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Our 25th Anniversary

And With It, A New Program to Reward Our Members

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In continued celebration of our 25th anniversary, Riverwalk is proud to announce its first Riverwalk Member Rewards program. We are so pleased that business members in the Riverwalk District are joining us to help celebrate — and reward — our members in a very special way. We thank these valued partners for recognizing the importance of Riverwalk and giving back to reward those that share the vision.

As you all know, membership in Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale helps support our mission:

“to be the catalyst in building and nurturing Riverwalk as a vibrant community connected by the New River.”

We implement that through granting opportunities for exercise stations, planters, signage and lighting. Riverwalk also strives to activate the Riverwalk Linear Park and the District with activities ranging from boot camp, yoga classes and paddleboard to foodie events like Burger Battle. Most importantly and often unseen is our advocacy for the Park as we monitor and encourage its improvement and maintenance on a daily basis. And it is our members who understand the importance of an active vibrant Riverwalk in the City that make this possible.

To celebrate this commitment and successes, our valued partners in the Downtown Himmarshee Village Association are giving back to Riverwalk Members. For the calendar year of 2014, Riverwalk Members can now enjoy a 20 percent discount on dining and drinks, and at some of your favorite other establishments located in Himmarshee Village. Members receive a special key tag, which they must show upon arrival to the establishment to receive the discount.

Riverwalk Members (and yes that means the



BY COURTNEY
CALLAHAN CRUSH
CHAIR, RIVERWALK
FORT LAUDERDALE

MEMBER only) will enjoy a 20 percent discount valid at the following participating businesses in Downtown Himmarshee Village for the 2014 anniversary year:

- America's Backyard
- Capone's Fort Lauderdale
- Cycle Party
- Dubliner Fort Lauderdale
- Ebar / Club 13
- Lucky's Tavern
- Himmarshee Public House
- Off the Hookah
- Original Fat Cats
- Poor House
- ROK:BRGR burger bar+ gastropub
- Squiggy's NY Style Pizza
- Tarpon Bend
- T-Mex Cantina

Other restaurants that will honor the 20 percent discount are BurgerFi, at 1465 S.E. 17th St., and Downtowner Saloon, 10 S. New River East, recent corporate members.

Also, coming soon: our Riverwalk member, Carr Workplaces, located at 401 E. Las Olas Blvd., has teamed up with Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale to offer members an exclusive rate on two of its most popular start-up packages, as well as virtual office solutions, meeting rooms and private office contracts. Check out next month's issue of Go Riverwalk for more details.

If you have been considering joining the members of our community who support Riverwalk in its efforts, or if your current Riverwalk membership is set to expire, this is an excellent time to either join us or renew.

Simply go to www.goriverwalk.com/membership. See you on the Walk! @



Enhancing the Riverwalk

Look for Exercise Stations and Beautiful Sculptures Soon

Several very long awaited projects on Riverwalk are in construction!

Soon you will be able to use the new 10 station multi-use exercise equipment on the north side of Riverwalk behind Huizenga Plaza. Through a generous partnership with Patriot National Insurance Group and the City of Fort Lauderdale, we are working hard to help improve your health. Come outside for some fresh river breezes and a little sunshine to couple with a robust walk or run using our new our mile markers to improve your cardio workout! The long awaited ribbon cutting will held as soon as that last bolt is turned! Watch our eblast and web page for the announcement.

Riverwalk is currently raising funds and intends to put a similar station on the south side of the river this year to encourage our residents and businesses on the other side of Riverwalk to expand their workout by doing the full two and a half miles on both sides and use the mile markers to measure ... twice the burn with two systems!

Secondly, the Art in Public Places as a City of Fort Lauderdale initiative will feature sailboats and a beautiful mosaic sailfish to be installed along Riverwalk for your enjoyment. The first two pieces will be at Esplanade Park, including the Riverwalk Sailboat, beautifully painted by local artist Pat Anderson, and the gorgeous



BY GENIA DUNCAN ELLIS
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Artist Pat Anderson with one of the painted sailboat sculptures which will soon be installed along the Riverwalk.



Poster Contest Honors Riverwalk's 25th Anniversary

Help Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale capture the essence of the New River, Downtown Fort Lauderdale and the Riverwalk. We invite artists to submit entries for our 2014 poster contest, in honor of the Riverwalk's 25th anniversary.

Please submit digital entries only no later than Tuesday, April 15, 2014, to magazine@goriverwalk.com.

Mediums may include watercolor, oil, pencil, pen, photography, graphics, and digitized photography, and may be oriented horizontally or vertically. Two-dimensional mediums only, please.

Chosen entries will be considered to be on a future Go Riverwalk Magazine cover and may be turned into a poster.

Questions may be sent to magazine@goriverwalk.com.

PHOTOGRAPHER JASON LEIDY



Nadine Floyd sailfish

mosaic glass sailfish by artist Nadine E. Floyd, another very talented local artist. This art, donated by a variety of sources, will be presented at a ribbon cutting ceremony as each set is completed.


The second series of sailboats will be behind Huizenga Plaza and further east on Riverwalk, and donated by the Downtown Development Authority and the Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale AutoNation Academy of Art + Design.

To be able to add your name to these permanent structures honoring art in public places, call the Riverwalk office for further information or visit www.goriverwalk.com.

com. Any Riverwalk board member will have a brochure for your consideration. We believe that adding art to our public spaces continues to define our City. Watch for our announcement of the ribbon cuttings for these beautiful pieces of art.

We are also working to install game tables strategically on Riverwalk for those of you who might like to play a little Scrabble, checkers or other board game ... find a partner or grab some friends and take on the challenge. We expect these items to be installed by summer.

We are always looking for additional ways to encourage our residents, visitors and business workers to enjoy this beautiful part of our Downtown and if you have suggestions for additions, please call our office and let us know. We love great new ideas.

Be sure to follow our calendar or sign up for our once weekly eblast to find out the latest happenings and events that are headed your way. We think our calendar is the best way to plan for a great day and weekend. 

Courtney Callahan Crush Named Chair of Chamber Board



Courtney Callahan
Crush of Crush Law
has been elected
to serve as the

2014 Chair, Board of Directors of the Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce. Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale extends our congratulations on this fine selection. Crush is certain to lead the Chamber forward in achieving higher economic results and continue steering this important organization to greater success.

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If Downtown Could Talk ...

Catching up with Mr. Downtown

PHOTOGRAPHER KEITH DOUGLAS

Every so often I like to catch up with my friend “Mr. Downtown.” He’s the embodiment of this dynamic place where we live, work and have fun. I had the rare opportunity recently to visit with him and get his take on all his exciting changes happening ...

If you could describe yourself in three words, what would they be?

Urban King-Kong. I’m a city on the move with a population that has more than doubled in the last 13 years. And I’ve only just begun. With the new units on the horizon, my population will continue to expand. And with the Wave Streetcar, new courthouse, expanded Broward Center for the Performing Arts, completed Riverwalk, and All Aboard Florida, the sky’s the limit for me!

What are your hobbies?

People watching, new development and new residents. I love watching all the cranes return to the skyline helping me grow. Did you know I’m expecting more than 5,000 new residential units in the coming years? That means around 10,000 new neighbors will call me home — I can’t wait to meet them! My favorite spots to people watch are Las Olas Boulevard, Himmarshee Village, FAT Village, and the County Courthouse.

How’s your health? Have you had a checkup lately?

My soul and bones are great but I need help with my sidewalks. I have a lot of sidewalks in disrepair with crumbling cement



BY CHRIS WREN,
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DIRECTOR,
DOWNTOWN FORT
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and cracks. Sometimes they’re missing from my streets altogether. It’s important that anybody can utilize my sidewalks whether they’re young, old, handicapped, or Olympic athletes. I’m hopeful I can be patched up soon, though. On the other hand, I have a great heart and my lungs are doing great from all the trees planted in me.


What are your vices?

Cars, tall buildings, and sexy boats. These aren’t exactly vices per se but I gravitate to these like flies on honey. We are in South Florida after all!

What do you do to relax?

Have fantastic festivals with lots of people, food, drinks, fun, laughter and music. I have a different outdoor event just about every weekend! These events are just some of the many things folks like about me over the suburbs. There’s always some fun to be had in my Downtown!

Do you have a girlfriend?

Yes, her name is Vancouver. I don’t see her much and sometimes she’s a bit cold. I am really surprised by her charm and sophistication and she’s a world class foodie. I can only imagine what our kids would be like! 



The original NSU campus on
East Las Olas Boulevard in 1964 (inset)

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Downtowner of the Year

Honoring a Longtime Friend of Downtown

PHOTOGRAPHER JASON LEIDY

What and who is the Downtowner of the Year? The Downtowner of the Year is an event hosted by the Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce's Downtown Council and it is steeped in Fort Lauderdale history. The mission of the Downtown Council is to build and maintain a vibrant business and cultural community in Downtown Fort Lauderdale through communication, collaboration and leadership. The Downtowner honoree is typically someone who is involved in the community and chamber in a variety of ways, such as through volunteering and significant contributions to the Downtown area and community as a whole. The Downtowner of the Year was

founded in 1980. The first honoree was Birch Wiley, followed by such other notable honorees as H. Wayne Huizenga, Congressman Clay Shaw, Jim Blosser, Mayor John P. "Jack" Seiler, Mike Jackson, and last year, Dr. George Hanbury.


This year's Downtowner honoree is Commissioner



BY STEPHANIE TOOTHAKER,
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Romney Rogers. In many ways, Romney Rogers epitomizes what it means to be a "Downtowner." In fact, because of his vision, energy and deep local roots, there is simply no greater friend to our Downtown than Commissioner Rogers.

Commissioner Rogers was born and raised in Fort Lauderdale. He earned his undergraduate degree from Rutgers University and his law degree from Mercer University School of Law. After returning home to Fort Lauderdale in 1978, Commissioner Rogers joined Rogers, Morris and Ziegler, which has the distinct honor of being the oldest law firm in Broward County, and became a partner with the firm in 1981. Commissioner Rogers notes that he is "proud to carry on the tradition of the firm started by his grandfather, Dwight L. Rogers, Sr., in 1925."

Commissioner Rogers served as city attorney for the City of Oakland Park from 1997 to 2002 and as trustee/secretary for the City of Fort Lauderdale Police and Fire Pension Fund. He is a member of the board of directors at SunTrust Bank, Broward Housing Partnership, Inc., and chairman of the Fort Lauderdale Mayor's Prayer Breakfast Committee. In 2009, he was elected as a City Commissioner for the City of Fort Lauderdale from the district in which he grew up, and was elected vice-mayor in 2010. The Rogers family and Commissioner Rogers exemplify the spirit of the Downtowner. Their multi-generational commitment to Fort Lauderdale can be summed up by a simple statement from his firm's website: "Since 1925, Rogers, Morris and Zeigler has believed in the immense potential of South Florida and has worked tirelessly in court, in Congress and in the community for the greater good of our families, associates, clients and friends." This year's Downtowner will take place on Thursday, March 27, at the Global Grill, at First Baptist Church of Fort Lauderdale, 301.E. Broward Blvd., from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. I hope you can join us in honoring Commissioner Romney Rogers. 



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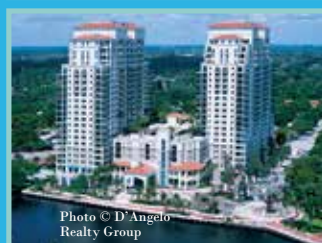
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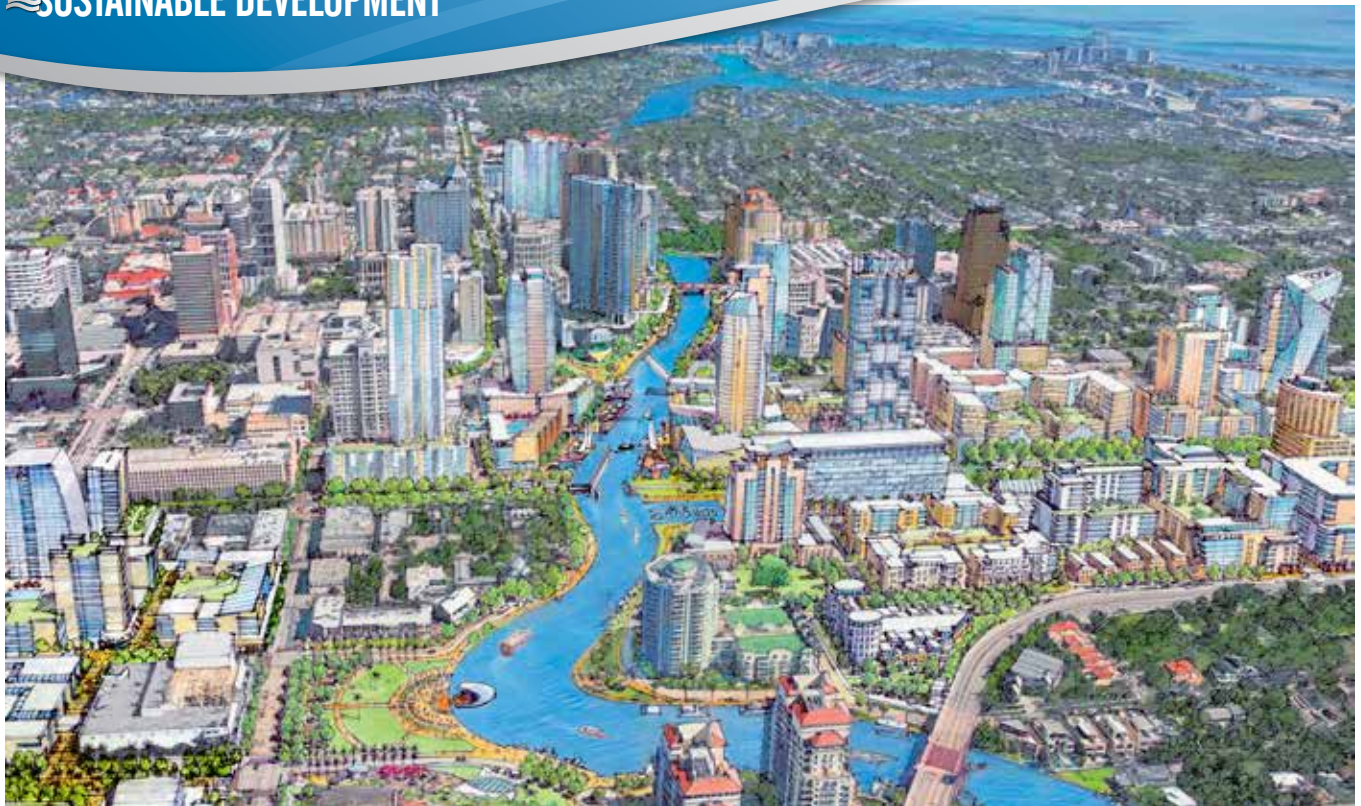
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Daniel Burnham, the famous American architect and urban planner who designed great cities such as Chicago and Washington D.C., famously made that statement in the early 1900s. His influence stretched across the globe, and even to Fort Lauderdale, where big plans have helped us realize the city we have today and continue to guide possibilities for the future.

The reinvigoration of our city waterfronts, in Fort Lauderdale and around the nation, is a critical aspect of our society's attempts to reconnect with the natural systems that support us. Thirty years ago, the City of Fort Lauderdale presented a vision for the future of the mile-long, Downtown stretch of the New River, and the district surrounding it. A conceptual plan and design guidelines for the New River area formalized the bold thinking and creativity of a city that recognized the importance of reconnecting the Downtown to the New River. The plan called for a new linear park that would dramatically alter the image of Downtown, while providing recreational opportunities and fostering economic development.

Much of the original vision, through the diligence and hard work of many, has been achieved.

In 1984, as part of the City's first community visioning process, Fort Lauderdale set out to become the "Best City of its Size by 1994." Community leaders identified the New River as the City's centerpiece around which



BY JENNI MOREJON
JENNI MOREJON IS DEPUTY DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT FOR THE CITY OF FORT LAUDERDALE.

to build a new Downtown. To focus and guide planned capital improvements along the water's edge, the original Riverwalk Master Plan was developed.

Two years later, voters passed a \$47 million General Obligation Bond that paved the way for development of the Riverwalk and other large-scale redevelopment projects. Building off of this momentum, in 1988, the City established the Riverwalk Trust to develop fundraising and advocacy efforts for the planned linear park. Construction of the Riverwalk began soon thereafter, and continued with the opening of the Broward Center for the Performing Arts in 1991, providing an anchor for cultural programming and serving as a catalyst for Downtown revitalization.

Over the next decade and a half, as Downtown began to welcome a growing number of residents, the City once again set out to envision new opportunities for the Riverwalk. Collaborating with a variety of public, private and community stakeholders, the New River Master Plan was developed in 2008 with the Riverwalk District Plan following in 2010. These plans build upon the design principles of the Downtown Master Plan of 2003 by outlining specific guidelines for future private development, while illustrating an updated and compelling vision for the Riverwalk and the blocks north and south of the New River.

This vision imagines the Riverwalk District as the

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urban center of Broward County, providing a unique South Florida destination and a cosmopolitan experience for all to enjoy — a district where performances spill out of venues into waterfront parks; where walking to a gallery, a show and dinner in one evening is a seamless, comfortable event; where a large-scale new development might incorporate a black-box theater or art-cinema along with complementary retail uses; where restaurant, retail and entertainment venues relate to the network of open spaces, streets and surrounding neighborhoods; and where the variety of venues, public art and events creates the destination, attracting a diverse group of residents and tourists of all ages.

So as you walk or bike in Downtown and along the Riverwalk today, know that the beauty and progress you see is not simply a chance encounter. Realize that the spaces you love, the events you can't bear to miss, and the people that make these places alive are all part of the "big plan." 



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Arquitectonica, Stair No. 1, at the Downtown Bus Terminal at Northwest First Avenue and Broward Boulevard.





This tile mural is called "Untitled" by Ivan Chermayeff, 1984, and is installed at the Broward County Main Library, 100 S. Andrews Ave.

Home to 170,000 residents and 12 million visitors a year, Fort Lauderdale is filled with everything from various businesses and offices to world-renowned restaurants and beautiful shopping areas, who collectively call this vibrant place “home.”

But in this bustling city, it's hard to soak in everything it has to offer. What often goes unnoticed is the county's continued effort to enhance its art in public places.

For more than 30 years, the Public Art and Design committee of Broward County has worked to beautify the area and enhance the community's culture. The internationally recognized program is listed as having some of the world's finest public art, according to Australia's Images Publishing in *Designing the World's Best Public Art*.

Bonnie Barnett, present chair of Public Art and Design, donates hours of her time to the committee's projects. Like Barnett, all of the committee members are professionals who volunteer for the board.

“Public art in any city or county defines and highlights its buildings and beautifies its areas for all residents,” Barnett said. “It’s

ART

in Public Places

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Unlikeliest of Places



This is part of the sculpture called Accordant Zones; one of its pieces was featured on our January cover. The sculpture is by Barbara Neijna and E.J. "Ned" Smith, installed in 1994 near the Broward Judicial Complex along the Riverwalk. This area is where pedestrians approach the Riverwalk and the sculptural installation from the southwest side of the Third Avenue bridge.

**“WHEN YOU’RE
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— **LESLIE FORDHAM,**
PUBLIC ART COORDINATOR
FOR BROWARD COUNTY

very important for a city.”

Two percent of the county’s construction project funds are given to Public Art and Design. With that money, 70 percent is distributed to art, and both project support and long-term conservation is given 15 percent. Currently, Public Art and Design focuses on revitalizing the airport and its new terminals, adding various fixtures and terrazzo floors.

Overall the committee’s projects are mostly seen at airports, ports, roadways, libraries, parks and other county buildings.

Committee member Anthony Lauro wants to see bigger and more noticeable projects for the future so all residents and visitors of Broward County will stop and look. “In major cities, you have major sculptures like in Chicago and New York. It’s more than just decorating a building.”

Today more than 249 artworks are installed at more than 88 locations. The committee intends to keep that number growing.

In 2009, the Riverwalk District Arts and Entertainment Plan was enacted as yet another effort to not only enhance the area, but also showcase what the Downtown Fort Lauderdale and Riverwalk area have to offer.

Leslie Fordham, Public Art Coordinator for Broward County, adds that it’s not just about restaurants and shopping areas that make a city, but art is what makes it beautiful and memorable. “When you’re out for a walk and you see a piece of art, it will make

Cascade Arch by Barry Tinsley,
found along the Riverwalk at
350 S.E. Second St.





you want to keep walking. It will enhance the Riverwalk."

One major success last year was the Fort Lauderdale Play Your City project that dispersed grand pianos painted by local artists across Downtown Fort Lauderdale. The pianos stayed in their locations for three months and invigorated the public space. "The piano becomes the catalyst for activating space and engaging the community in the underutilized public landscapes we have around downtown Fort Lauderdale," said Rebecca Bradley, cofounder of Cadence, a Downtown Fort Lauderdale landscape architecture and urban design firm.

Earlier this year, a call to artists was offered to anyone who wanted to be a part of the Downtown Fort Lauderdale Street Artist program. The city's Transportation and Mobility Department



Pat Anderson sailboat

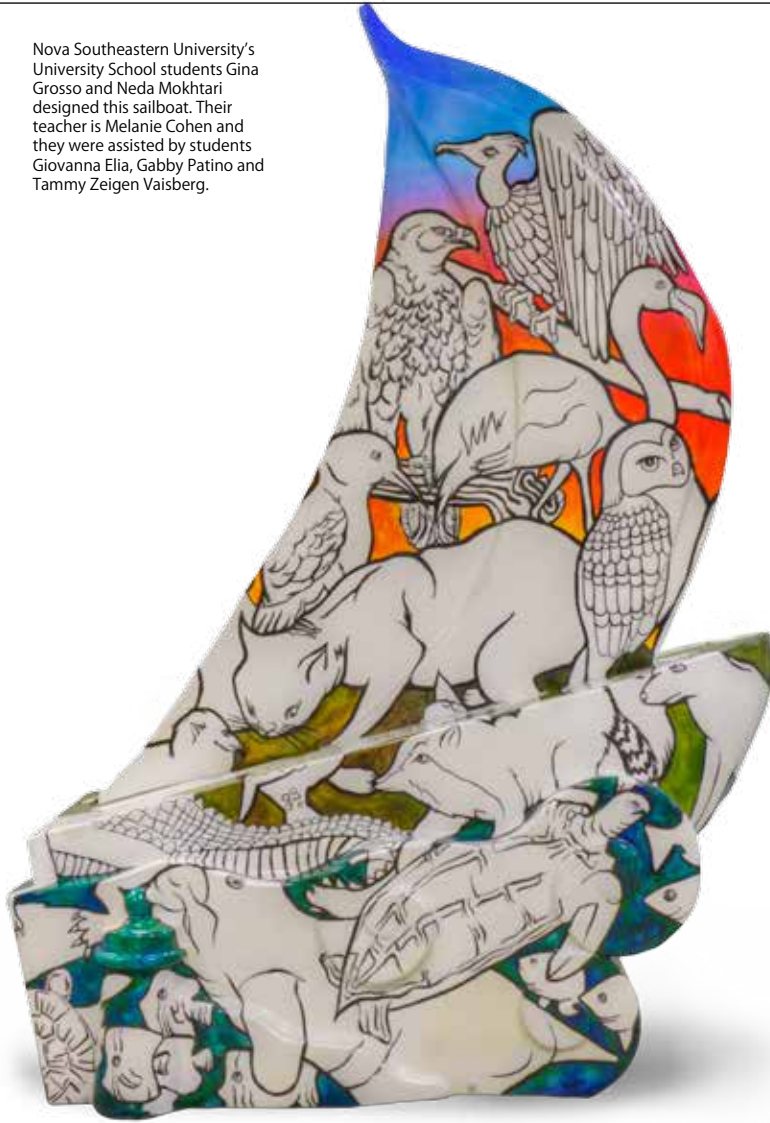
Ilea Haber
sailboat



GO SEE IT

For a map and locations of Broward County Art in Public Places, go to http://www.broward.org/Arts/PublicArt/Documents/pad_mapguide.pdf.

Nova Southeastern University's University School students Gina Grosso and Neda Mokhtari designed this sailboat. Their teacher is Melanie Cohen and they were assisted by students Giovanna Elia, Gabby Patino and Tammy Zeigen Vaisberg.



recruited artists who wanted to design and manage the installation of three painted intersections.

The opportunity gives local artists the ability to tell a story on the City's streets through their art and bring the streets alive. The project plans to take place over the next few months.

In partnership with the City of Fort Lauderdale, Riverwalk unveiled its Art in Public Places Program beginning with the installation of four pieces along the Riverwalk taking place in the next few months.

In the initial installation, pieces will include brightly colored sailboats sponsored by Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale, Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale, the Downtown Development Authority, and a one-of-a-kind mosaic sailfish from local artist Nadine Egan Floyd, also sponsored by Riverwalk. Local artists Pat Anderson and Ilea Haber painted two of the sailboats. Gina Grosso and Neda Mokhtari of Nova Southeastern University's University School painted the Museum of Art sailboat with assistance from students Giovanna Elia, Gabby Patino and Tammy Zeigen Vaisberg and teacher Melanie Cohen. "In all the major cities around the world, they are known for public art, and the City of Fort Lauderdale should be included," said artist Nadine Floyd.

Fordham, the Public Art Coordinator for Broward County,

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The Tunnel — Architectural Color-Space Painting

Students from the downtown campus of Florida Atlantic University, School of Architecture, created this project at the City Parking Garage between First and Second avenues, north of Las Olas Boulevard. The Tunnel is one of the entrances to the Fort Lauderdale campus of FAU, a highly frequented pedestrian passageway connecting the city parking garage to the educational complex of FAU and Broward College. The public art was created by FAU students Dain P. Giannattasio and Rita Sosa with the help of Dr. Henning Haupt, assistant professor.

Haupt said: "The project was started in the class 'Color Material Space' at the School of Architecture, FAU in spring of 2012. The class collected information on the location and developed preliminary ideas for a color-space design. The results were reviewed by the Manager of Transportation at the City of Fort Lauderdale Diana Alacron and recommended for further development and implementation.

"The project continued in spring 2013 as a undergraduate research project that explores the relationship of color and space to be implemented on the inner surfaces of the tunnel." The project is based on Haupt's work on color and space. The project finished during the summer of 2013.

"The final painting is executed (by students and instructor) in about six layers of paint rolled on walls and ceiling. All tones are developed on the surface as a result of layerings of transparent paints, three color tones red, yellow and blue. The colors in the space are building a color-space in the existing tunnel space. The visual color-space and physical space are merging to an inseparable architectural color-space construction."



Nadine Egan Floyd sailfish

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— NADINE EGAN FLOYD,
ARTIST

believes that the Downtown Development Authority and Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale are encouraging the use of the Riverwalk more than ever with these projects. “It takes the environment to a new level and really adds sophistication.”

To Broward College, public art is beneficial to the community because not only does it beautify, but it also celebrates the diversity of a city and helps define the neighborhood's unique personality and culture. “Incorporating art in public places creates a vibrant community and encourages creativity and critical thinking,” said Tina David, public relations specialist of Broward College.

As Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale celebrates its 25th anniversary, it continues “to be the catalyst in building and nurturing Riverwalk as a vibrant community connected by the New River,” as stated in its mission statement. With the growing amount of art projects to be seen around the area, Riverwalk remains making this vivacious community even livelier.

As artist Floyd put it, “Wouldn't it be great to have Riverwalk be a destination for not only food and fun, but also public art?”

As their efforts continue, it seems as that dream is slowly becoming a reality. 

Clarissa Buch is an intern at Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale. She is a senior at Dr. Michael Krop Senior High School and aspires to study journalism and foreign affairs in college.

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DOING GOOD AND DOING WELL

Companies Reflect
on Corporate Social
Responsibility

WRITER KELLY ALVAREZ VITALE



With the recent release of Giving USA's philanthropy report, which indicates that companies gave more than \$18 billion to charities in 2012, companies and nonprofits can reflect on the good work done by corporate philanthropy. Instilling a culture of corporate philanthropy often takes time; however, these three philanthropy initiatives show how companies have turned "doing good" into "doing well."

Volunteer Assignments = Emerging Markets

Some global companies, like IBM, have become very forward thinking when it comes to volunteer programs and corporate social responsibility efforts. They send employees on one-month volunteer assignments to developing countries so that these underserved communities can have their problems solved. More importantly, IBMers receive leadership training and development, and IBM identifies emerging markets and global leaders. Volunteer assignments give employees a different perspective on issues facing communities around the world. Not only do these employees



offer unique solutions to these underserved communities by using their corporate knowledge but also can incorporate local ideas when exploring new markets.

Providing this unique opportunity and benefit attracts star quality students entering the workforce, improves the skills of their current employees, and more importantly, is a less expensive source of market research.

It was not so long ago when corporate philanthropy was questioned by company executives and stakeholders; however, if properly executed, philanthropy can serve as another business strategy and tool.



Strategic Philanthropy = Loyal Consumers

Target attracts guests just as unique as its stores. From a desire for style and value to an appreciation for shopping in a store that gives back to its communities, their shopper is a 46-year-old educated mother with a median household income of \$55,000. It should be no surprise then that Target made one of its major funding priorities education. One cannot pass through a store without seeing signs that Target gives more than \$3 million each week to communities across the country and are on track to give \$1 billion to education by 2015.

And while their prices are higher than their competitors, 50 percent of global consumers said they would be willing to reward companies that give back to society by paying more for their goods and services (44 percent in the U.S. and 38 percent in Canada) and that's where Target wins.

Employee Volunteerism = Happy Employees

Studies have found that companies save millions when their employees are happy. More importantly, trends and research indicate that companies with structured employee volunteer programs have a workforce that is happier, more productive and satisfied with their job and have an increase in positive attitude and morale.

Last year, City National Bank was recognized for having one of the best employee volunteer programs. In 2012 alone, employees volunteered more than 17,000 hours to local community projects. The company empowers



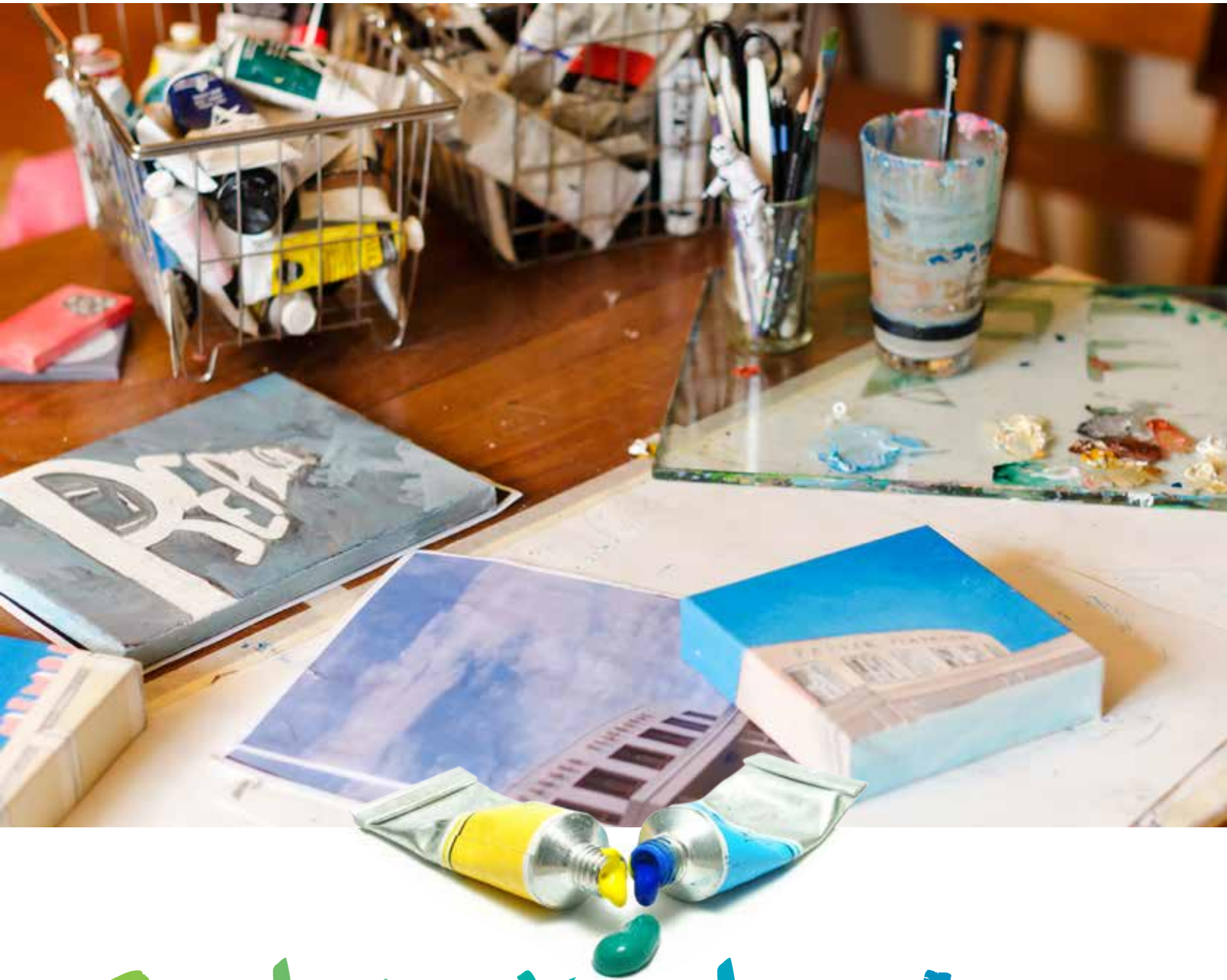
employee involvement by providing up to three hours per month paid time off to participate as a volunteer, and a grant of up to \$500 annually for nonprofits where employees volunteer more than 20 hours during the year.

When companies offer employees an opportunity to volunteer and to be involved in their community, employees find a balance of success and meaning in their careers, which translate into happy employees. [GO](#)

Kelly Alvarez Vitale is the president and founder of Strategic Philanthropy. In the community, Kelly is involved with the Broward Performing Arts Foundation, Leadership Broward and United Way.



April Kirk in her home art studio



Capturing Hometown Icons

April Kirk, Executive by Day, Artist by Night

Dinner will not be served on April Kirk's dining room table after a long and busy day at the Stranahan House.

Instead, blank canvases, inspirational photos and a mountain of acrylic paint are what will cover Kirk's table. Her dining room is an artist's "cloud nine," surrounded by creative fixtures and dripping in colorful works hung on her walls.

As executive director of Stranahan House, Kirk is always working. From running day-to-day operations at the museum to handling fundraising and special event responsibilities, it's safe to say Kirk fits the term workaholic. But as the sun starts to set, Kirks finds time to trade the Stranahan House for something more euphoric.



Ever since she was a child, Kirk has been submersed in the arts. Both her parents were interior designers and continuously encouraged her creativity. In high school, Kirk took the most advanced art classes possible, focusing on studio art and art history.

Kirk then moved from South Florida to Charlotte, N.C., and attended Queens College, double majoring in studio art and art history. After graduation, Kirk worked at a public library and an art supply store that gave her a large employee discount. Every night she would come home and paint with new supplies she picked up at work.

At age 23, Kirk was given the opportunity to work at the North Carolina Shakespeare Festival in High Point, N.C., where she learned the ins and outs of event management. The break served as Kirk's inspiration to pursue nonprofit work.

In 2011, Kirk joined the Stranahan House family and now runs the entire museum. In her spare time, Kirk still finds ways to indulge in her love for art, saying that painting is a source of relaxation.

Most people who know Kirk don't know she's an artist. Art is something Kirk keeps very personal, barely sharing any of her works with the public. For Kirk, it's hard to let go of a painting because, in her eyes, "they are never finished."

Earlier on, Kirk focused most of her work on portraiture, often recreating old family photos.

When she started working at the Stranahan House, Kirk spent more and more



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time traveling across the New River, which opened up a new door in her world of art. As a South Florida native and Downtown Fort Lauderdale resident, Kirk admires the area. The little iconic places Kirk sees everyday on her way to work are the images she now captures in her paintings.

As Kirk sees it, she gets to appreciate a side of Fort Lauderdale that a lot of people don't get to enjoy, which is why she began to highlight it in her paintings.

As a growing artist, Kirk's New Year's resolution is to expose her art to the world ... little by little. From pieces hung around her house, to one displayed in a small gallery in Sunrise, Kirk is slowly learning to let go.

She will have two pieces exhibited in Art Serve's seventh annual "twelve by 12, the collective" through March 20 and will be the feature artist for City Hall this August.

As the year progresses, Kirk continues on her pursuit in art, planning to reach out to more galleries and build a website. But for now, Kirk simply wants to find one day a week to block off and dedicate herself solely to painting, without any distractions.

There is something about putting paint on a canvas and blending the colors together that for Kirk is the most idyllic thing in the world. [GO](#)

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Fine Wine and Tasty Tidbits

Las Olas Wine
and Food Festival
Returns for 19th Year

WRITER KATIE LEIBICK

Celebrating its 19th anniversary, the Las Olas Wine and Food Festival street party will take place in the heart of Downtown Fort Lauderdale. Guests will be able to sample from more than 40 wine tables, the Bombay Sapphire Lounge, The Shellback Caribbean Rum Hut and approximately 70 restaurants lined up and down the boulevard. Proceeds from the festival benefit the American Lung Association and their local lung health programs, education, patients and research. This event enables the American Lung Association to accomplish its mission to save lives by improving lung health and preventing lung disease.

WANT TO GO?

**Las Olas Wine and
Food Festival**

Friday, May 2

Privé at Stranahan House,
6-7:30 p.m.

7:30 to 10 p.m.

Las Olas Boulevard
www.lasolaswff.com

LAS OLAS WINE AND FOOD FESTIVAL SPONSORING BRANDS

To give you a preview of this year's festival, here is information about the sponsoring brands and two recipes to try.

SAPPHIRE RASPBERRY COLLINS

The Bombay Sapphire Lounge will feature the signature cocktail of the Las Olas Wine and Food Festival

- 1½ parts Bombay Sapphire Gin
- ½ part fresh lemon juice
- ½ part simple syrup*
- 5 fresh raspberries, muddled, or ¾ ounce raspberry puree
- 3 parts club soda

Shake all ingredients, except club soda, and pour into an ice-filled highball glass. Top with club soda. Garnish with 1 raspberry and lemon wedge.

*To make your own simple syrup, dissolve one cup sugar into one cup hot water.



LA MARCA PROSECCO

La Marca Prosecco is a sparkling wine made in the Treviso area of Northern Italy from the Glera grape. Prosecco is characterized by light and delicate fruit and floral aromatics, relatively low alcohol levels and a friendly mouth feel. Prosecco is best consumed soon after production while it still retains its youthful fruitiness and stimulating acidity. La Marca Prosecco, produced by a winegrower cooperative founded more than 40 years ago, brings top quality at a friendly price.

SUGGESTED FOOD PAIRING:
Fresh strawberries, mild cheeses.
Or paired with lighter fish dishes: snapper, sole or mahi mahi.



WILLIAM HILL NORTH COAST CHARDONNAY

The inaugural vintage of William Hill Estate North Coast Chardonnay offers aromas and flavors of ripe tree fruit, underscored by hints of brown spice, citrus and tropical fruit. Hailing mostly from Sonoma and Mendocino with a touch of fruit from Napa, this well integrated wine has excellent acidity and a creamy mouth feel.

SUGGESTED FOOD PAIRING:
Sautéed shrimp in a lemon butter sauce over linguine.

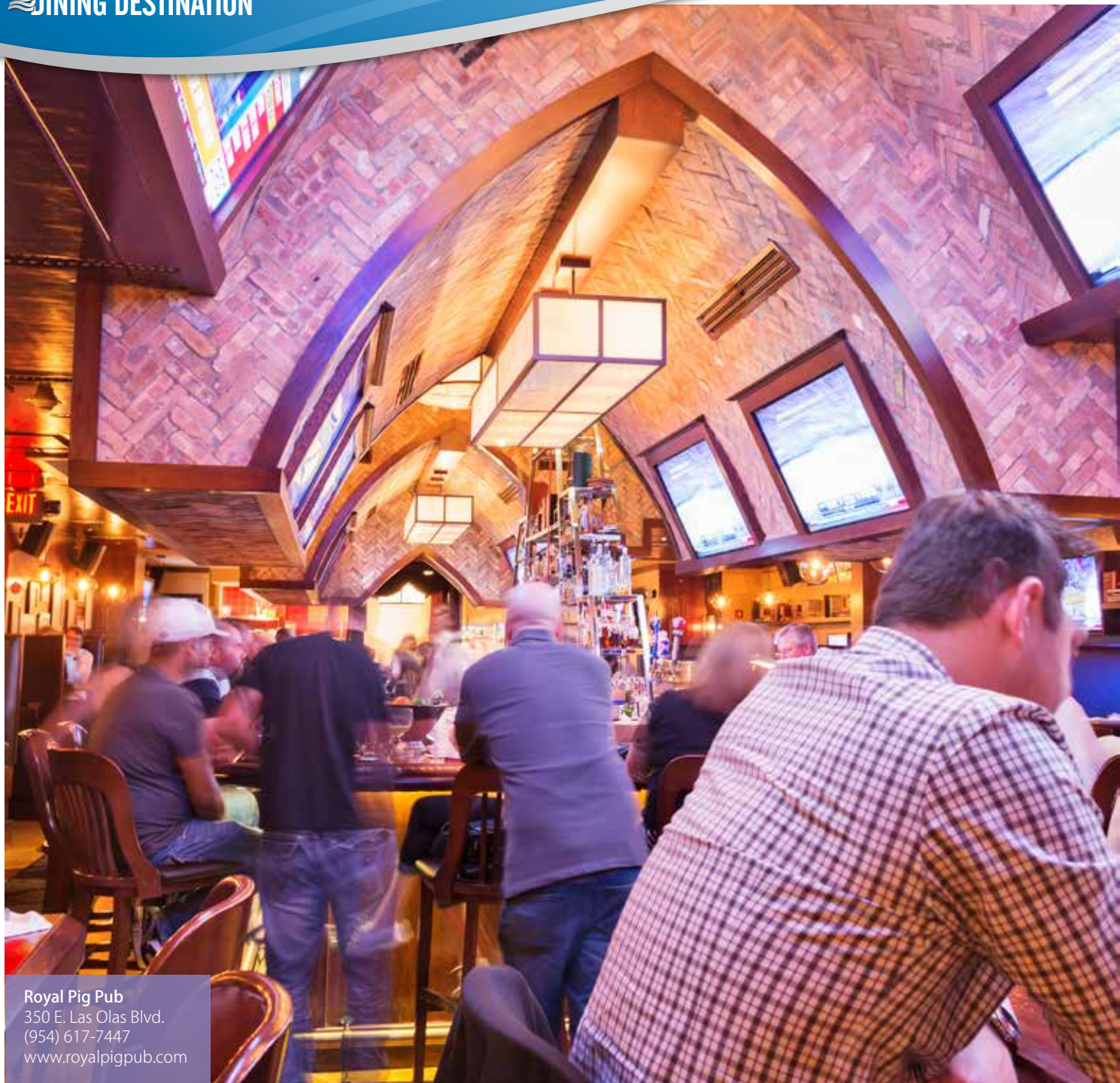


SHELLBACK CARIBBEAN RUM Shellback Mai Tai

- 2 ½ ounces Shellback Spiced Rum
- ¾ ounce orange Curacao
- ¼ ounce almond syrup
- ¾ ounce lime juice
- Lime wheel, mint sprig and parasol for garnish

Add 2 ounces rum along with all other liquids in a shaker with ice. Shake vigorously and strain contents into a lowball glass filled with fresh ice. Top with ½ ounce rum. Garnish with a lime wheel, sprig of mint and a parasol.





Royal Pig Pub
350 E. Las Olas Blvd.
(954) 617-7447
www.royalpigpub.com

Upscale Comfort Food

Central Gastropub Offers Something for Everyone

WRITER KATIE DRESSLER • **PHOTOGRAPHY** JASON LEIDY

For years, Las Olas Boulevard boasted predominantly pricey restaurants, galleries and chichi boutiques that made the average millennial fear that a date night spent along Las Olas would equate to eating Maruchan Ramen Noodles for the remainder of the week. But, fear no more, because over the last several years the strip has experienced a major resurgence and has welcomed a number of new gastropubs that encourage visitors from all walks of life to come out and enjoy the boulevard.

In July 2012, Las Olas Boulevard welcomed the Royal Pig Pub to the western end of the strip. Royal Pig Pub is a comfy,



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welcoming hot spot that serves Southern-inspired American eclectic cuisine, or, as Executive Chef Stanton Bundy endearingly refers to it, “upscale redneck” food. Royal Pig Pub has quickly become a favorite amongst all demographics due to its comfortable atmosphere, delicious food, expansive drink selection and reasonable prices. Inside the restaurant, beneath the vaulted ceiling, sits a large center bar lined with flat screen TVs that offers perfect views from any seat. Or, if you prefer a more intimate atmosphere, ask to be seated in one of the nook-like booths that are accented either with bookshelves or historical photographs. Many of the booths also offer smaller,

Pairing

Braised Pork Shoulder "Porcetta": Braised vegetables, Yukon puree, grilled baby zucchini, horseradish crème fraiche and St. Germaine Pork jus.



Achaval Ferrer Malbec
Intense, pure, full colors and young aromas. This wine completes the winemaker's vision of Malbec, adding, "Our work in the vineyards reinforces leaf system over root system, and emphasizes the soul of the fruit."




personal flat screen TVs for those who want to experience the best of both worlds — privacy and the ability to watch a big game.

Born in Texas but raised in Louisiana, Chef Bundy brings the guests of Royal Pig Pub a true taste of his heritage by offering Southern dishes with unique twists and prepared with innovative techniques. For example, all of the meat at Royal Pig Pub is prepared sous vide, which means it's vacuum-sealed and placed in a temperature-controlled water bath until it is cooked to perfection. The polyethylene bag creates a humid environment that effectively braises the meat and makes it juicier and more tender. Additionally, this method cooks the meat evenly, which means you can expect a great result every time. Trust me — once you taste the meat from Royal Pig Pub, you'll understand what I'm talking about!

We started with the Braised Pork Shoulder "Porcetta," which comes served atop a bed of Yukon puree and braised vegetables that soak in a bath of St. Germaine pork jus. The grilled baby zucchini sits triumphantly atop this perfectly cooked piece of meat, while dollops of horseradish crème fraiche are lovingly distributed throughout the plate to add some additional flavor and an artistic look to the dish. Prior to plating, the pork shoulder is cured for four days with Creole herb rub. With that much love and attention going into one dish, my taste buds couldn't help but say "wow."

As a girl with Southern roots, I couldn't resist the New Orleans BBQ Shrimp. Abita-braised shrimp line the outside rim of the sweet potato grits, while the Andouille sausage stands out from atop the grits and sits next to a patch of micro-celery. The sweetness from the grits creates the perfect balance to offset the spice from the Andouille sausage, and the side of French dipping bread is the vehicle that allowed me to sop up every last ounce of the Abita braised deliciousness.

Make sure to save room for dessert because you won't want to miss out on the creative dessert specials such as the N'awlins King Cake Monkey Bread or the Red Velvet Beignets.

Also keep an eye out for Chef Bundy's Blue Collared Specials, which cater to the restaurant's ever-growing lunch crowd and offer mouth-watering comfort meals at a reasonable price. With featured specials like the infamous spaghetti sandwich or fried chicken and waffles — who can resist? 

Katie Dressler is a Fort Lauderdale native with a bachelor's degree in business administration and concentration in marketing from Loyola Marymount University. She works in Fort Lauderdale in marketing.

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The Best Bites

JA World Uncorked Unveils Best Sweets, Presentations and Libations

The Circle of Wise Women hosted more than 800 guests throughout the evening at JA World Uncorked IV in January. The event netted more than \$151,185 for the educational programs at Junior Achievement of South Florida. Uncorked!, the cornerstone JA fundraising event, serves as a catalyst to enable the Circle to raise more than \$1,900,000 for JA South Florida since 2010.

• **Best Bite:** Shake Shack's ShackBurger paired with Shackmeister Ale

• **Best Sweet:** A Whole Heap of Jack Daniel's Bread Pudding

• **Most Unique Bite:** Pescados Unidos Food Truck's Fish Sausage Sandwich

• **Honorable Mention finalists:** VooDoo BBQ and The Chef's Palette

• **Best Presentation, tie:** Brio Tuscan Grille and Timpano Italian Chophouse

• **Best Wine Experience:** Jackson Family Fine Wines

• **Best Brew:** Funky Buddha Brewery Hop Gun IPA



• **Best Cocktail Bar, tie:** Stache's Woodford Reserve Bar with Mixologist John Lermayer and Brown-Forman's: Jack Daniel's Tennessee Whiskey Bar and Herradura Tequila and Margarita Bar

• **Best Experience:** Korbel Uncorked! Korbel California Champagne Bubble Bar with Art Institute Design Student Creations and Culinary Student Dessert Competition winners; \$2000 in scholarships awarded.



First place winner **Emily Anna Darville**, who presented a chocolate jasmine tea trifle cake with raspberry champagne sauce and peppercorn tuile; second place winner **Ana Buendia**, with a layered pecan flan whipped cream with strawberry sauce and candied strawberry; and third place winner **Rollyn R. Angela Rosas** with Asian poached pears, poached port wine sour cherries, served with coconut and lemon macaroons.

Music, Bites, Brews, Libations

The Richard J. Fox Foundation along with Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale will host an outdoor concert, Ban Cancer Worth It All ... For A Cure on Saturday March 15, starting at 6:30 p.m. The event will feature Roberto Perera, jazz guitarist Terry Wollman, Melanie Taylor, Blue Fire Band and more. For \$10 general admission or \$45 VIP, enjoy an evening at Esplanade Park under the stars and taste America's Backyard Beer Garden, Downtown Himmarshee bars and five food trucks. For more information and to purchase your tickets, visit www.goriverwalk.com/7094/ban-cancer-2014.

Net proceeds from this fundraising event will be made in memory of Richard Mancuso, Fort Lauderdale's 2012 Citizen of the year to Holy Cross Hospital and Lombardi Cancer Center at Georgetown University.




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March 1
Hard Rock Live
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KID DUCK FEST DERBY

March 1
Esplanade Park
(954) 390-7654

SECRET ART SHOW OPEN RECEPTION

March 1
"The Secret Art Show" will display "secret" works of art in the form of five-inch by seven-inch pieces of art by local and internationally known artists, signed on the back (to keep the "secret").
Broward Art Guild Gallery
(954) 537-3370



WALK FOR THE ANIMALS

March 1
Join animal lovers for a 1.2-mile walk through Fort Lauderdale to show your support of the Humane Society of Broward County.
Huizenga Plaza
(954) 266-6817
www.walk4theanimals.com

BIRDING CLASS

March 1
Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
(954) 706-2606

PRIDE FORT LAUDERDALE

March 1 and 2
War Memorial Auditorium
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26TH ANNUAL LAS OLAS ART FAIR PART II

March 1 and 2
The event, produced by Howard Alan Events, features 300 local, regional and national artists who will collectively display more than \$15 million in artwork. The artists will line Las Olas Boulevard with their professional booths, transforming the area into a first-class outdoor art gallery.
Las Olas Boulevard
(561) 746-6615

MONTHLY STORY HOUR

March 1 and April 5
Historic Stranahan House Museum
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March 5
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MOVIE NIGHT WITH ALL TOGETHER NOW

March 5 and April 9
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
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March 6
Hyatt Regency Pier 66 Resort
(954) 562-6800



A TRIBUTE TO ELEPHANTS AND OTHER WORKS OPENING RECEPTION

March 6
This exhibit will focus on elephants, and to shed a light on their beauty, their tenderness and how similar they are to us emotionally in an effort to raise awareness of their plight.
Parker Playhouse
www.parkerplayhouse.com

WOMEN'S HEALTH AND INTERNATIONAL FAIR

March 6
Broward County Main Library
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IMPRESSIONS: A JURIED ART EXHIBIT

March 6
Impressions is an annual juried art competition with food, wine and friends amid the Old Florida charm of Bonnet House.
Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
(954) 703-2606
www.bonnethouse.org/calendar



ARC BROWARD'S DELISH 2014

March 7
ARC Broward's third annual Delish presented by The Wasie Foundation celebrates the success of the ARC Broward Culinary Institute and showcases culinary delicacies created by ARC Broward graduates in a cook-off style competition.
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50 TOP ROMANCE AUTHORS IN FORT LAUDERDALE
March 7-9
Bahia Mar Hotel
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IN THE HEIGHTS
March 7-16
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FLCT Studio Theatre at the Galleria Mall
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FIRST FRIDAYS BOOK FAIR AND PICKERS EVENT
March 7 and April 4
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FIRST FRIDAY JAZZ JAMS
March 7 and April 4
ArtServe
(954) 524-0805
www.goldcoastjazz.org



ST. PATRICK'S FESTIVAL
March 8
The St. Patrick's Parade will travel west along Las Olas Boulevard from Southeast Fifth Avenue to Las Olas Riverfront. The parade will include decorative floats, pipe and drum corps, classic automobiles, bagpipers, marching bands, Irish dancers, street performers, scout troops, the Miami Dolphins, Veterans groups, and elected officials. Following the parade, the St. Patrick's Festival will continue until 7 p.m. at Huizenga Plaza and along the Riverwalk.
(954) 828-5985
www.ftlaudirishfest.com



MAD HATTER'S TEA PARTY
March 8
Wear your most creative hat and bring your mom, aunt, grandmother, girlfriends and daughters for an afternoon of whimsy and fun. Ticket includes finger foods, games, prizes, story time, music, and of course tea!
Historic Stranahan House Museum
(954) 524-4736

ACADEMY OF ART + DESIGN OPEN HOUSE
March 8
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March 8
Hard Rock Live
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HOPE FLOATS BENEFITING TOMORROW'S RAINBOW
March 8
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March 8 and 9
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March 8 and 9
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FORT LAUDERDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY SPEAKER SERIES
March 10
Dr. Andrew Frank: Mae Silver and Merrilyn Rathbun: Debunking the Pocahontas Myth.
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March 10
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Performance by Aisha Syed, violin.
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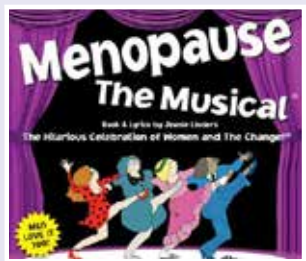
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March 13 and April 10
Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
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GEORGE BELLOWS AND EDWARD HOPPER
March 14
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March 14
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March 14-16
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March 14-16
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March 16
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A CELEBRATION OF JOSEPH JOACHI
March 18
Performed by Daniel Hope, violin, with Sebastian Knauer, piano.
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DREAMERS AND SCHEMERS THE BALANCING ACT: ENTREPRENEURIALISM, TOURISM AND PRESERVATION
March 18
Presented by the Florida Humanities Council, the tour will feature themed Chautauqua-style troupes, each with three different noted Floridians.
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March 20
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MONTHLY HEALTHY COOKING CLASS
March 20
Non-profit Holy Cross Hospital offers the community a series of monthly healthy cooking classes in the new Fresh Inspirations Café at the Dorothy Mangurian Comprehensive Women's Center at Holy Cross HealthPlex
(954) 351-4782

RUTH COHAN JEWISH BOOK REVIEW SERIES
March 20
Broward County
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19TH ANNUAL CLUELESS ON LAS OLAS
March 20
Historic Stranahan House and Laura Ward Park
(954) 288-7201



BETWEEN THE BURIED AND ME, DEAFHEAVEN, INTRONAUT, THE KINDRED
March 21
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March 21
Museum of Discovery and Science
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FORT LAUDERDALE GAY MEN'S CHORUS
March 21 and 22
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 832-0060

DON QUIXOTE
March 21-23
Broward Center for the Performing Arts
(954) 462-0222
www.browardcenter.org



ARTS BALLET THEATRE'S ROMANTIC PROGRAM
March 22
Broward Center for the Performing Arts
(954) 492-0222
www.browardcenter.org

ART FLORIDA'S SALONS DES REFUSES OPEN RECEPTION
March 22
Broward Art Guild Gallery
(954) 537-3370
www.browardartguild.org/exhibits.htm

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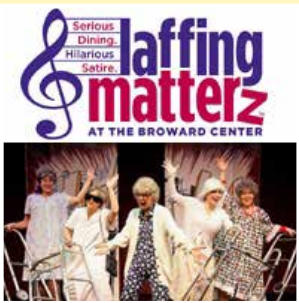
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www.suncoastgunshows.com
sclgo.jp

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CLASSES: WINTER SESSION
Through March 22
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Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 525-5500
www.moafll.org



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March 23: Chopin
March 24: Schumann
March 25: Liszt
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PERFORMANCE
March 23
By Michael Klotz on viola and Rosa Villar Cordova-Scott on piano.
Trinity Lutheran Church and Academy
(954) 987-5481

BEHIND THE SCIENCE: FIVE-DAY CAMP
March 24-28
Museum of Discovery and Science
(954) 713-0930

SPRING CAMP 2014: GRADES 1-12
March 24-28
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 262-0239

CALLIGRAPHY WITH TONY PASTUCCI
Tuesdays, Through March 25
Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
(954) 703-2606

IMAGINATION RADIO PLAYERS PRESENT GREAT WOMEN OF RADIO
March 25
Broward County Main Library
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www.broward.org/library

SOUTH FLORIDA AMATEUR ASTRONOMERS ASSOCIATION PRESENTATION
March 25
Broward County Main Library
(954) 357-7443
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AMERICAN IDIOT BROADWAY ACROSS AMERICA FORT LAUDERDALE
March 25-April 6
Broward Center for the Performing Arts
(954) 462-0222



THE ART OF WINE AND FOOD SERIES MONTHLY WINE TASTING
March 27
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 262-0249

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March 27
Revolution Live
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March 27
Gallery of Amazing Things
(954) 453-3725
www.winewomenandshoes.com/
UWBC

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March 28
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www.jointherevolution.net



UKULELE FEST
March 28: Jam Session at the Hampton Inn hotel
March 29: Main Event at Esplanade Park
March 30: Luau at Esplanade Park
www.ukulelefestsouthflorida.com



AUTONATION ACADEMY OF ART + DESIGN SPRING SESSION 10-WEEK COURSES: SESSION A
March 29-June 9
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 262-0239
www.moafll.org

CHAMELEON CHAMBER MUSIC
March 30
Josephine S. Leiser Center
(954) 761-3435
www.chameleonmusicians.org

THE GREAT DAYS OF RAIL TRAVEL ON THE FLORIDA EAST COAST
Through March 31
The exhibition will highlight the history and years of passenger train service by the Florida East Coast Railway beginning in 1885 when Henry M. Flagler purchased the predecessor of today's FEC. Bienes Museum of the Modern Book
(954) 357-8243



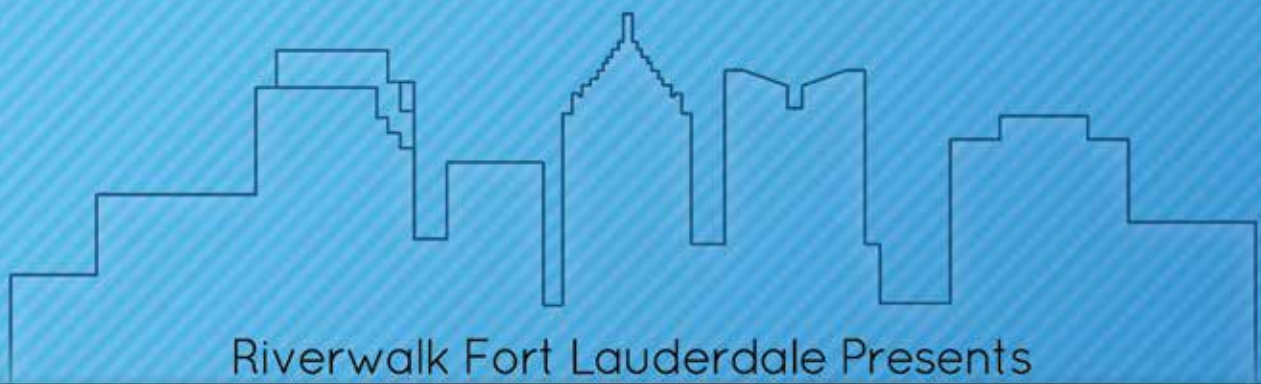
WATERCOLOR IN THE GARDENS
Wednesdays, Through April 2
Students draw and paint from floral, landscape and architectural motifs in a beautiful tropical setting. Shaded tables are available. Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
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ISLAND OF LEMURS: MADAGASCAR 3D
April 2-Dec. 31
Museum of Discovery and Science
AutoNation IMAX Theater
(954) 463-IMAX (4629)

OUTDOOR ACRYLIC WORKSHOP SESSION 2
Thursdays, Through April 3
Bonnet House Museums and Gardens
(954) 703-2606

BIG DOG MEN'S INVITATIONAL GOLF TOURNAMENT
April 3
Fort Lauderdale Country Club
(954) 266-6818



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MERCEDES-BENZ CORPORATE RUN

April 3
The Mercedes-Benz Corporate Run is a 3.1-mile run/walk through Downtown Fort Lauderdale and is open to teams of employees from corporations, businesses, and financial institutions. Proceeds from the event will go to United Way of Broward County's community initiatives and services for those in need.
Huizenga Park
www.mercedesbenzcorporaterun.com



19TH ANNUAL BANK OF AMERICA WINE, SPIRITS, AND CULINARY CELEBRATION

April 4
Museum of Discovery and Science
(954) 713-0954

T. MILLS WITH MOD SUN

April 4
Revolution Live
(954) 449-1025
www.jointherevolution.net



NEW RIVER RAFT RACE

April 5
The race will start and finish on the river in front of Esplanade Park, which is located across from the Broward Center for the Performing Arts and Museum of Discovery and Science. Rafts will be judged on a number of criteria including first to finish best design, most spirit and most pirate like crew, among others.
Esplanade Park on the New River
www.newriverafrace.com

EARTH OPEN RECEPTION

April 5
Broward Art Guild Gallery
(954) 537-3370
www.browardartguild.org/exhibits.htm



BEERFEST

April 5
Thousands of beer connoisseurs will descend upon Downtown Fort Lauderdale to enjoy unlimited sampling of more than 100 local and international beers, all while enjoying food and offers from local restaurants and vendors.
America's Backyard
www.browardpalmbeach.com/calendar/



OVER THE EDGE FOR GILDA'S

April 5
Benefits Gilda's Club South Florida.
8 Ocean Fort Lauderdale Hotel
(954) 763-6776

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April 5-6
War Memorial Auditorium
(954) 828-5380
www.repticon.com
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CLASSICAL FAVORITES AND THE BEST OF BROADWAY

April 8
Symphony of the Americas.
Broward Center
for Performing Arts
(954) 462-0222
www.browardcenter.org

22ND ANNUAL AFRICAN-AMERICAN ACHIEVERS

Award Ceremony and Reception
April 9
The African-American Achievers awards program annually recognizes leaders for their exceptional contributions toward building stronger communities in South Florida
Broward County Convention Center
(866) 516-2497
www.africanamericanachievers.com

MEET DR. SHIRLEY PEREZ

April 9
In her memoir, "Pressing My Luck, A Doctor's Lottery Journey," Dr. Press shares her personal life experiences as well as the challenges and self-discoveries prompted by her Florida lottery windfall.
Broward County Main Library
(954) 357-7443
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LENORE RAPHAEL, JAZZ PIANIST

April 9
Presented by Gold Coast Jazz Society.
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for the Performing Arts
(954) 462-0222
www.browardcenter.org

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April 10 and 12
Broward Center
for the Performing Arts
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www.FGO.org

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April 10
Revolution Live
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www.jointherevolution.net

PINEAPPLE JAM DINNER AND AUCTION

April 11
Commissioner Romney Rogers and Candace Rogers for the 2013 Stranahan House
Historic Stranahan House Museum
(954) 524-4736
www.blacktie-southflorida.com

YOUNG PIANISTS CONCERTS IN AN ALL-CHOPIN PROGRAM

April 12
Broward County Main Library
(305) 868-0624

ART FLORIDA BIENNIAL COMPETITION AND EXHIBIT OPEN RECEPTION

April 12
Broward Art Guild Gallery
(954) 537-3370
www.browardartguild.org/exhibits.htm

TORTUGA MUSIC FESTIVAL

April 12-13
Featuring Luke Bryan, Eric Church, Hank Williams, Jr., Train, Dierks Bentley, Brantley Gilbert, Sheryl Crow, Billy Currington, Slightly Stoopid, Ziggy Marley, 38 Special, Brett Eldredge, Parmalee, Cole Swindell, Brett Dennen, Delta Rae, Eric Paslay, Moon Taxi, The Revivalists, White Denim, Frankie Ballard, Chase Rice, Brothers Osborne, Blackjack Billy, Sons of Fathers, and Quaker City Night Hawks.
Fort Lauderdale Beach Park
www.tortugamusicfestival.com

FORT LAUDERDALE HISTORICAL SOCIETY SPEAKER SERIES

April 14
Kent Planck: Historic Downtown Trolley Tour.
Fort Lauderdale Historical Society
(954) 463-4431
www.oldfortlauderdale.org

LOCAL NATIVES WITH MOSES SUMNEY

April 14
Revolution Live
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www.jointherevolution.net



SPIN-A-THON

April 15
Esplanade Park
(954) 639-5005
www.marineindustrycares.org

FORT LAUDERDALE'S BUSINESS HISTORY EXHIBIT

Through April 20
Fort Lauderdale Historical Society
(954) 463-4431
www.oldfortlauderdale.org

LAS OLAS WINE AND FOOD FESTIVAL

May 2
Las Olas Boulevard
www.lasolaswff.com



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Saturday, April 5, 2014



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EXHIBIT
Through May 18
Fort Lauderdale Historical Society
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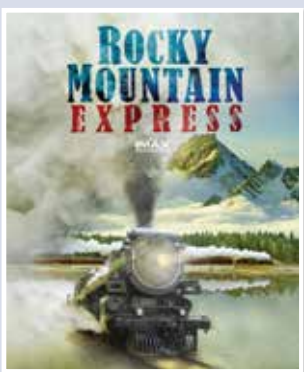
THE SPIRIT OF COBRA EXHIBITION
Through May 18
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 525-5500



BURGER BATTLE V

May 23

This event will pit 16 top burger joints and restaurants against one another as they show off their creative juices and grilling skills to more than 1,200 guests along the scenic New River. The Battle brings together South Florida burger aficionados for an evening of gourmet burger creations, cocktails, beers and fun, while raising funds to support the Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale's mission of building and nurturing a vibrant community connected by the New River.
Huizenga Plaza
www.goriverwalk.com



ROCKY MOUNTAIN EXPRESS
Through May 31
Museum of Discovery and Science
AutoNation IMAX Theater
(954) 463-IMAX (4629)

ONGOING EVENTS

@ 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



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(877) 779-9299
www.paddleriverwalk.com



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Esplanade Park
www.adogsbestfriend.com

GOOSEBUMPS:
THE SCIENCE OF FEAR
Through Sept. 2
Museum of Discovery and Science
(954) 713-0930



JOURNEY TO THE SOUTH PACIFIC
AN IMAX 3D EXPERIENCE
Through Dec. 31
Museum of Discovery and Science
AutoNation Theater
(954) 463-IMAX (4629)

WILLIAM GLACKENS EXHIBITION
Through February 2015
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 525-5500

SUNTRUST SUNDAY JAZZ BRUNCH
First Sunday of the month • 11 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Riverwalk Park
(954) 828-5363

RIVER GHOST TOURS
Sunday nights
Historic Stranahan House Museum
(954) 524-4736
www.stranahanhouse.org



LAS OLAS OUTDOOR GREEN MARKET
Sundays • 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.
The Las Olas Sunday Outdoor Green Market is a friendly destination where neighbors come to shop and socialize. Many bring their adorable dogs for exercise and you can find watering stations for those hot Florida days. Looking for local and organic produce? You'll find that here.
Plaza at YOLO
(954) 462-4166

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Tuesdays
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(954) 357-7439

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Tuesdays
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Broward County Main Library
(954) 357-7439

CROSSROADS CAFÉ
Wednesdays
Broward County Main Library
(954) 357-7439
www.broward.org/library

BEHIND THE SCENES
PRIVATE LIVING QUARTERS TOURS
Second Wednesday of the month
Take a sneak peek inside normally closed areas of Evelyn and Frederic Bartlett's private living quarters.
(954) 703-2606
www.bonnethouse.org/hours-fees/

DOCENT GUIDED HOUSE TOURS
Ongoing
Historic Stranahan House Museum
(954) 524-4736
www.stranahanhouse.org



MOON ROCK DISPLAY
Ongoing
The moon rock exhibit features a 20-minute film of Apollo 7, the first manned mission in the Apollo program to be launched and the first three-man American space mission; posters of the Apollo 7 mission; and two life-size fiberglass NASA astronauts.
Broward County Main Library
(954) 357-7443

WELCOME CENTER MONTHLY ROTATING EXHIBITS
Ongoing
Bonnet House Museum and Gardens
(954) 703-2606

TOURS AT HISTORIC STRANAHAN HOUSE MUSEUM
Ongoing
Historic Stranahan House Museum
(954) 524-4736

CONSTRUCTED RELIEFS FROM THE MAURICE AND SARAH LIPSCHULTZ COLLECTION
Ongoing
Museum of Art | Fort Lauderdale
(954) 525-5500

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CHRISTOPHER HAERTING



Founding Member and
Partner, Cycle Party

TRUSTEE

☛ The friendly welcome I received in Fort Lauderdale when I arrived here from Miami was what

made me move here and make it my home. Our business is also headquartered here and the Riverwalk area is where Cycle Party starts and ends its tours. While showcasing our quadracycle at several events at Esplanade Park, I was introduced to so many people who helped me build up Cycle Party and make it successful. I am very happy to be able to contribute to the vitalization of this beautiful area of the city.

I grew up in Europe and the United States. Because of my father's jobs, we moved more than most people I know. I grew up in the service industry and my experiences in the industry have helped with my business and ensuring that all of our guests have the best possible experience. When I first arrived in Fort Lauderdale, I decided to become involved and joined the Greater Fort Lauderdale Chamber of Commerce and the merchant associations of the areas where Cycle Party operates. This involvement is very important to us because our business model revolves around partnering with local establishments along our routes. We do not compete with the businesses; we work together to create the best, most fun rides for our customers. I look forward to working with the local Riverwalk community for many years to come.

MARISA DILENCE




Residential Realtor

TRUSTEE

☛ I have always felt there is no place like Fort Lauderdale with the wonderful weather, tropical beaches and waterways ... there

truly isn't another place I would rather call home. I have lived here for 37 years and have lived Downtown since May.

As a residential Realtor for 22 years, I am blessed that my passion is selling paradise! What could be better? My partner Danielle DiLenge and I have consistently been honored as top producers selling from the beaches to the Everglades in Broward County. I currently serve on the board of directors for Master Brokers of Broward County. The Master Brokers Forum is a unique organization comprised of South Florida's top residential real estate professionals. With sister chapters in Miami and Palm Beach County, membership into the Broward Master Brokers Forum is limited to the county's most successful real estate professionals, and is by invitation only. Fort Lauderdale has so much to offer and now that I am so fortunate to live Downtown, I want to be involved in the continued development of making Fort Lauderdale even better than it already is. Joining Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale seemed like a natural fit for me. Riverwalk Fort Lauderdale is truly the "heartbeat of Downtown," ensuring growth, business development, the arts and beautification of our Downtown community. The outdoor events, Go Riverwalk Magazine and advocating the quality of life downtown is why I am so happy to contribute! 



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