies and/or sex offenders. This cutting-edge technology has been employed in a multitude of cities nationwide and in many cases has proven to enhance the public safety crime statistics of respective communities. Follow the Police Department’s facebook and twitter using #HBLPR for further updates in the near future.

## BODY WORN CAMERAS SUPPORT PUBLIC SAFETY

The Hallandale Beach Police Department (HBPD) continues to promote public safety through the expansion of the Police Department’s Body Worn Cameras (BWC) program. All patrol staff members are now equipped with this technology with the purpose of increasing efficiency, accountability and streamlining collection of evidence.

Although the Hallandale Beach Police Department (HBPD) began the BWC pilot program in December 2015, the program has been refined with a comprehensive BWC policy that includes best practices for citizen and officer safety.

The latest initiative includes an additional 96 Axon BWC units and 68 digital evidence capture devices that will provide support to road patrol officers and investigative unit staff.

The BWC will seamlessly integrate with HBPD’s cloud-based evidence servers, which greatly assist detectives in investigations and collaboration with the State



Attorney’s Office. In preparation for widespread use of BWC, HBPD has undergone extensive infrastructure improvements to accommodate the increased bandwidth and technology associated with the upgraded technology.

**“Body worn cameras help boost public trust and have also helped exonerate officers falsely accused,” City of Hallandale Beach Chief Sonia Quinones stated.**

# INGALLS PARK RENOVATION PROGRESS | 35% COMPLETE

## PROJECT PROGRESS IS ON THE MOVE!

### • COMPLETED

The east side of the new pre-cast concrete wall installed, the residential side is complete. Backyards have been backfilled, graded and the temporary construction fences removed. Also, the fences between homes, abutting the new pre-cast wall are complete. The underground electrical conduits in the site have been installed and in the buildings all rough mechanical, electrical and plumbing are complete.

### • IN PROGRESS

Sodding is underway throughout the residential backyards to

complete the work on the east side of the new wall. In the park, the new walkway around the park is 80% complete, and the park is currently being graded. Windows and doors have been installed except for a few locations. Most materials for the Park have been ordered including playground equipment and site amenities such as benches, trash and recycling receptacles. Work on the parking lot should start soon. And other park improvements will follow.

For more information, please visit:

[www.gohallandaleparks.com/ingalls-park](http://www.gohallandaleparks.com/ingalls-park)



INGALLS PARK RENOVATIONS



# BLUESTEN PARK RENOVATIONS PROGRESS | 22% COMPLETE



## PROJECT PROGRESS SEPTEMBER 2018

- Work has started on the new intersection at SE 5th St and SE 4th Ave
- Construction progress has reached 22% complete
- Vertical construction on the Field House and Band Shell is continuing
- Contractor preparing to pour cast in place concrete walls for the community building
- Underground sewer and drainage construction is 100% complete

For more information, please visit:

[gohallandaleparks.com/peter-bluesten-park/](http://gohallandaleparks.com/peter-bluesten-park/)

# HALLOWEEN SAFETY

HERE ARE SOME TIPS FOR MAKING HALLOWEEN FUN AND SAFE.



## WALK SAFELY

Cross the street at corners, using traffic signals and crosswalks. Look left, right and left again when crossing and keep looking as you cross.

Don't run across the street. Teach children to make eye contact with drivers before crossing in front of them. Always walk on sidewalks or paths. If there are no sidewalks, walk facing traffic as far to the left as possible. Watch for cars that are turning or backing up. Teach children to never dart out into the street or cross between parked cars.



CITY OF HALLANDALE BEACH  
**HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL**

HALLOWEEN NIGHT - WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 2018  
6pm to 9pm - FREE TO ENTER

OB JOHNSON PARK: 1000 NW 8th Avenue



**Costume Contest - All Ages - Starts at 7pm**  
Games - Music - Refreshments - Entertainment - Candy - Fun

Refreshments will be available for purchase from the Police Athletic League.  
For more information, call (954) 457-1452 or visit [www.CoHB.org/Parks](http://www.CoHB.org/Parks)



## TRICK OR TREAT WITH AN ADULT

Children under the age of 12 should not be alone at night without adult supervision. If kids are mature enough to be out without supervision, they should stick to familiar areas that are well lit and trick-or-treat in groups.



## DRIVE EXTRA SAFELY ON HALLOWEEN

Slow down and be especially alert in residential neighborhoods. Take extra time to look for children at intersections, on medians and on curbs. Enter and exit driveways and alleys slowly and carefully. Eliminate any distractions inside your car so you can concentrate on the road and your surroundings. Drive slowly, anticipate heavy pedestrian traffic and turn your headlights on early in the day to spot children from greater distances. Popular trick-or-treating hours are 5:30 p.m. to 9:30 p.m. so be especially alert for children during those hours.



## KEEP COSTUMES BOTH CREATIVE AND SAFE

Decorate costumes and bags with reflective tape or stickers and, if possible, choose light colors. Choose face paint and makeup whenever possible instead of masks, which can obstruct a child's vision. Use glow sticks or flashlights to help them see and be seen by drivers. When selecting a costume, make sure it fits correctly to prevent trips and falls.

FOLLOW #HBHALLOWEEN18 TO VIEW PICTURES FROM HALLOWEEN FEST

# OCEAN SAFETY



**Here are some preventive tips to make your day at the beach enjoyable and accident free .**

## SWIM NEAR A LIFEGUARD:

USLA statistics over a ten year period show that the chance of drowning at a beach without lifeguard protection is almost five times as great as drowning at a beach with lifeguards. USLA has calculated a person will drown while attending a beach protected by USLA affiliated lifeguards at 1 in 18 million (.0000055%).



## SWIM WITH A BUDDY:

Many drownings involve single swimmers. When you swim with a buddy, the other may be able to help, including signaling for assistance from others. At least have someone onshore watching you.

## CHECK WITH THE LIFEGUARDS:

Lifeguards identify hazards that might affect you. They can advise you on the safest place to swim, as well as places to avoid. They want

you to have a safe day. ASK THEM ABOUT WEATHER CONDITIONS.

## OBEY POSTED SIGNS AND FLAGS:

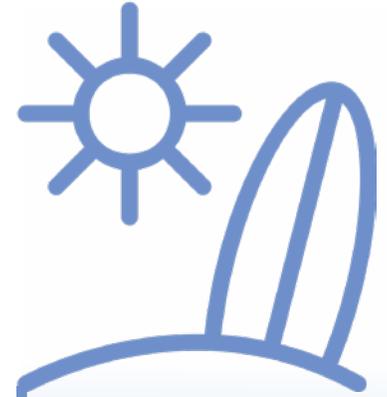
Read the signs when you first arrive and please follow their directions. The signs are intended to help keep you informed and safe. Flags advise swimmers of hazards and regulations that change from time to time. You can usually find informational signs explaining the meaning of the flags, or just ask the lifeguard.

## LEARN RIP CURRENT SAFETY:

These currents are formed by surf and gravity, the surf pushes water up the slope of the beach, gravity pulls it back. This can create concentrated rivers of water moving offshore. Some people call this an undertow, but there is no undercurrent, just an offshore current. If you are caught in a rip current, don't fight it . Swim parallel to shore until you feel the current relax, then swim to shore. Most rip currents are narrow and short. Swimming parallel to the shore will bring you back to safety.

## ENTER WATER FEET FIRST:

Serious, lifelong injuries, including paraplegia, occur every year due to diving headfirst into unknown water and striking the bottom. Check for depth and obstructions before diving, then go in feet first the first time; and use caution while body surfing, always extending a hand ahead of you. Body-surfing can result in a serious neck injury if swimmer's neck strikes bottom.



## KEEP OUR BEACHES CLEAN

**Help keep our beaches clean and safe by:**

- 1. CLEAN UP AFTER YOURSELF**
- 2. USE REUSABLE CONTAINERS**
- 3. PICK UP AFTER YOUR PET**
- 4. DON'T LEAVE CIGARETTE BUTTS ON THE BEACH**

**FOLLOW HB FIRE RESCUE AT:**

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# AGE-FRIENDLY COMMUNITY UPDATE

Since the implementation of the AARP Age Friendly Community Initiative, The City of Hallandale Beach Human Services Department has seen an increase in engagement and participation from HB Seniors. “There are community members that want more information, and would like to volunteer, and be a part of the center.” says Lizabeth Miguel, who is the supervisor of the Hepburn Center Senior Services. Lizabeth has also noticed that when senior-related events are held at the Hepburn Center, seniors are more active and willing to participate. As a result, the Human Services Department has worked to create and enhance existing programs that encourage senior involvement. These programs also fall under their efforts of creating a welcoming community. The Human Services Department wants HB Seniors to participate in the various age-friendly programs.

Registration is free and there is no cost to attend. All participants must be 60 and over and a registered member of the center. The Human Services Department has also designed various educational programs and field trips for seniors. Their goal is to immerse them in activities that they might not have experienced before. These programs also expose seniors to different cultures and environments such as visiting other South Florida communities like Wynwood, Coral Gables, and the Miramar cultural center.

Many of these programs are grant funded and made possible by grants such as The

## Hallandale Beach Age-Friendly Welcoming Community Programs



**Tai Chi Classes**  
Mondays 10-11AM



**Zumba Classes**  
Tuesdays & Thursdays 10-11AM



**Computer Classes**  
Wednesday, Thursday, Friday for various levels. Pre-Registration is required. Please call (954)457-1460 for specific times and to enroll.

Aging and Disability Resource Centers (ADRC) Grant and the Older Americans

Grant. COHB strives to promote programs and opportunities within our city that will reach residents of all ages and abilities. **#WEAREHUMANSERVICES**  
**#SENIORSROCK**

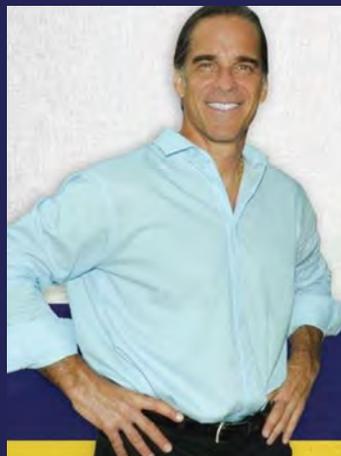
# ▶ LEARN ABOUT THE HB STRAW ORDINANCE



“I found mostly tiny pieces of plastic, but it adds up”, said a young volunteer at last month’s International Beach Cleanup. It’s true, it does add up. Scientists estimate that 70% of plastic pollution in the ocean sinks to the bottom. The waste of single-use plastics are out of control and to combat this, the City has banned plastic straws effective January 1, 2019. This is an initiative that was started by Commissioner Richard Dally. The City joins other municipalities like Surfside, Miami Beach, Deerfield Beach, and Fort Myers Beach in solidarity to tackle the global issue of plastics pollution locally.

## Why Ban straws?

Plastic straws are among the top ten sources of plastic pollution in the ocean. While some people- like differently abled residents- do need straws to consume liquids safely, they are largely an instrument of convenience which is easily eliminated from one’s life (the Ban includes an exception for differently abled residents, of course). Paper, stainless steel, or silicone straws can easily replace a straw-habit and reduce waste. If you have questions about the Ban or plastics pollution, visit [cohb.org/nostraws](http://cohb.org/nostraws) or email [ajoneswood@cohb.org](mailto:ajoneswood@cohb.org).



Mayor Keith London invites you to join him for a series of Town Hall Meetings to discuss important issues impacting Hallandale Beach’s neighborhoods. These meetings are open to the public and will be joined by a number of elected officials, policy makers and community leaders.

**These meetings are an excellent opportunity for residents to ask questions, address concerns and make their voices heard!**

These meetings are publicly noticed; light refreshments will be served.

**Keith London**

# Town Hall Meeting

HOSTED BY **MAYOR KEITH LONDON**

## Time & Location

All meetings will take place at the Hallandale Beach Cultural Center, located directly behind City Hall.

6-8pm

## Dates

- Tues. / Oct. 16th 2018
- Tues. / Nov. 20th 2018
- Tues. / Dec. 18th 2018
- Tues. / Jan. 15th 2019
- Tues. / Feb. 19th 2019
- Tues. / Mar. 19th 2019
- Tues. / Apr. 16th 2019
- Tues. / May 21st 2019

# Join us for Movember

The month of November is Movember. This is a month that has been observed across the globe with the goal to raise awareness of men’s health.

Issues such as prostate cancer, testicular cancer and men’s suicide. During Movember, men from all walks of life grow mustaches and beards to change the face of men’s health. Memorial Healthcare donates T-shirts to the Fire Department for staff members to wear during this month.

**Join us in support of Movember by posting your Movember picture using #HBmovember on social media.**





# HOME FIRE SAFETY

## VIA THE RED CROSS

Did you know that if a fire starts in your home you may have as little as two minutes to escape? During a fire, early warning from a working smoke alarm plus a fire escape plan that has been practiced regularly can save lives. Learn what else to do to keep your loved ones safe!

## TOP TIPS FOR FIRE SAFETY



Install smoke alarms on every level of your home, inside bedrooms and outside sleeping areas.



Test smoke alarms every month. If they're not working, change the batteries.



Talk with all family members about a fire escape plan and practice the plan twice a year.



If a fire occurs in your home, GET OUT, STAY OUT and CALL FOR HELP. Never go back inside for anything or anyone.

## STAY TUNED BY FOLLOWING FIRE RESCUE SOCIAL MEDIA

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WATCH VIDEO BY VISITING:



# HALLANDALE BEACH CRA INTRODUCES ITS FIRST MODULAR HOME TO THE CITY



The Hallandale Beach Community Redevelopment Agency (HBCRA) on August 29th, has introduced its first modular home project to the city. The home was pre-assembled, delivered, and installed at 620 NW 4th Ave. Hallandale Beach is elated to make cost-effective developmental strides for the enhancement of the community.

City of Hallandale Beach Assistant City Manager Dr. Jeremy Earle was on site for the construction. "This is an exciting project for us," he said. "Hopefully for us in the City and in the CRA, this will be a model for how we can do affordable housing or even market-rate housing in the future."

Barbara Ferguson, the property owner, was excited to see the installment of her home be completed, as she was on site to witness the placement of her new home on its foundation. "I thank God for the opportunity to see the

progress thus far," Ferguson said.

The home was provided and installed by Little River Box Co., who has much experience in creating homes, kiosks, pop-up bars, event spaces, and much more.

A modular home is one that is built indoors in a factory-like setting, which allows for more control over the building process, in addition to being more sustainable and energy efficient. Modular homes can be designed, assembled in the factory and installed onsite, all in a matter of a few months, as they don't see the typical on-site delays caused predominantly by the weather. Those built for South Florida are required to not only meet all local building codes, but to also withstand a Category 5 hurricanes. For more information about the CRA and CRA programs please visit: [www.cohbcra.org](http://www.cohbcra.org)



## DISCOVER HALLANDALE BEACH!

SIGN UP FOR UPDATES AT [COHB.ORG/SIGNUP](http://COHB.ORG/SIGNUP)

# ▶ OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH



HEPBURN CENTER'S ANNUAL WOMEN'S CANCER EVENT

**LET YOUR FAITH BE *bigger* THAN YOUR FEAR**

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 2018 | 10AM - 2PM  
AUSTIN HEPBURN CENTER / HUMAN SERVICES DEPARTMENT  
1000 NW 8th Ave., Hallandale Beach, FL 33009 | (954) 457-1460

**WHAT TO EXPECT:**  
Phenomenal Survivor Stories | Impactful Cancer Education & Prevention | Health Vendors | HIV/AIDS Confidential Testing | Giveaways & More...

**STILETTO BREAST CANCER WALK**  
Sponsored by Fire N Desire

REGISTRATION BEGINS AT 8AM & WALK STARTS AT 8:30AM  
REGISTRATION FEE: \$10.00 (\$5.00 FOR SENIORS 60+)  
Proceeds benefit a local cancer organization or patient. First 10 registrants receive a FREE T-shirt! (786) 362-1518.

Lunch will be provided to all attendees.  
Let's wear something pink to show our support for Breast Cancer Awareness. For more information, contact the Human Services Department at (954) 457-1460. Special thanks to our confirmed sponsors and vendors.



In recognition of #BreastCancerAwareness month we invite you to attend our Breast Cancer events taking place this October. Last year, Memorial Health donated T-Shirts that were made available to Fire Department staff with the goal of raising awareness of Women's Health Care. The shirts were designed by Fire Inspector Yvonne Feijoo as part of the annual observance of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.



 View last year's Annual Breast Cancer Speeches



**Come Join Us**  
October 6, 2018  
"AS WE GET OUR WALK ON FOR A CURE"  
Beginning at the "New"  
OB Johnson Park/Austin Hepburn Center  
1000 NW 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue  
Hallandale Beach, Florida 33009  
Round Trip on Martin Luther King Jr. Avenue  
(NW 8<sup>th</sup> Avenue)  
from Pembroke Road  
to Hallandale Beach Boulevard  
As  
**FIRE N DEZIRE**  
Sponsors a  
**STILETTO BREAST CANCER WALK**  
Cost is \$10.00 and \$5.00 for Seniors (Age 60+)  
**PROCEEDS WILL BENEFIT LOCAL CANCER ORGANIZATIONS**  
First 10 people registered will receive a free t-shirt!

Registration starts at 8:00 am  
Walk begins at 8:30 am  
Hepburn Center  
1000 NW 8<sup>th</sup> AVE  
Hallandale Beach, Florida 33009



Following the walk join the Annual Women's Cancer Event where you can get information about Preventing, Living, Handling & Surviving Cancer.

Refreshments, Door Prizes, and Raffles

For more information contact Fire N Desire at 786-362-1518  
or  
The Hepburn Center at 954-457-1460



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**Share your support by posting your picture on social media using #HBPINK**



## 2018 ANNUAL COMMUNITY THANKSGIVING LUNCHEON

The holiday season is around the corner and the Hallandale Beach Human Services Department invite you to the Annual Thanksgiving Community Luncheon, on Thursday November 22, 2018 from 10AM - 12PM at the Hepburn Center at OB Johnson Park, 1000 NW 8th Avenue.

Participants may enjoy a free hot meal, great socialization and entertainment. RSVP is required. Volunteers are also being requested to assist with greeting, serving, and clean up.

For information and to RSVP, please call 954-457-1460

## TURKEY FRYER SAFETY 101

Here are few Helpful hints when it comes to Turkey Frying.

- NEVER.....** Leave turkey fryers unattended.
- NEVER.....** Overfill the fryer. Spills can ignite nearby combustibles.
- NEVER.....** Heat oil above the recommended temperature. The oil could ignite if overheated.
- NEVER.....** Move the fryer once it is in operation and several hours after to allow a cool down.



- ALWAYS ..** Follow the fryer manufacturer's recommendations for use.
- ALWAYS ..** Use a thermometer to gauge food temperature.
- ALWAYS ..** Keep children and pets away from the fryer during cooking and several hours after use.
- ALWAYS ..** Thaw your turkey completely before placing it in the fryer. Water and oil do not mix.
- ALWAYS ..** Make sure the oil is completely cooled before removing it from the fryer.
- ALWAYS ..** Place fryers on a flat, stable surface. Spills could ignite nearby combustibles.
- ALWAYS ..** Use turkey fryers outdoors.

### In case of fire, immediately call 9-1-1

- Keep an all-purpose fire extinguisher nearby
- Never use water to extinguish a grease fire
- Never try to fight the fire, get your family to a safe place and CALL 9-1-1
- Remember to get out and stay out.

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## 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](http://cohb.org/HallandaleHappenings) and clicking "Keep Me In the Happenings"

