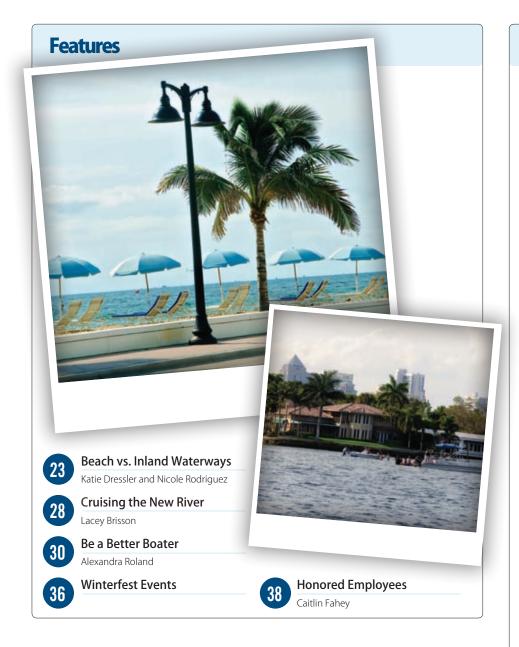
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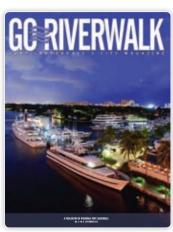


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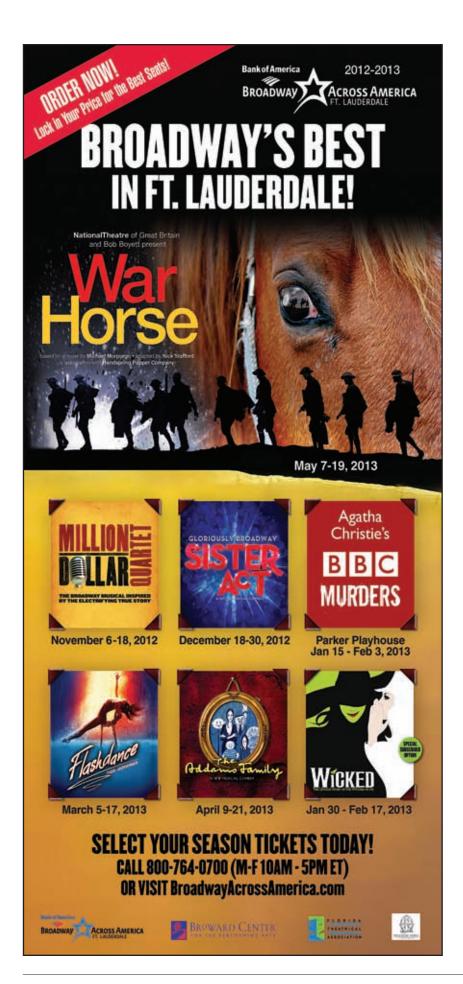
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City Renaissance

New Projects, Restaurants and Events Energize Fort Lauderdale



By Courtney Callahan Crush Chair, Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale

It is an honor to "take up the gavel" as the Chair of the Board for **Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale**. I look forward to helping lead

the organization in furthering our mission and implementing our goals for the coming years. I would like to thank our past Chair, Mark Budwig, for the hard work, dedication and leadership that he has provided to our board and to our organization for the last two years. I know that Mark will continue to work for the betterment of both Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and of our great City.

Our City is poised to enter a muchanticipated renaissance. The Broward Center for the Performing Arts is under renovation, construction has started on the new Broward County Courthouse, new businesses are opening, new Riverwalk and City activation events are planned and new residents are moving to **The Venice of America**. The recent openings of many new restaurants and pubs along Las Olas Boulevard gives our residents and visitors new and exciting options for dining and meeting up with friends. The beach, both north and south of Las Olas, is enjoying a revival as many of the existing retail stores are converted to new restaurants and as many of the buildings are rebuilt and renovated to bring a new vibrancy to one of our crowning jewels.

Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and its publication Go Riverwalk Magazine will continue to be a "one-stop" source for the variety of events everyone enjoys along the Riverwalk as well as in the Downtown Riverwalk District. I am excited to say that our board and staff have many great ideas and plans to continue and improve the activation of the Riverwalk and the Downtown. Our board is energized and ready to work together with our community in our role as advocates of the Riverwalk to promote Fort Lauderdale as the best live-work-play city in Florida.

We all look forward to the coming cooler months to enjoy the great activities that happen along our river and on our Riverwalk.



Riverwalk on Video

Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale welcomes new corporate members The Media Lab, who will be creating videos of Riverwalk events. The first one, created by Nadine and John Floyd, is about Riverwalk's September Mutts and Martinis event. Check it out! http://tinyurl.com/9t8m2zd

With the change in weather comes the return of many residents and visitors to our little **paradise**. While there are a few more cars on the road during the season, with that comes a **rejuvenation** of our public spaces and active uses of our businesses. I know we all look forward to welcoming the weather as well as the visitors.

As the Chair of Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, I'd like to encourage you all as my neighbors and partners to **engage** with us in our ongoing efforts. I hope that you continue to enjoy the Riverwalk's amenities and welcome your thoughts on how we can continue to enhance the **Riverwalk District** experience for neighbors and visitors alike.

In the coming months, I look forward to sharing some of the exciting happenings and I hope to See You on The Riverwalk. ⁽¹⁾



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Riverwalk's New Projects

New Trees, Signs, Events and a Park Rededication



By Genia Duncan Ellis President/CEO, Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale Photography by Jason Leidy

This past year has been a busy season for sure. Here are some of the

projects **Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale** has been working on:

- We funded 23 new **recycling bins** installed along Riverwalk.
- Riverwalk provided funding for eight new **arbor trees** to be planted.
- We participated in the **rededication** of Riverwalk as one the select medallion sites in the United States and honored **EDSA** by the **American Society of Landscape Architects**.
- Riverwalk coordinated the acquisition and installation of new lights surrounding the Police Memorial.
- We designed and implemented a wayfinding system on Riverwalk to assist visitors in finding key sites on both sides of the New River and surrounding area.
 - Riverwalk acquired and installed 150

new **banners**, which are placed on both sides of the river.

• And we hosted a large variety of new events ... with more to come. We continue to research and incorporate new programs and to engage with the community in identifying additional projects that will encourage public use of this valuable asset in **Downtown**.

RiverwalkFL Kickball League Starts In October

Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, the Downtown Development Authority and Kickball.com present a new fun Monday night league coming to Huizenga Plaza ... playing kickball under the big lights! This new amateur league is guaranteed to generate lots of fun! The league is formed to encourage Downtown residents, business folks, students and those interested in a little early evening exercise, fun and networking to come and play! The third inning will be known as "fiasco," meaning beware, something is going to change and you best to be ready. You can

bring your own team or just sign up and join a newly forming team. The season is short and will end with a great end of season bash! For more information or to join a team, sign up at www.kickball.com/flriverwalk.

A few other **surprise** events are headed your way so be sure to follow us on our web page, Facebook or Twitter.

We welcome our **new members** and **board members** and look forward to a great new season of adventure! There are a number of capital projects on the drawing board and we hope to implement this year and we continue to look for innovative ways to activate Riverwalk and Downtown.



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Left Students from Conservatory Prep Senior High School in Davie learn about Fort Lauderdale by studying images on the wrapped utility boxes Downtown. Photo by Andy Mikulski

Bottom Right A rendering of the new Broward County Courthouse. Courtesy of Broward County

Students Learn Through Artful Wraps

Wrapped Utility Boxes Invite Curious Investigation



By Chris Wren, DDA Executive Director Downtown Fort Lauderdale

• What began as a simple project to beautify utilitarian eyesores has garnered a surprising amount of attention since its introduction this

spring. The wrapped utility boxes at Downtown intersections have proven to be like gift wrapped boxes that keep on giving, with the latest focus being a scavenger hunt led by Conservatory Prep teacher, Traci Haberland. On Aug. 24, students from grades nine through 12 scoured Downtown to learn about culture and history in Fort Lauderdale, utilizing the box wraps.

The Conservatory Prep Senior High School is an arts and experiential learning academy based in Davie, with a college-preparatory curriculum. "The scavenger hunt was an effort to acquaint students with local culture, so we started with

our own backyard, Downtown Fort Lauderdale," said Dr. Wendy Hirsch Weiner, principal of the school. "Kids don't know our local culture in the city. So it was up to them to navigate the streets of Downtown and investigate each box to determine: 'Why was that image chosen and what does it depict?' 'How do the images of the buildings represent Fort Lauderdale architecture?" 'What kinds of plants are shown on the wraps?"

A big challenge for the students was getting to the boxes in the first place. Many of them were unfamiliar with navigating a street grid and had to establish directions. "The scavenger hunt helped with critical thinking skills. It made them more aware. Many of them said, 'I never noticed these plants and buildings.' They also became aware of what a large role the marine industry plays in Fort Lauderdale. Most of them don't live on waterways, so they hadn't made that connection until this project," Dr. Weiner explained.



Third Annual Day of the Dead

• Get ready for the return of FAT Village's signature event, Dia de los Muertos. Day of the Dead is fun for all ages and is an event that respects the cultural integrity of the holiday tradition, but also expands it toward a modern aesthetic by providing a memory for the dead and a party for the living. A preview of the event gets underway Saturday, Oct. 27, before the big day on Friday, Nov. 2. Expect a night jam-packed with activities, including: the always original Skeleton Processional with giant puppets, major installation art exhibitions, live music on the Boneyard Bandstand, traditional Ofrendas, Flight of the Mariposas, Los Angelitos Crafts, Mexican food trucks, Circus Basura, low riders, skull mask making, Dr. Sketchy's Art Class, live body painting, the Craft Crypt, interactive performances, Mariachi music and more! Check out: www. dayofthedeadflorida.com.

The New County Courthouse Breaks Ground

• After years of planning, the new County Courthouse project has finally commenced! More than 200 people gathered on Aug. 21 to watch the groundbreaking ceremony for the demolition of the parking garage, which will be replaced by the new courthouse. The \$213 million project is scheduled for completion in 2015, replacing the current 52-year-old building that has been fast deteriorating. This is a pivotal development for Downtown Fort Lauderdale, whose completion will be sandwiched between those of two other major projects — All Aboard South Florida in 2014 and the Wave Streetcar in 2016.







Sail On

Artistic Sailboat Sculptures Dock in Fort Lauderdale with Full Sails Public Art Project



By Samantha Rojas

• More than 10 years ago, the city of Chicago, then the nation, and then the world, were introduced to an artful phenomenon with Cows on Parade.

The idea was the brainchild of Swiss artistic director Walter Knapp, influenced by a similar exhibition of lions on display around the city of Zurich, first in 1986. With local artists, architects, photographers, designers and celebrities painting and decorating Fiberglas statues that were placed around the city for several months, a city became unified with identity, creativity and fun. Brilliant!

The Chicago public art project attracts tourism dollars while showcasing local talent and stirring creative energy and contributing revenue. After each exhibition, the cows are auctioned off and the money donated to

many different charities. During its 12-year run, it is estimated that Cows on Parade has raised more than \$20 million for charitable organizations around the world.

For this reason, Fort Lauderdale may be pleased to welcome Prince Media Development and its founder Heather Bettner with a similar project called Full Sails in Fort Lauderdale Public Art Project. In 2009, Bettner placed Fiberglas peacock sculptures around Coconut Grove; spearheaded the South Miami Manatee Fest in 2010; and in 2011, rolled out SmARTy Dogs for SmART Schools in Pinecrest. She has been gearing up for the City of Fort Lauderdale and its sunny shores, developed around its signature waterways, populated by a vivacious sailing community and passionate about its arts and local talent. In all three cases the one-of-a-kind artworks were sold off months later at auction. The money benefited local schools and community charities.

Today, Prince Media Development is busy producing seven-foot tall sculpted sailboats based on Bettner's original design, each 53 inches bow to stern, with a billowing, prominent sail. The Fort Lauderdale Wave Wall is depicted in the base of each boat, to give an even deeper connection to the community. To date, more than 100 local artists have come forward to paint and Bettner is seeking local and national corporations, organizations and individuals to come forward to **sponsor** the boats. The boats will be finding their way to assorted spots around town, in the parks, public rightof-ways and private landscapes in the City of Fort Lauderdale.

Boat sculptures for Full Sails in Fort Lauderdale will start appearing at select promotional locations in October with the actual installations starting in January. The public will be given one year to develop a relationship with them and make memories through photos before they will be auctioned to raise much-needed funding for recreational programs created through the Fort Lauderdale Parks and Recreation Department.

While Fort Lauderdale has long been known nationally and internationally as a vacation destination for its sun, surf and sand, the allure of a sailing motif public art exhibition in a city that is home to one of the largest international boat shows, in a state that is the Yachting Capital of the World, is an easy, creative coup. This art project with its seven-foot sailboat sculptures will complement the upcoming Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show. @

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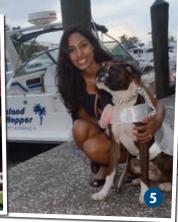
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Riverwalk Mutts and Martinis

Presented By Larry and Cathy Danielle - U-Pull-It of Broward

Photos by Que Bella Photography

• Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale recently hosted the seventh Riverwalk Mutts & Martinis Presented by Larry and Cathy Danielle of U-Pull-It of Broward. Fort Lauderdale's largest outdoor pet-friendly cocktail hour was held along the Riverwalk at the Briny Riverfront Bar and Restaurant.

Human and dog guests came together for a night of celebration and networking on the Riverwalk along the historic New River. Attendees enjoyed cocktails, appetizers, a pet themed silent auction, live music, a doggie fashion show and lots of fun activities and vendors for their pets. The event raised funds for Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, a nonprofit organization that serves as a catalyst in building and nurturing a vibrant community

centered along the New River. One dollar of each ticket sold was contributed back to the Humane Society of Broward County.

Huge thanks to the Riverwalk Mutts & Martinis planning committee members Cathy Danielle, Marti Metzger, Lee Sheffield, Jim Farrick, Michelle Tuggle, Katie Leibick and Connie Loewenthal for all their help in making another successful event.

In addition we would also like to thank our major sponsors Cathy and Larry Danielle – U-Pull-It of Broward, Country Inn Pet Resort and Animal Hospital, Briny Riverfront Bar and Restaurant, New Times, BIG 105.9, American Laser Skin Care, Pompano Pet Lodge, Victoria Park Animal Hospital, Premier Beverage, Three Olives S'mores Vodka and Arfington Pet Resort.

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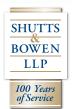




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Riverwalk Linear Park Rededication Ceremony

Photos by Jason Leidy

On Sept. 10, the American Society of Landscape Architects came to Esplanade Park in Downtown Fort Lauderdale to rededicate the Riverwalk Park as one of the iconic public spaces in the nation. Numerous local and state officials and dignitaries attended the brief afternoon ceremony to join in the national recognition of the Riverwalk Park as a treasured location and destination. This dedication was one of many in the ASLA's "Celebrate Our Public Landscapes" campaign, which highlights the role landscape plays in an improved quality of life and physical wellbeing. Riverwalk is one of three prestigious works of Landscape Architecture in the State of Florida that were rededicated. @





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Ban Cancer

Presented by the Richard J. Fox Foundation and Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale

Photos by Que Bella Photography

On Sept. 6, the Richard J. Fox Foundation hosted its first outdoor concert event, Ban Cancer, in Huizenga Plaza. The event featured Roberto Perera, jazz musician Terry Wollman, Blue Fire Band, White Collar Crime and the Unusual Suspects. Ann Marie Fox, chair of the Fox Foundation, lost her husband, Richard Mancuso, to pancreatic cancer in January and put this event together in an effort to promote awareness of all cancers. The net proceeds from this event were made in memory of Richard Mancuso, 2012 Citizen of the year, to Holy Cross Hospital in Fort Lauderdale, the Lombardi Cancer Center at Georgetown University, Virginia G. Pier Cancer Center and Melanie Strudler Legacy Fund.

Attendees were treated to an outdoor concert, drinks from America's Backyard and the Budweiser Trucks, and had access to six of the South Florida Food Trucks. VIP guests lounged in their own area in the park with access to an open bar provided by Johnny V's and libations from Southern Wine and Spirits. Food was served by Ernie's BBQ.

A very special thanks to all who helped make this event happen; Southstream Consulting, HM Graphic Design, The Floridian Restaurant, Ernie's BBQ, the Riverside Hotel, Johnny V's restaurant and lounge, Agritrade, Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, the Downtown Development Authority and the City of Fort Lauderdale. @



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The Beach VS Inland Waterways

Which Local Water Locale is Better?



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The beach or inland waterways ...

Both give Fort Lauderdale a definitive character and provide unique opportunities for dining and recreation that are unparalleled by any other city... or by any other body of water. Two locals make their cases for their favorite water locale in Fort Lauderdale.

The Case for Inland Waterways By Katie Dressler

Charmingly dubbed The Venice of America, Fort Lauderdale is built along the Intracoastal Waterway and the famed New River and is interlaced with a series of smaller rivers and canals that flow throughout the city. These waterways lend to travel, dining and leisure and also carry with them a rich history that has shaped Fort Lauderdale into the city we know it as today. The historic New River has been the backbone of Fort Lauderdale's history and commerce, from the fort built by Major Lauderdale to Frank Stranahan and his trading post. It has also played a major role in formation of Downtown Fort Lauderdale (both historic and modern) and is lined by our famous Riverwalk.»



The Case for the Beach By Nicole Rodriguez

It's no wonder that Fort Lauderdale Beach, in all its sunsational glory, has been a tourist hot spot for decades. With its awardwinning wave wall, seven miles of sandy beach and a stretch of sidewalk cafes and restaurants boasting a plethora of cuisines whilst offering guests the chance to drink in the breathtaking views of the Atlantic Ocean, there's no other seaside strip like it. This former spring break haven revamped as a year round coastal paradise for vacationers and locals alike has a variety of offerings but only the best take place beachside. >>

- Katie Dressler is a Fort Lauderdale native with a bachelor's degree in business administration and concentration in marketing from Loyola Marymount University. She oversees administration and development at Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale.
- Nicole Rodriguez is a graduate of the University of Central Florida, with a bachelor of arts degree in English. She is a freelance writer and currently serves as a development and special events assistant at the Museum of Discovery and Science in Downtown Fort Lauderdale.



>> The New River and the Intracoastal Waterway provide the perfect opportunities for one of the most popular up-and-coming sports – paddleboarding. While you can still have fun paddling at the beach, the waves can certainly put a damper on the fun (literally), but both beginner and experienced paddlers alike can enjoy a beautiful day paddling up and down the New River without having to worry about the temperamental tides. Grab some friends and some libations and paddle out to the sand bar (now known as The Triangle, located at the junction where the New River and the Intracoastal Waterway meet) for a day of fun in the sun at one of the best lesser-known party spots.



» One sport ever growing in popularity is paddleboarding and you need only a sense of balance and a strong set of abs to test it out. For those willing to brave the waves and stand up on the open waters, literally, there's nothing like the standup paddle boarding experience ocean-style. For those seeking a true "ah" moment that defines the ocean at its most picturesque, sacrifice those Z's and take a sunrise paddle trip, something you're simply not going to get while on the Intracoastal.



» There have been many beautiful parks strategically placed along the New River to allow locals and visitors to enjoy gorgeous water views and fun activities without having to worry about pesky beach sand getting everywhere, lugging hefty beach chairs and umbrellas, or having to fight a mob scene to find a good parking spot. Esplanade Park, located across the street from the Museum of Discovery and Science, is in the heart of the Riverwalk Arts and Entertainment



District and features a gazebo that functions as a dynamic space, allowing for all types of events. On Oct. 18, the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation and Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale team up again to present Rocktoberfest, an outdoor music and beer festival, taking place in Esplanade Park – and it promises to be a rockin' good time! Also keep an eye out for the Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show Kick Off Party to be held in Esplanade Park on Oct. 11. For more information about upcoming events and happenings in the Downtown and Riverwalk areas, visit www.goriverwalk.com.





>> Why not continue the workout with a little beach volleyball? With the ocean as your backdrop, win or lose, it's a win-win situation. The perfect place to do so is at Fort Lauderdale Beach Park located at Seabreeze Boulevard. Another perfect way to take advantage of the beachside scenery is to well, run alongside it. Fort Lauderdale Beach and A1A play a major role in some of the most scene-setting 5K runs and marathons throughout the year. The fall season has some scenic races in store. Upcoming races include the Allstate Insurance 13.1-mile half marathon being held Nov. 11, and the second annual Turkey Trot and Paddle presented by Emerge Broward on Thanksgiving day, Nov. 22.



» If you are in pursuit of multiple dining options with breathtaking waterfront views, the New River and Intracoastal have you covered! Grill 66 and Bar at the Hyatt Regency Pier 66, located off of 17th Street Causeway, offers food aficionados the perfect mixed menu paired with stunning views of the marina and the lavish yachts that are docked there. Or, if you're looking for something with a more casual feel, visit the historic Downtowner Saloon located on the south side of the New River.



» From day to dark, nothing beats dining beachside and whatever your fancy Fort Lauderdale beach has the just the right meal (or drink) ticket for you. One of the best watering holes offering up creative specials throughout the week and spectacular rooftop views of the ocean would have to be McSorley's Beach Pub located on A1A and Fort Lauderdale Beach Boulevard.

And during October, participating Fort Lauderdale restaurants offer **Dine Out Lauderdale**. Thirty-five restaurants offer specially crafted three-course menus for \$35 through Nov. 8. Some locations with **ocean views** we love include **Via Luna** at the **Ritz-Carlton** and **Spazio's** along A1A. For a complete list, visit www.sunny.org/dineout. Other favorites participating include **3030 Ocean** at the **Harbor Beach Marriot Resort and Spa**, and **Steak 954** at the **W**. ⁽¹⁾





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Cruising the New River

How Locals Spend a Day on the Water in Fort Lauderdale



BY LACEY BRISSON · PHOTOGRAPHY BY JASON LEIDY

y husband, Zane, and I relocated to Fort Lauderdale from North Carolina in November 2009. We love the water and you will find us cruising the New River and the Intracoastal Waterway in our boat,

Flat Bottom Girl. Why the name? It is a 23-foot Bateau, or flat

bottom boat, that was built for us by Jones Brothers Marine in Morehead City, N.C.

We enjoy short rides to eat at places such as The Rendezvous or Southport Raw Bar for dinner during the week. On the weekends, you can find us on the water meeting friends either at the sandbar, John U. Lloyd State Park or even going down to

While traveling the New River through Downtown, everyone is always cheerful.

Haulover Inlet.

On most Sundays, we cruise to the **Downtowner** for Sunday brunch followed by an afternoon on the water. When it comes time to attend an event at Esplanade Park or Huizenga Park, we will usually go by boat. The Riverwalk is also a great place to take a stroll while listening to the musicians at the Sunday Jazz Brunch, or after happy hour at one of the local watering holes on Himmarshee Street. With the addition of the new floating docks, it makes it a lot easier to tie up on the river and enjoy all that Downtown has to offer.

While traveling the New River through Downtown, everyone is always cheerful. Friends wave to friends and complete strangers wave to each other. There is a feeling of calmness on the water. This is why we love calling Fort Lauderdale home!

■ Lacey Brisson is the Commercial Sales and Marketing Officer for BB&T's Florida Regions. She is also on the boards of Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and the Winterfest Boat Parade. Zane Brisson also works for BB&T and is on the Marine Advisory Board.





Top & Middle Lacey and Zane Brisson with their boat, Flat Bottom Girl, along the

Bottom The Brissons chat with bartender David Josefski at the Downtowner along the New River.



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All Aboard

How to Be a Better Boater on Fort Lauderdale's Waterways



BY ALEXANDRA ROLAND



o some, boating is an art — a synergy between a captain and his or her vessel, a sophisticated and entrenched tradition that the city of Fort Lauderdale was built on. To others, though, it can be disastrous and even dangerous if proper care and precautions are not taken. In this unique city, where the waterways are at our fingertips, boating is a pastime fixture; the more familiar boat owners are with the sport, the better boaters they will be.

Alex Wilkes and Juan Pasch, sales representatives at Denison Yachts, are no strangers to the yachting industry or beginning boaters for that matter. These two boat enthusiasts were recent captains aboard the Beneteau Swift Trawler 34 that finished its approximately 4,500-mile Greatest Loop journey in September, which began in Annapolis, Md. Locally speaking, these experts, both familiar with

Left Alex Wilkes on board the Beneteau Swift Trawler 34. the unique water highways of Fort Lauderdale, weigh in on how to be a **better boater** on the waterways of the city.

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Changes On Board the 53rd Annual Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show

The water highways of the city offer a perspective reminiscent of Fort Lauderdale's marine roots. **Navigating** your vessel through the waterways in the best way possible maximizes what the Venice of America has to offer.

Head over to the **53rd Annual Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show** the end of this month to learn about the newest trends and gadgets in **boating**.

This year, attendees at the show, scheduled for Oct. 25 through 29 at the Bahia Mar Yachting Center, will be greeted by a freshly designed **show entrance** and guided through the pedestrian-friendly layout with newly designed navigation and **communication** tools. Introduced at last year's show, the smart phone app, **MyBoatShow**, has been upgraded.

New this year, attendees will enter the in-water portion of the show at the Bahia Mar Yachting Center through the new **Performance Village**, located along H/I Dock. This redesigned section of the show will feature a layout highlighting the boats and accessories comprising the performance boat market, including new boats from industry leaders.

Covering six locations with more than 3 million square feet of space, the show's **network** of water taxis, riverboats and shuttles **transports** visitors to see an array of boats ranging from super-yachts to fishing boats, runabouts and boats for every budget.

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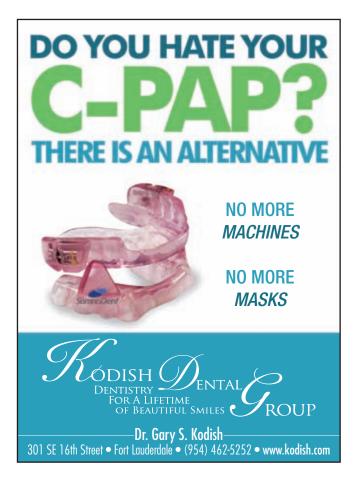
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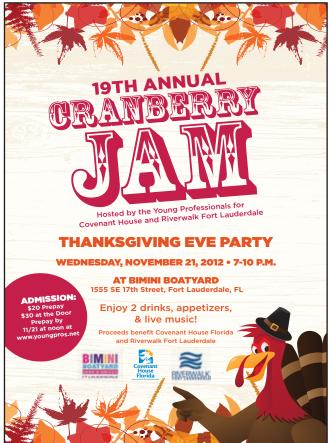
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Get to Know the Ropes

Just after purchasing a boat, consult with an experienced captain, perhaps bringing him or her on board to show you the "ins" and "outs" of commanding your new vessel. Pasch recounts horror stories of new boats meeting their demise at the hand of poor docking practices.

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A six pack captain's license, that is. Taking boating education courses and referring to material published by resources such as the Coast Guard Auxiliary equips boaters with technical knowledge they need to be able

> to captain a boat safely. Classes include "About Boating Safety" and "How to Read a Nautical Chart."

Know the 411 of Your **Waterways**

Rivers, waterways, beachfronts ... you name it, Fort Lauderdale has it. According to Pasch, knowing the intricacies relevant to the different watercourses, especially when it comes to safety, is essential. Some boaters "don't know how to handle waves," Pasch said. Changes in weather can cause sudden and unstable boating environments. Being aware of your location and having

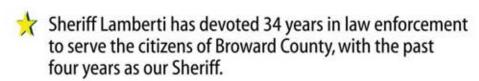
a handle on proper communication will make you a better boater. Resources like Navionics, a \$15 smart phone application, supply electronic navigation charts for marine use and provide information on current, tide and wind forecasts. The Coast Guard Auxiliary offers boaters knowledge on how to handle situations on the

Equip Your Boat With Helpful Devices

Make your initial introduction to boating a little easier with devices such as a wireless remote and bow and stern thrusters for increased maneuvering control. For more experienced boaters, staying up to date with the latest technologies is key.

Alexandra Roland has a bachelor of science degree in print journalism from the University of Miami. She is a freelance writer in the South Florida area and founder of a.p.r. Consulting, a fullservice communications firm.





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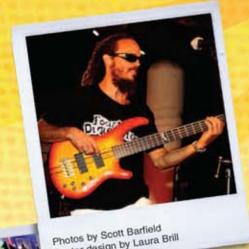


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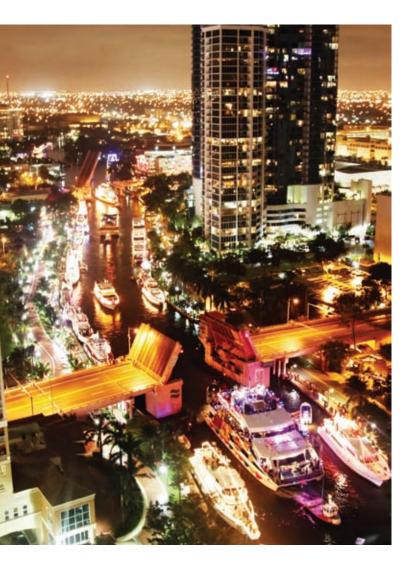
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Dec. 15 • 6:30 p.m.

Starting on the New River in Fort Lauderdale and traveling to the Intracoastal north to Lake Santa Barbara in Pompano Beach.

The 41st Annual Boat Parade will stage on the New River along the docks west of Stranahan House to the Broward Center for the Performing Arts. The Parade travels east to the Intracoastal Waterway as it continues north to Lake Santa Barbara in Pompano Beach. From the vast numbers of private boats to the giant showboats and corporate mega yachts, the 100 parade entrants will be adorned with hundreds of thousands of lights, music, entertainment, decorations, celebrities, musical groups, beauty queens and many other exciting entries expected to be viewed by more than 1 million spectators. Boat entries are now being accepted. Free viewing along the parade route. And the parade is streamed live on the Winterfest website on Dec. 15 and later on Comcast "On Demand" on Dec. 22 thanks to WSVN.

GRANDSTAND VIEWING AREA PARTY IN THE PARK

Dec. 15 • Gates open at 3:30 p.m.

Hugh Taylor Birch State Park, Fort Lauderdale

Presented by Perrier. For the best seats on land to view the parade, reserve your grandstand tickets today. All seats are reserved and assigned, located inside Birch State Park. Seats are \$22 per adult and \$17 per child 10 and under (plus tax). Free interactive games for the whole family in the Safety and Family Fun Zone. Stop by the Culinary Courtyard presented by Michelob Ultra to quench your thirst and festival foods — all for sale. Tickets can be purchased at Bennett Auto Supply, Seminole Hard Rock Hotel and Casino and the Winterfest website.



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WINTERFEST® FANTASY BOAT STUDENT ART CONTEST presented by YP...Nov. 10, 2012 Open to 3rd — 5th grade Broward County students — Reception hosted by ArtServe.

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CAPTAIN'S MEETING hosted by West Marine......Dec. 10, 2012

SHORELINE DECORATING EXTRAVAGANZA presented by Universal Property and Casualty Insurance Co.Dec. 12, 2012

Aboard the M/Y Floridian Princess; docked at Coral Ridge Yacht Club.

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Hosted by Riverside Hotel and Stranahan House presented by the Huizenga Family Foundation and U-Pull-It.

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Flavors of Fort Lauderdale	Nov. 8-11	
Broward County Fair	Nov. 15-25	
Strides for Education 5K	Dec.8	
Coral Springs Holiday Parade	Dec.12	
The Riverside Classic Invitational	Dec.14	
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SOBE Wine & Food Festival	Feb. 21-24	
KID DuckFest Derby	Feb. 23	
The Fort Lauderdale St. Patrick's Day Parade and Festival	March 9	
New River Raft Race	March 23	
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EVENT & TICKET INFORMATION 954-767-0686 • winterfestparade.com







Honored Employees

Las Olas Company and Riverside Hotel Dedicate Brick Section with Gratitude



STORY BY CAITLIN FAHEY



Michael Weymouth of the Las Olas Company and Heiko Dobrikow of Riverside Hotel address the group.



Longtime staff members of the Las Olas Company and the Riverside Hotel.



A new section of bricks honors longtime staff members of the Las Olas Company and the Riverside Hotel.

ince 1936, the Riverside
Hotel and the Las Olas
Company have been a large
influence in the Downtown
Fort Lauderdale area. The
hotel offers an iconic home
base for visitors and locals
alike spending a Saturday night out or a lazy
Sunday afternoon on Las Olas Boulevard.

For residents and regulars of the Las Olas area it is obvious how important the Riverside Hotel and the Las Olas Company are to the area, but what is slightly less obvious is the value of the team behind the scenes.

As is true with most organizations, most people rarely think about all those on the team that work to implement the perfect purchase, stay or experience. But recently the management brainstormed on how to express their gratitude for the level and longevity of service staff members provide. Michael Weymouth, president of the Las Olas Company, proposed a perpetual award of sorts to recognize those staff members who have provided the Riverside Hotel and Las

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Olas Company with services for a significant amount of time. Twenty-one current staff members were acknowledged for their services and dedication for 10 years or more.

In August, after a regular staff meeting, the individuals to be recognized were led to the Cheesecake Factory Plaza on Las Olas Boulevard and surprised with a brand new Riverwalk Brick section dedicated "With Gratitude" from the Las Olas Company and Riverside Hotel. Weymouth, Diane D'Angelo and Vann Padgett from Las Olas Company and Heiko Dobrikow from the Riverside Hotel were all present to speak and thank those employees at the dedication ceremony.

The next time you enjoy Las Olas Boulevard or Riverside Hotel, take a stroll down to the corner of Las Olas and Southeast Sixth Avenue and remember all of the people who helped create your experience on Las Olas Boulevard.

"With **gratitude** for your years of **commitment** to the Las Olas Company and Riverside Hotel:"

30 years: Luc Augustin; 27 years: Alienne Alexis; 26 years: William Lambert; 25 years: Sainvertu Rene; 24 years: Arthur Reed; 20 years: Joseph G. Ambrosio; 16 years: Hajnalka Fasi; 15 years: Genita Estelhomme, Blanca Ramirez, Wildel Honore and Jose Arturo Ventura; 13 years: Claudia Forest and Emmanuel Brutus; 12 years: Hughes Morissaint, Eliette Previl and Joel Spector; 11 years: Marie Rose Louis and David Wayne Pryor; 10 years: Samuel McQuennie and Previlus Presume.

Caitlin Fahey coordinates events at Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and has been an enthusiastic part of Riverwalk and Fort Lauderdale since she moved here in 2010.









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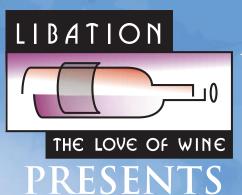












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Tundra

An Icy Experience on Las Olas

By Erik Mathes • Photography by Jason Leidy

Even in this era of crazy climate change, the probability that we'll ever experience snow or hail in South Florida is more miniscule than the chance the Marlins have of snagging a playoff spot.

Despite all that, there still is one way to experience the chill of winter in Fort Lauderdale and you can actually do it year round, thanks to Las Olas Boulevard's icy eatery, **Tundra**.

Don't get me wrong — you won't need to don an overcoat and wool scarf when you

set foot inside Tundra's modern-baroquestyled dining room. The restaurant's concept is based on **ice art**, which means you'll find lavish chiseled ice **sculptures** placed strategically throughout the interior on any given night, as well as ceiling lights encased in what looks like enormous icicles (or, perhaps, gigantic polar bear teeth).

On top of the melting artwork, the decor is marked by gold and silver wallpaper above metallic silver wainscoting, dark wood Venetian blinds, alabaster heads of deer, antelope and moose and wall-mounted planters with purple flowers. The white glass bar lights up at night and the wall tiles beyond

the bar **sparkle** like what you'd imagine to be inside of an elegant arctic abode.

Lunch is a great time to frequent this culinary hotspot, with appetizers such as Kobe meatballs in black truffle Madeira sauce, and artichoke fritters with dill cream, Parmesan and lemon capable of charming the most discerning palates. There are also plenty





of standout entrees, including fennel-dusted sea scallops with pancetta, spinach, saffron risotto and roasted tomato-sherry bisque and cast-iron-seared beef tenderloin medallions with grilled vegetables, roasted garlic mashed potatoes and port wine demi.

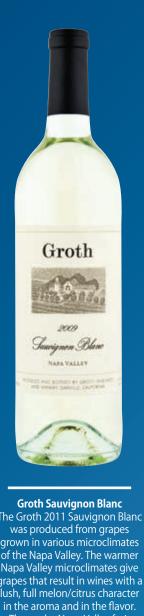
Tundra also serves Sunday brunch, featuring an assortment of egg plates (like the roasted chicken and artichoke frittata) and the ever-popular "bottomless" bloody Mary, the perfect way to get your fix of antioxidants — and your buzz on. If you're feeling green, opt for the "sexy" Caesar salad with white anchovy dressing, chock full of focaccia croutons and topped with a Parmigiano reggiano crisp.

Tundra prides itself on many menu items, but its signature dish is the seafood-shellfish pan roast, a melange of pan-seared diver

scallops, Creole blackened mahi mahi, butterpoached lobster, scampi prawns and steamed mussels in a snapper-fennel-tomato broth with herb toast. Similar to bouillabaisse, this is a fantasy-come-true for lovers of oceanic eats. At \$36, this dish provides bang for your buck when you consider the caliber of proteins used to create it and the fact that each one is prepared in different fashion.

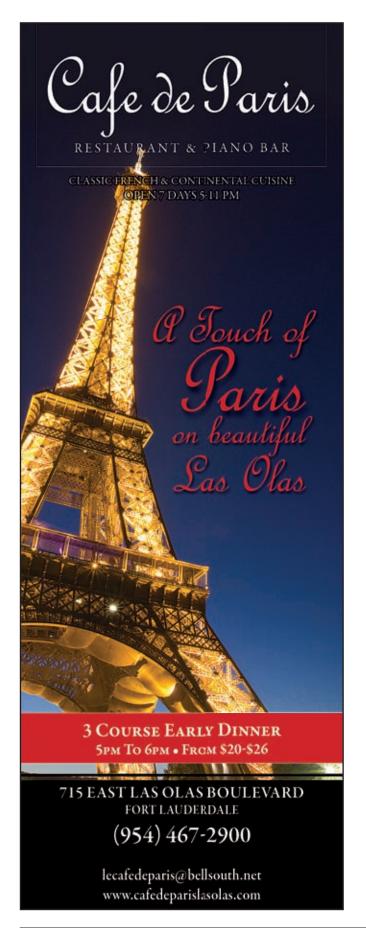
The next time you want to impress people with an innovative take on eating out, take them over to Tundra for a super cool dining experience. At the very least, you'll get some wonderful ideas on how to style the next vacation home igloo you purchase in the Yukon Territory. 60

Tundra Las Olas 1017 E. Las Olas Blvd. (954) 761-2122 www.tundralasolas.com

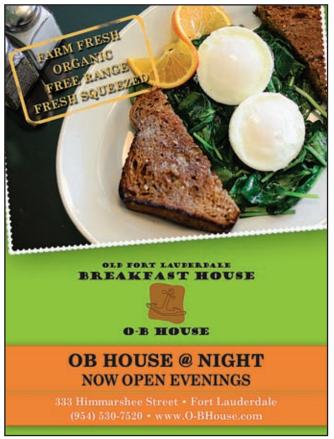


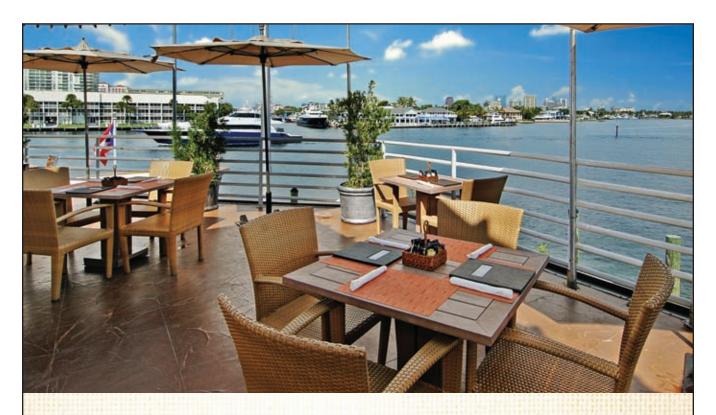
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Erik Mathes is a personal chef, in-home cooking instructor, culinary mentor and food blogger. With his company, Kitchen Coach FL, he has transformed rookie cooks into kitchen all-stars and has cooked for South Florida's elite. Visit www. kitchencoachFL.com.













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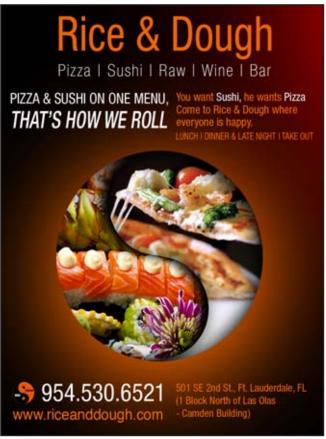










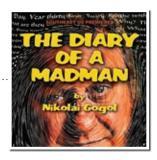






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DAILY EVENTS

ALL IN THE FAMILY **PAINTINGS AND WORKS ON PAPER** BY MEMBERS OF THE GLACKENS **FAMILY**

Through Oct. 7 Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 525-5500

THE DIARY OF A MADMAN Through Oct. 14 Mosaic Theatre (954) 577-8243

EVERGLADES PHOTOGRAPHY CONTEST

Through Oct. 31 Visit the Everglades, take photographs of your trip and post your favorites to the Museum of Discovery and Science's Facebook fan page for a chance to win prizes. All ages are welcome. Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 713-0930

MY WORK AMONG THE **FLORIDA SEMINOLES**

Oct. 1-Dec. 22, 2013 Fort Lauderdale Historical Society (954) 463-4431

HISPANIC-AMERICAN LITERATURE AND IDENTITY IN AN "AMERICAN" PLACE

Oct. 2 The discussion will focus on Hispanic-American Literature, its roots and major themes. **Broward County Main Library** (954) 357-7443

THROUGH GENE'S LENS: RECENT ADDITIONS TO THE GENE HYDE COLLECTION

Oct. 2-Dec. 23 Fort Lauderdale Historical Society (954) 463-4431



BANNED BOOKS WEEK TO KILL A MOCKING BIRD PRESENTATION AND DISCUSSION

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FOURTH ANNUAL FORT **LAUDERDALE GAY AND LESBIAN** FILM FESTIVAL

Oct. 4-7 Classic Gateway Theatre www.flglff.com

GREATER FORT LAUDERDALE ALLIANCE ANNUAL MEETING

Oct. 4 The Greater Fort Lauderdale Alliance's annual meeting is an event that brings together hundreds of Broward County and South Florida business, community and governmental leaders. Seminole Hard Rock Hotel and Casino (954) 627-0133

STONE SOUP **SMART STAGE MATINEE**

Oct. 4 Parker Plavhouse (954) 462-0222

BROWARD ART GUILD 62ND ANNUAL MEMBERS' SHOW

Oct. 4-Nov. 11 Opening reception: Oct. 10, Gallery **Broward County Main Library** (954) 357-7443

TRULUCK'S LUNCHEON THE HEART GALLERY OF BROWARD COUNTY

Oct. 5 Truluck's Seafood Steak and Crabhouse (954) 439-1916

www.BrowardArtGuild.org

COVENANT HOUSE FLORIDA **CASINO NIGHT**

Oct. 5 Lauderdale Infiniti (954) 568-7914



BREAST CANCER LIBRARY CAFÉ "SAVE THE TWINZ" LIVE PINK!

Old Dillard Museum (754) 322-8828

EXHIBITION FINALE FOR "ART FOR ART'S SAKE ... FOR THE

Oct. 5 The finale will feature a cameo virtuoso appearance by Russian born pianist Sofiya Uryvayeva. ArtServe www.VenetianArtsSociety.org

GARDENING IN FLORIDA

Oct. 5 • 9:30 a.m. Learn about gardens and gardening in South Florida. Presented by Fort Lauderdale Garden Club, Inc. Garden Center at Hugh Taylor Birch State Park 3109 E. Sunrise Blvd. (954) 561-8475 www.flgc.org

GLAM-A-THON LIPSTICK LOUNGE

Oct. 5 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts \$125/\$150 VIP; \$45/\$55 www.glam-a-thon.com

"APPROPRIATED GENDER" **EXHIBITION**

Art Fallout: Oct. 6; closing reception: Oct. 12. Exhibition event of 44 artists on three floors. 1310 Gallery (954) 729-5794

GHOST LIGHT SOCIETY THIRD ANNUAL SPEAKEASY SOIREE

Oct. 6 Parker Playhouse (954) 462-0222

THE LAST REEF 3D OPENING **WEEKEND ACTIVITIES**

Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 713-0930



SAVE THE TWINZ LIVE PINK! PRESENTS WOMEN WHO JAM

Oct. 6

In an effort to increase awareness of Breast Cancer and stress the importance of early detection and prevention, Next Weekend Productions has joined forces with the National Association of Black Female Executives in Music and Entertainment. Co-hosted by Local News 10 reporter Constance Jones and radio personality Tamara Gant, the event will feature groundbreaking female artists and musicians in jazz, rhythm and blues, gospel, hip-hop, neo soul, soft rock and spoken word. Broward Center for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

U 12TH ANNUAL FIGHT FOR AIR RUN/WALK

Oct. 6 Huizenga Plaza www Fight For Air Run Walk Fort Lauder dale.org

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- Theme weeks
- End of season bash

Visit www.kickball.com/flriverwalk to join the league or for more information. Sign up as a team or just join!

Fee is \$30 per person-Portion of the funds go to Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale. Start Date is October 29th.

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Oct. 7

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CHEERS FOR CHARITY

Oct. 7-11

Five day wine and food fest to benefit Children's Diagnostic and Treatment Center, Children's Home Society, Jack and Jill Children's Center, Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital, Junior Achievement of South Florida and Sun-Sentinel Children's Fund. Las Olas Blvd, Riverside Hotel and Huizenga Park (754) 422-9463

COMEDIAN WOODY WOODBURY

Oct. 8 Part of the Fort Lauderdale Historical Society Speaker Series. Fort Lauderdale Historical Society (954) 463-4431

SUPER SCIENTIFIC CIRCUS **SMART STAGE MATINEE**

Parker Playhouse (954) 462-0222

MUSEUM OF ART MONTHLY ART ROUNDTABLE

Oct. 9, Nov. 13, Dec. 10 Held every second Tuesday. Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 525-5500

KEIKO MATSUI

Oct. 11 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org



SECOND ANNUAL **BOAT SHOW NIGHT OUT**

Oct. 11 • 6 to 10 p.m. Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and organizers of the Fort Lauderdale International Boat Show will present the second annual Boat Show Night Out, a huge block party taking place two weeks before the boat show, in Esplanade Park on Second Street in Downtown Fort Lauderdale. The free, open-to-the-public event will feature live music, DJs from 99.9 KISS Country and more than 20 gourmet food trucks against a yacht-lined New River backdrop. New to this year's Boat Show Night Out is the KidZone hosted by Bluefoot Pirate Adventures. Kids of all ages can board the custom-built pirate ship and shoot the water cannons or get their faces painted like a pirate. All event proceeds will be donated to Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale.

CELEBRITY CHEF: **RUTH VAN WAEREBEEK**

Publix Apron's Cooking School 6:30 p.m. • Oct. 11 In 1985, Ruth Van Waerebeek sailed the Atlantic Ocean with a friend on a small two-man yacht, stopping in Africa, South America and the Caribbean, and working in restaurants and exclusive resorts along the way. Concha y Toro's official chef and culinary advisor since 2000, Van Waerebeek has published two cookbooks, written for Food and Wine magazine and the Chilean magazine Paula. Menu includes: Baked Scallops on a Bed of Crispy Vegetables and Parmesan Butter; Gratin of Quinoa with Creole-Style Vegetables; Grilled Lamb Chops with Almonds, Green Olives and Mint Salsa; Cold Soup of Red Berries in a Spiced Wine served with Bitter Chocolate Ice Cream. Publix at Plantation 1181 S. University Drive, Plantation (954) 577-0542

THE STARTING PLACE ANNUAL BREAKFAST

Oct. 12 Honoring Senator Nan Rich with the inaugural Sheldon Shaffer Memorial Award Hyatt Regency Pier Sixty-Six





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2012 PROFILES IN LEADERSHIP CRYSTAL GALA

Oct. 13 Presented by Leadership Broward Foundation. The Signature Grand (954) 767-8866

GLAM DOLL STRUT

Oct. 13 Registration in Esplanade Park at Southwest Second Street at Southwest Fourth Avenue, Downtown Fort Lauderdale (across from the Museum of Discovery and Science) www.glam-a-thon.com

ARTS BALLET THEATRE OF **FLORIDA**

Oct. 13-14 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

IN CELEBRATION OF HISPANIC **HERITAGE**

Oct. 16 Symphony of the Americas presents an evening of Spanish Zarzuela works featuring the Wichita Grand Opera production and starring three internationally acclaimed Spanish soloists. **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

THROUGH THE LENS OF A **BOOK LAUNCH AND EXHIBITION**

Oct. 16 **Broward County Main Library** (954) 357-7443

JOHN LEGEND

Oct. 17 Hard Rock Live (954) 797-5531

AUTHOR AND PHOTOGRAPHER **SUSAN BUZZI**

Oct. 16 Launching of new book, "I Am A Strong Woman.' **Broward County Main Library** (954) 357-7443

THE LIFE AND WORKS OF CARTOONIST SYD HOFF

Oct. 17-Nov. 16 The exhibition traces the life, achievement and influences of the prolific cartoonist and author through the curator's visual aids and research.

Broward County Main Library (954) 357-7443

ROCKTOBERFEST

Oct. 18 • 5:30-9:30 p.m. Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation have teamed up for the fourth annual Rocktoberfest, an outdoor beer and food festival featuring four live rock bands at Esplanade Park, 200 S.W. Second St. The event will raise funds for the two local charities. For a \$30 donation, or \$25 prepaid online, guests will be able to sample more than 30 local, craft and imported beers and enjoy live bands that will perform throughout the evening. Tickets may be purchased in advance at www.GoRiverwalk. com or at the door the evening of the event. For more information, call (954) 468-1541 or visit www. GoRiverwalk.com.

MATH ROCKS SMART STAGE MATINEE

Oct. 18 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

GRAPHIC MAGAZINE EXPO "LION 12," ANIMATION OF CARTOON

Oct. 18 Old Dillard Museum (754) 322-8828

20TH ANNUAL HOLLYWOOD **WELCOMES THE STARS**

Oct. 18

This year's star-studded event will feature red carpet arrivals, cocktails, a lavish buffet, live and silent auctions and the exclusive opportunity to meet and mingle with Dennis Haysbert. The Village At Gulfstream Park (954) 537-3324









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27TH ANNUAL FORT LAUDERDALE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL

Oct. 19-Nov. 11 Attend film premieres, parties at area "hot spots," on yachts, on the beach and at FLiFF's year-round theater, Cinema Paradiso. Cinema Paradiso (954) 525-3456

17TH ANNUAL WINES OF THE WORLD

Oct. 19 Wine tasting, silent auction, live auction, dance band, cigar bar and a five-course, gourmet dinner prepared by the 2012 Honored Chef Per Jacobsen and many other local celebrity chefs. This event benefits the Symphony of the Americas. Hyatt Regency Pier 66 www.winesoftheworld.org

LITTLE SHOP OF HORRORS Oct. 19-28

A down-and-out skid row floral assistant discovers an exotic plant with a mysterious craving for fresh blood in this charming spoof of 1950s sci-fi movies from the songwriting team behind Beauty and Beast and Little Mermaid. Fort Lauderdale Children's Theatre Studio Theatre at the Galleria Mall (954) 763-6701

27TH ANNUAL FORT LAUDERDALE INTERNATIONAL FILM FESTIVAL OPENING NIGHT VIP **CELEBRATION**

Oct. 19 The Village At Gulfstream Park www.fliff.com

SERAPHIC FIRE SIMPLE GIFTS

Choral music that inspired America. All Saints Episcopal Church, Fort Lauderdale (954) 467-6496

CASINO NIGHT

Oct. 19 This year's event will feature a James Bond theme. Guests will have an opportunity to try their luck at the gaming tables, bid on silent and live auction prizes and enjoy a dinner buffet. Presented by Gilda's Club South Florida.

Ferrari-Maserati of Fort Lauderdale (954) 763-6776



SESAME STREET LIVE **ELMO MAKES MUSIC**

Oct. 19-21 Parker Playhouse (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

"CHOPIN FOR ALL" CONCERT **SERIES**

Oct. 20 With Connie Chen and Gabrielle **Broward County Main Library** (954) 357-7443

BASKET WEAVING CLASS

Oct. 20 and Jan. 5 Historic Stranahan House Museum (954) 524-4736

A RETURN TO THE ASHCAN

Oct. 20-Feb. 24 Curated by curator and head of collection research, Jorge H. Santis, this exhibition focuses on the pupils of artist and teacher Robert Henri and brings together 40 works by artists of The Ashcan School, an important early 20th century American art movement, from 18 museums and private collections. Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 525-5500

SIXTH ANNUAL CHOCOLATE **EXTRAVANGANZA**

Oct. 20 This event is Broward Meals on Wheels' flagship fundraiser. The evening kicks off with a special VIP Welcome Reception at 6 p.m. and general admission at 7 p.m. with music and entertainment, dessert food stations and a silent auction. The Fishing Hall of Fame Museum (954) 714-6922

25TH ANNUAL LAS OLAS ART FAIR

Oct. 20-21 Bold and vibrant paintings, contemporary and whimsical art, life-size sculptures, photography and jewelry are among the original works of art that transform Las Olas Boulevard into an outdoor art gallery three times a year. Las Olas Blvd. (561) 746-6615



MUSEUM OF DISCOVERY AND **SCIENCE OPEN HOUSE**

Oct. 20 Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 713-0930

PIONEER DAY CELEBRATION Oct. 20

The annual awards recognize individuals and groups who have made significant contributions to the preservation of education. William G. Crawford, Jr. and his wife, Dr. Claire Crawford will be honored.

Historic Oakland Park Elementary School (954) 357-5533

CHOCOLATE DESSERT **PHOTOGRAPHY**

Oct. 21 Gain valuable hands-on experience with styling and photographing chocolate desserts. Featuring Boca's own Top Chef Michael Fox. Galerie Jenner (954) 609-7009

MICHAEL FEINSTEIN

Oct. 22 Hard Rock Live (954) 797-5531

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Oct. 23 The Signature Grand (954) 747-9837

VENETIAN ART SOCIETY GRAND **SALON SERIES**

Oct. 25 The Legend Sings with Leona Mitchell. Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 709-7447

UNYRD SKYNYRD

Oct. 25 Hard Rock Live (954) 797-5531

ADVENTURES IN DARKNESS

Oct. 25 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts www.lhob.org



53RD ANNUAL FORT LAUDERDALE INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW

Oct. 25-29

Attendees at this year's show will be greeted by a freshly designed show entrance and guided through the pedestrian-friendly layout with newly designed navigation and communication tools. Attractive themed areas are being created to engage each marine market's respective fans Multiple Fort Lauderdale locations (954) 764-7642

THE ART OF WINE AND FOOD

Oct. 25

Stephanie Miskew, the Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale's certified sommelier and wine educator, takes attendees on a tasting tour with small dishes to go with the wine. Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 525-5500

BROWARD ART GUILD AND GILDA'S CLUB SOUTH FLORIDA JOINT FUNDRAISER AND EXHIBIT

Oct. 25 **Broward Art Guild Gallery** (954) 537-3370

LAST CALL

Oct. 25-28 Terri Girvin is a New York City actress, stand-up comedian and bartender. "Last Call" is the world premiere of her one-woman show, which takes place during one chaotic bar shift at the New York City bar in which she works. **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

GROSS OUT HALLOWEEN

Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 713-0930

MIAMI CITY BALLET, PROGRAM I

Oct. 26-28 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org





































LEONA MITCHELL MASTER CLASS

Oct. 26

Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 709-7447



Oct. 26 Features opera star Elizabeth Caballero. Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale www.VenetianArtsSociety.org

STICKS AND STONES **SMART STAGE MATINEE**

Oct. 26 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

DAY OF THE DEAD 2012 **CELEBRATION**

Oct. 27 and Nov. 2 Get ready for the return of FAT Village's signature event, Dia de los Muertos. Day of the Dead is fun for all ages and is an event that respects the cultural integrity of the holiday tradition, but also expands it toward a modern aesthetic by providing a memory for the dead and a party for the living. A preview of the event gets underway Oct. 27 before the big day on Nov. 2. www.dayofthedeadflorida.com

FORT LAUDERDALE ANTIQUE AND COLLECTOR FAIRE

Oct. 27-28 **Dolphin Promotions presents** this antiques showcase, with 50 dealers offering quality antiques. collectibles, memorabilia, antique and estate and much more. War Memorial www.dolphinfairs.com

FAB FAUX 2012 THE GREATEST BEATLES TRIBUTE **BAND**

Oct. 27 Parker Playhouse (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

ELIZABETH CABALLERO **LECTURE**

Oct. 27 Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale www.VenetianArtsSociety.org



CROISSANT PARK NEIGHBORHOOD HALLOWEEN PARTY

Oct. 27 Family fun activities, contests, prizes and food will bring mask-popping smiles to everyone's faces. Croissant Park (954) 523-1063

RIVERLAND PARK TRICK-OR-TREAT HALLOWEEN **PARTY**

Oct. 27 Riverland Park (954) 828-5320

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Oct. 27 Esplanade Park (954) 828-5363

14TH ANNUAL LAUDERDALE-BY-THE-SEA CRAFT FESTIVAL

Oct. 27-28 A1A and Commercial Blvd in Lauderdale by the Sea (561) 746-6615

PETER PAN PIRATE PARTY

Oct. 27

Historic Stranahan House Museum (954) 524-4736

RIVERWALK KICKBALL LEAGUE

Oct. 29, Nov. 5, 19 and 26 Fun amateur league with a short season being played in Huizenga Plaza under the lights on Mondays. Times are 6:30, 7:20 and 8:10 p.m. and will consist of five innings, but beware, the third inning is known as "fiasco" when special rules may apply. www.kickball.com/flrivweralk

MURRAY PERAHIA

Oct. 29 **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

BASS PARK SPOOKY HALLOWEEN DANCE PARTY

Oct. 30 Children ages 5 through 11 will enjoy this free event with spooky games, craft projects, food, music and much more. Bass Park (954) 828-8498









Food



Kid's Theater



SMART SALON AT STUDIO SCHOOL

Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale (954) 525-5500

ABSTRACTIONS EXHIBIT

Oct. 30

Oct. 31-Nov. 16 Broward Art Guild Gallery (954) 537-3370

17TH ANNUAL AT&T JEB BUSH FLORIDA CLASSIC

Nov. 1, BeachBash; Nov. 2, Golf Tournament, 65 Roses Gala; Nov. 29-Dec. 1, Fishing Tournament. Sponsored by The Wasie Foundation and Presented by Ford and Premier Beverage. Various locations (954) 739-5006

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BEACHBASH

Nov. 1 • 7:30-10:30 p.m. Dancing, cocktails and tasty delicacies from South Florida's culinary establishments, including Valentino, Truluck's, Tap 42, Bill Hansen Catering, Chef George Catering, Chima, ARC Broward, and Hyatt Regency Pier Sixty-Six. Part of the 17th annual AT&T Jeb Bush Florida Classic, the event is sponsored by the Wasie Foundation and benefits the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation. Hyatt Regency Pier Sixty-Six \$50 and \$100 (954) 739-5006

MOVEMENT FOR CHANGE IT'S TIME TO SOAR

www.iebcf.ora

Nov. 2 Benefits the non-profit group Walking with Anthony. Guests can join Y-100's Michael Yo from "The Yo Show" at the red carpet fundraising event. The evening will also feature an evening of dining, dancing, live entertainment and silent/live auctions, private jet tours and an onsite raffle for a helicopter ride over Miami that night. Hangar 9 at the Fort Lauderdale Executive Airport (866) 954-3344



FIGHT TIME PROMOTIONS MMA FIGHT TIME 12

Nov. 2 War Memorial (954) 828-5380

BIRDING CLASS

Nov. 3

Ascend to Better Birding with birding expert Paddy Cunningham. Bonnet House Museum and (954) 563-5393, ext. 127

STEVEN WRIGHT

Nov. 3 Parker Playhouse (954) 462-0222

MAD FOR MODS GALA

Nov. 3 Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 713-0930

FAMILY FUN SERIES

Nov. 3 Guess How Much I Love You? and I Love My Little Storybook. **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

OELIVER THE DREAM WALK

Historic Stranahan House Museum (954) 524-4736

SIXTH ANNUAL **CHEFS HELPING THE HOMELESS**

Nov. 3

Guests are transported by limousine from a VIP cocktail reception to one of 15 restaurants throughout Broward and Palm Beach, where they enjoy a luxurious one-of-a-kind private dining experience provided by some of South Florida's chefs. Multiple venues (954) 832-7037

HEART

Nov. 4 With special guest Shawn Colvin. Hard Rock Live (954) 797-5531

BONNET HOUSE FINE ARTISTS EXHIBIT

Nov. 5-Jan. 6 Bonnet House Museum and Gardens (954) 563-5393, ext. 127









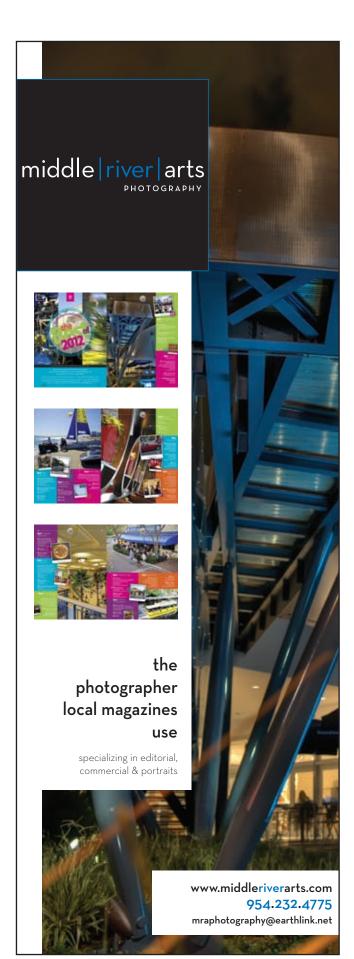














JUNIOR ACHIEVEMENT LIMITED PARTNERSHIP DINNER

Nov. 5 Hugh's Catering (954) 979-7100

MILLION DOLLAR QUARTET

Nov. 6-18 Presented by Broadway Across America. **Broward Center** for the Performing Arts (954) 462-0222 www.browardcenter.org

THANKSGIVING IN OLD FORT LAUDERDALE

Nov. 8 New River Inn (954) 463-4431

WEEZER

Nov. 8 With special guest Ash. Hard Rock Live (954) 797-5531

WOMEN'S LEADERSHIP COUNCIL SECOND ANNUAL MAGNOLIA LUNCHEON

Nov. 8 Benefiting United Way of Broward County. Hyatt Regency Pier 66 (954) 462-4850

THE LIFE AND WORKS OF CARTOONIST SYD HOFF

Lecture by curator Dina Weinstein, who will talk about the life of Syd Hoff, his career, his achievements and his family life. Broward County Main Library (954) 357-7443

FLAVORS OF FORT LAUDERDALE

Nov. 8-11 www.FlavorsFortLauderdale.com

SKYFALL: THE IMAX EXPERIENCE

Nov. 9-Dec. 13 AutoNation IMAX 3D Theater Museum of Discovery and Science (954) 463-IMAX (4629)

JAZZ AND CHOCOLATE

Nov. 9 Bonnet House Museum and Gardens (954) 563-5393, ext. 127



RIVERWALK FORT LAUDERDALE **GET DOWNTOWN**

Nov. 9 • 5-8 p.m. Riverwalk Get Downtown, Fort Lauderdale's largest outdoor cocktail hour, offering the best Flavors of Fort Lauderdale from 20 local restaurants and bars in the courtyard Plaza at Las Olas Place, 333 E. Las Olas Blvd., is back. For a \$25 donation, or \$20 prepaid online, attendees will receive two drink tickets, an array of tastes from local area restaurants and live entertainment. Admission is complimentary for all Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale members at the Riverwalk 100 level and up. For more information, call (954) 468-1541 or visit www.goriverwalk.com.

AUTUMN MOONLIGHT **FUNDRAISING COCKTAIL PARTY**

Nov. 9

The University of Miami and Nova Southeastern University Center for Autism and Related Disabilities' annual Broward County fundraising cocktail. Specialty Automotive Treatments (954) 262-7732

FOURTH ANNUAL **CLIMB FORT LAUDERDALE**

110 Tower Southeast Sixth St. www.fightforairclimbftlauderdale.org

19TH ANNUAL CRANBERRY JAM

Nov. 21 • 7-10 p.m. Hosted by the Young Professionals for Covenant House and Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale. Enjoy two drinks, appetizers and live music. Admission \$20 prepay; \$30 at the door. Prepay by noon Nov. 21 at www.youngpros.net.

ONGOING EVENTS



Bimini Boatyard

◎ RIVERWALK

• Cardio Mix with Josh Hecht 6:30 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays Esplanade Park (954) 790-4953 Times and dates subject to change depending on weather restrictions. For more information, call (954) 468-1541 or visit www. GoRiverwalk. com. Look for additional classes and programs coming soon.

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As a second generation native Floridian, both my husband, Patrick, and I share a strong sense of commitment to the community we call home

Alexandra Anagnostis-Irons

President and Owner, Total Marine Solutions Corporate Trustee

• I started my shipping career in the cruise sector and enjoyed more than 16 years serving in a number of executive roles within marine/ technical operations. I left the cruise industry in September 2000 as Royal Caribbean's director, technical purchasing, to launch Total Marine Solutions. My objective was to develop an organization focused on supplying environmental solutions to ship owners and operators with the highest levels of support and customer service. The combination of strong, long-standing partnerships with solid manufacturers of proven technology and unsurpassed customer focus has proven to be a solid foundation from which Total Marine Solutions has evolved and grown.

I recently joined Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale and am eager to get actively involved to do my part to ensure Riverwalk continues to grow and thrive. As a second generation native Floridian, both my husband, Patrick, and I share a strong sense of commitment to the community we call home, perhaps never more so than during the recent years of economic hardship where so many local businesses have struggled to survive. You can't make a difference until you get involved!

Carmen Camacho

Vice President, Branch Manager, IberiaBank Individual Trustee

• I have 20 years of banking experience, serving clients in the local community. I am a graduate of the University of Peru with a bachelor of arts degree in business administration.

I am a leader in the community and am involved in several organizations including the Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce, Lions Club, American Cancer Society and Junior Achievement. I have been a member of Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale for seven years and feel strong about supporting the goals of Riverwalk – creating a vibrant community along the New River and supporting this lush tropical oasis in the Downtown center of Fort Lauderdale.

My husband, Chase, and I live in Dania Beach. We have two grown sons, Diego and Charles.



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M. Kevin Lawhon, CLU

Managing Partner of Northwestern Mutual, The South Florida Group Corporate Trustee

• After graduating from the University of Central Florida in 1993, I began my career as a Northwestern Mutual representative. Since then, Northwestern Mutual has recognized me nationally on numerous occasions for my effective leadership as well as my dedication to servicing clients.

In 2008, after being appointed managing partner of The South Florida Group, I had a vision to move the organization to Downtown Fort Lauderdale to become a vital member of the Downtown business community. In August, we opened the doors to the brand new office located on the 20th floor of the Broward Financial Center.

While the move to Downtown Fort Lauderdale is new, Northwestern Mutual has served the Fort Lauderdale community for more than 50 years. The mission of The South Florida Group to serve our community one business and one life at a time is being fulfilled by providing more than 30,000 clients financial security — and more than \$10 billion in life insurance protection.

The South Florida Group is excited to be in Downtown Fort Lauderdale and proud to continue its support of Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale. By aligning their missions, both organizations can work together to build a great community and bring awareness, energy and business to the Downtown area.

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Rainer Schindler

Owner, Ragold, Inc. Individual Trustee

O Born in 1959 and raised in Karlsruhe. Germany, I graduated in 1979. After a brief stint at the University of Munich to study law and engineering, I traveled through the United States and never returned.

Fate brought me to Fort Lauderdale where I studied restaurant management at Broward Community College and later hotel management at Florida International University where I received a master's degree in 1989. In 1991, I took a sales position at Ragold Inc., a German candy company, founded in 1887, which had developed brands such as Velamints and Juicefuls.

My expertise in branding and private label development has become a large part of my focus as has the participation in startups such as Cresmati (Creative-Smart-Timely), currently involved in introducing European-style beach chairs (Strandkorb) to South Florida.

I work out, ride a Ural motorcycle, enjoy people and love adventure. I am married to Claudia and have a daughter, Sofia, 11, and a Cairn terrier named RACL.

I joined Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale a few years ago to support its efforts in Fort Lauderdale, to get to know locals and to become engaged in the community. While these goals have not been fully met due to my many travels, I intend to engage more as I develop a local/ regional business presence. 60



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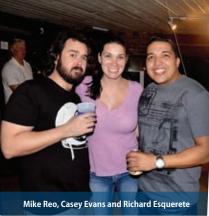
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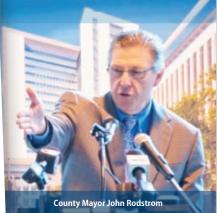
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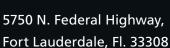
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