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This newsletter is compiled for the Aberdeen communities by Aberdeen recreation and administration staff. If you'd like to offer content for publication, here's how to get started:

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October 25, 2016 @ 4:00 p.m.

### Aberdeen has a website!

If you don't already know about this great site here is how to access it. Go to www.aberdeencdd.com! This site is the most convenient way for residents to keep in touch with what is going on in the community. This site has information on:

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- **Room Rental Application Forms**
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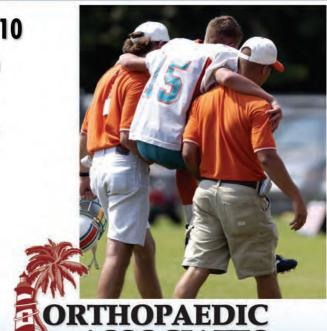
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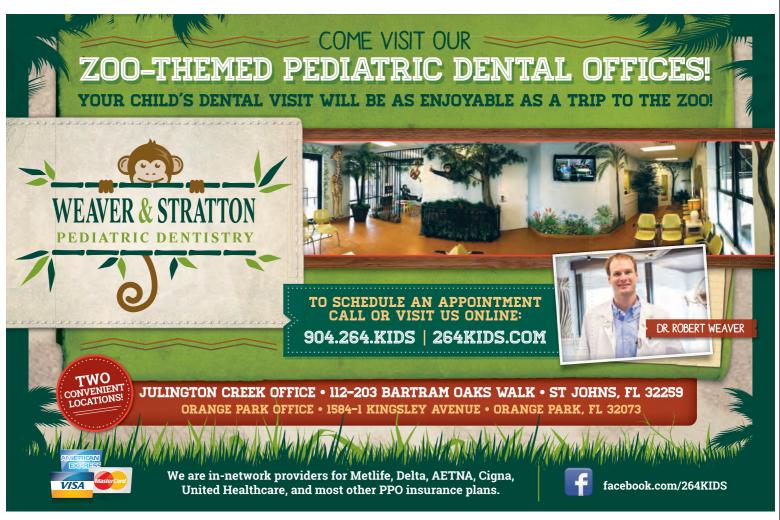




# **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

# OCTOBER 2016

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
25 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM Schreurs (SH)	Aberdeen Office Closed G.O.Y.A. (AB Parking Lot)	27 10 AM - 12:00 PM Senior Women's Coffee Social 4 - 6:00 PM Aberdeen CDD Meeting 6:30 - 7:30 PM Kyle Meeting 6:30 - 7:30 PM G.O.Y.A. (AB Parking Lot)	6:00 - 7:00 PM Boot Camp 6:30 - 7:30 PM G.O.Y.A. (AB Parking Lot) 7:00 - 8:00 PM Zumba at Aberdeen	10:30 AM - 12:30 PM Men's Social Coffee Meeting 6:30 - 7:30 PM G.O.Y.A. (AB Parking Lot)	6:00 - 7:00 PM Boot Camp	9 - 10:00 AM <b>G.O.Y.A.</b> (AB Lot) 10:00 AM-2:00 PM <b>Hurley</b> (CP) 2-6:00 PM <b>Monsalud</b> (SH)
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This is a great course for youth ages 11-16 who already babysit, are ready to start, or who simply want to stay home alone or with younger siblings safely. Participants will earn an official certification card from the American Safety & Health Institute and the course is being taught by Safety First CPR & Safety Training. Cost is \$45 and preregistration is required at www.1111cabs.eventbrite.com.

Aberdeen residents can register with promo code resident and receive a 15% discount. Info about course topics can be found at http://www.safetyfirstjax.com/babysitting-classes.html. Space is limited, so don't wait to register!



#### **ZUMBA FITNESS**

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Classes are from 7:00-8:00pm and will be every Wednesday night unless stated. Cost is \$5 per class for residents and \$6 per class for non-residents.



#### **BOOT CAMP**

Come sweat out your mid-week blues in Boot Camp at Aberdeen! It is a fun-filled hour that is suitable for many fitness and ability levels, all lead by an ACE Certified Personal Trainer.

We focus on strength and endurance, all using only our body weight. Classes are on \$6 per person! Hope to see you you there!! The schedule is listed below with the regular schedule starting July 13th.

Wednesday's and Friday's 6 p.m.-7 p.m. Aberdeen Social Hall



#### **GARAGE SALE**

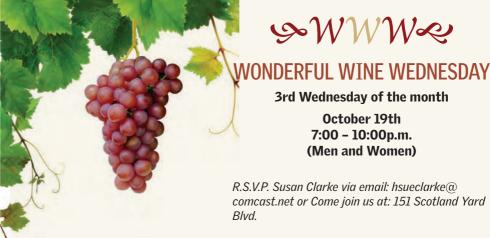
#### October 8th 8 a.m. - 1 p.m.

Time to clean out those garages, empty the attic and declutter. We are having our semi-annual garage sale in Aberdeen October 8th, 8 a.m - 1 p.m.

We will have signs up throughout the community and along the major roads for the community.

We will even have a mobile Shredit unit in the community for those that need to get rid of that personal information. The cost is \$5.00 per box that you shred, compared to by weight at the store.

Tell your friends, post on Facebook and get ready to clear out your clutter this fall!





# SENIOR WOMEN'S COFFEE SOCIAL

Tuesday Morning at 10:00 am

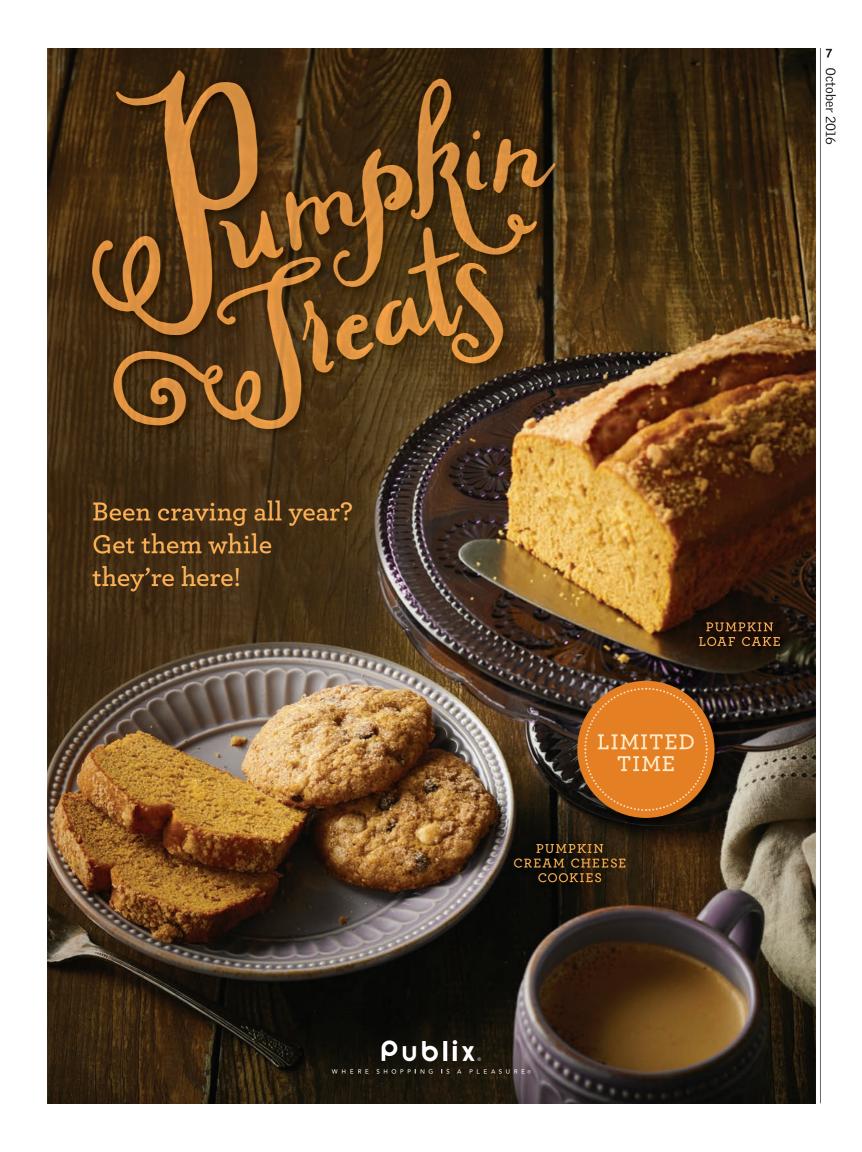
Coffee will be provided and all of our Women of Aberdeen are welcome — hope to see you there!

#### SENTOR MEN'S COFFEE SOCIAL

Thursday Morning at 10:30 am

Coffee will be provided and all of our Senior Men of Aberdeen are welcome — hope to see you there!

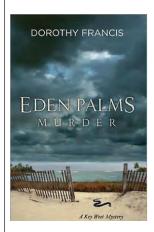
See our event caledar on page 4 for exact dates.



### **EDEN PALMS MURDER**

**By Dorothy Francis** 

Review by Wanda Hogan



Ever wanted a birds-eve view of exotic **Key West** and its quirky characters without leaving the comfort of your living room? Well, here it is in murder mystery form by an entertaining, observant

writer. Musician Bailey Green arrives for a job but immediately becomes entangled in a swiftly moving, diabolical plot. Whom can she trust? Appearances can be deceiving, but author Dorthy Francis hits a high note as the palms sway and drumbeats crescendo to an inevitable conclusion. Available at Bartram Trail Public Library.

#### **FACEBOOK**

Be sure to check us out on our Neighbors of Aberdeen St Johns Facebook page. On this site we will post event reminders, event changes, community news.

Just a reminder post as we continue to have lots of new neighbors move in and join our page! First - WELCOME to Aberdeen! Second - let's keep this friendly!

This Aberdeen neighborhood page is for sharing community information and updates for the Aberdeen community. This includes posts such as Amenity Center programs or activities, neighborhood and security issues, HOA & ARC questions/ concerns, CDD meetings/updates, school/ School Board updates, questions related to our neighborhood and lost pets.

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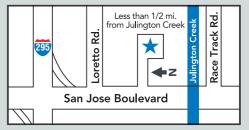
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### **Halloween Safety Tips**

#### **Safety Tips for Motorists**

- Watch for children walking on roadways, medians and curbs
- Enter and exit driveways and alleys carefully
- Put down all electric devices when you are operating a vehicle
- At twilight and later in the evening, watch for children in dark clothing

#### **Safety Tips when Trick-or-Treating**

- A parent or responsible adult should accompany young children
- Plan your route and know where to meet if you get separated
- Instruct your children to travel only in familiar, well-lit areas and trick-ortreat in a group
- Do not approach a home that does not have a porch light on
- Tell your children not to eat any treats until they return home
- Teach your children to never enter a stranger's home

#### **Safety Tips for Costumes**

- All costumes, wigs and accessories should be fire-resistant
- If children are allowed out after dark, fasten reflective tape to their costumes and bags to make sure they are visible — stay well lit
- When buying Halloween makeup, make sure it is nontoxic and always test it in a small area first
- Secure emergency identification (name address and phone number) inside of the Halloween attire or on a bracelet



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# From Haunted House to Inviting Home

How to Stop Scaring Away Potential Buyers



#### by Sabrina Sirotkin

Halloween is approaching, but if your home has looked "holiday ready" for months, then it's time for a change... especially if you're trying to sell. One of the most important factors that attract potential buyers is **curb appeal**: it's a direct representation of what individuals can expect to find inside the home. So if the outside of your home looks worn and torn, don't expect too many Private Tour requests. Thankfully, making the necessary adjustments can be fairly easy and inexpensive, so let's take a minute to decide how you can bring some extra value to your home, and turn heads (for the right reasons).

#### Clean Up

Now before you worry about anything else, spend a day power-washing EVERYTHING: the driveway, the sidewalk, the sides of your home, the garage door, and anything else that's built up dirt and mildew over the years. While you're at it, take some time to scrub your windows (inside and out) and remove any and all cobwebs. This step alone will make a world of difference, and any other improvements will be so much more noticeable against a clean slate.

#### Basic Repairs & Maintenance

Missing roof shingles, cracked asphalt, and rotted wood will not only deteriorate the look of your house, but may also negatively impact the value during appraisals. These issues are easier to handle when you're constantly mindful of upkeep, but good results are still attainable with patch jobs. And in accordance with the bigger problems, small changes like adding new house numbers, or replacing light bulbs will add up to big improvements.

#### Fresh Pain

This can become a big project if you find that your house's paint has extensive chipping or peeling, but you might also find that you only need a few touch-ups. Keep in mind that most homebuyers are attracted to neutral colors, but you can always get a little daring by painting your door, or trim and shutters a fun, bright color. Though this won't physically raise the value of your home, the plus is you'll present any curious eyes with a big welcome.

#### **Yard Care**

You don't have to have a green thumb to create a great first impression with a well-manicured lawn. Stick to the basics: pull unsightly weeds, mow your lawn regularly, and keep your grass green and vibrant with lawn food. And if you can spare to go an extra step: add a couple potted plants by the entrance steps, other colorful or leafy plants around the front of your home, and mulch to create a sense of warmth.

#### Keep it Going

Even if you're not looking to sell right now, a well-kept home exterior will always be a welcome treat for you and your guests. So whenever you notice your home is starting to resemble The Haunted Mansion, take care to make immediate changes; you can avoid having to spend more time and money, at once, on all the issues that would've otherwise accumulated.

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# Aberdeen Fall Festival

Sunday, November 13, 2016

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#### 12:00-5:00pm VENDOR APPLICATION

(PLEASE PRINT)

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Contact Person:	Phone #	Cell #	
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Address:			
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Specific Type of Craft/Activity,	/Business:		
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Greenstone at Aberdeen Condominium Association Inc. welcomes **Cindy Chapman** of Alliance Realty and Management as the Association Manager effective Sept 1st. Condo Owners — feel free to reach out to

Condo Owners — feel free to reach out to Cindy with any questions or concerns. (904) 429-7624 or CChapmanAlliance@

gmail.com.

In the meantime, just a few reminders to

- help keep our Community GREAT!!!

   Please don't throw trash on the ground. If you see a piece of trash on the ground please pick it up
  - ground. If you see a piece of trash on the ground, please pick it up.

    Make sure to pick up after your pets and put the waste in the Doggy Stations throughout the Community.

    And finally, remember not to park on
  - And finally, remember not to park on the grass or sidewalks.

Let's work together!



Jack and Henry Casey ready for the first Mustang's football game day



William Lowrie at his first football game of the season.





Local resident George Varkanis shares two amazing shots taken here in Aberdeen. We live in a beautiful neighborhood!



#### DON'T WASTE YOUR TIME IN THE GYM!

#### By Stacey Bone

If there's one thing frustrating in the fitness industry, it's seeing people put a lot of time and effort into their routines only to be disappointment by a lack of results. Don't be fooled. Here are the five biggest myths when it comes to exercise and weight loss.

# More crunches = greater abdominal definition: Crunches do little or nothing to address the real limiting factor

L Crunches do little or nothing to address the real limiting factor for abdominal definition—having too much fat on your abdominal area. Try adding in more cardiovascular interval training and making sure you are consuming a balanced diet. When it comes to doing targeted abdominal work, try planks, v-sit ups, and Russian twists.

**Running is a beginner's exercise:** You don't run to get in shape; you get in shape to run. Each mile you run is 1,500 plyometric jumps on a single leg, where you strike the ground with five times your body weight. This means that if a 200-pound man runs 3 miles, he hammers his body with 4.5 million pounds of impact. If you're new to fitness, resistance training is going to be much easier on your body. It will help create the foundation you need if you want to become a runner without hurting yourself.

**Soreness is success:** Being sore mostly means that what you did was excessive, or that you're not recovering well from

your workouts. The effectiveness of a workout is measured by the results produced. If you want to lose fat, you should be dropping clothing sizes (provided your diet will allow you to lose fat). If you want to get stronger, pounds lifted should increase. You might get moderately sore in the process, but that's not the goal. The goal is the goal.

**4 Each body part needs its own exercise:** Training under this mentality costs a lot of time and will not produce superior results. It is actually impossible to isolate just one muscle in a living body. For the best results, do a mixture of resistance and interval training. Now that the weather's nice, you can do these exercises outside.

Sweating is something your body does to cool down. You will sweat more when it's hot and humid then in cooler temperatures. Sweat is water loss, not fat loss. Increasing heart rate (cardio workout) burns calories stored as fat.

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- October 7th Food Truck Friday
- October 16th Jax vs. Bears
- October 21st Food Truck Friday
- October 29th Halloween Harvest Fest

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SUNDAY DECEMBER 11TH

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### **Tech Tips:**

Technology can be a very useful tool. As with most advances, there are also a few setbacks and dark corners to the simplicity it is supposed to offer. Hopefully in reading this, you learn a bit more about our cyber world, both online and offline.

#### **Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity Planning**

The title of this article speaks for itself. The importance of getting your business back up and running from a disaster is paramount. Studies show that over 20% of businesses that suffer a disaster, man-made or otherwise, never fully recover. Having a plan in place to ease the transition of rebuilding your day to day transactions will save more than just time and money. It will save your business.

Recently, I've been called out to a few small businesses to recover files from damaged computers and bad Windows 10 installs. For one reason or another, the customer information was damaged, lost, or unrecoverable. My first question to them is always, "When was your last backup?" If that question is answered with a blank stare, it looks like rough seas ahead. Here are two tips to avoid that.

Local Backups: Having your files automatically backed up to an external device such as a harddrive or Apple's Time Capsule can expedite recovery of important files. As a general rule, keep this device unplugged from your network/computer until backups are being done, as it's possible for something like a virus to infect both your operating system and your peripherals. My personal suggestion is a fire safe box. Although, while it's great to have a local/external backup, losing them both to the same disaster still rewards the same result; loss of data.

**Cloud Backups:** Programs/websites like Carbonite and iDrive automatically backup your selected files to "The Cloud" (some server somewhere) and is typically encrypted with passwords so no one else can easily open them. Recovering these files in this manner is dependent on a stable internet connection and the number of files to be recovered.

There are many options for backing up your information. Start looking into Disaster Recovery and Business Continuity!

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact



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