



Village VOICE

Official Newsletter of the Village of Royal Palm Beach, Florida

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1050 Royal Palm Beach Boulevard

News from PBSO District 9

As hurricane season approaches, *June 1, 2024 through November 30, 2024*, here are some tips to protect yourself and your community:

1. **Stay Informed:** Monitor weather forecasts and advisories regularly to stay updated on the latest developments and warnings.
2. **Create a Plan:** Develop a family emergency plan that includes evacuation routes, designated meeting points, and communication methods.
3. **Prepare an Emergency Kit:** Assemble a well-stocked emergency kit with essential supplies such as water, non-perishable food, flashlights, batteries, first aid supplies, medications, and important documents.
4. **Secure Your Property:** Reinforce windows and doors, trim trees and shrubs, and secure outdoor furniture and objects that could become projectiles in high winds.
5. **Evacuation Preparedness:** Know your evacuation zone and plan your evacuation route in advance. Follow evacuation orders issued by local authorities promptly.
6. **Stay Connected:** Keep communication devices charged and have alternative methods of communication in case of power outages, such as battery-powered radios.
7. **Protect Vulnerable Individuals:** Ensure the safety of elderly individuals, children, and pets by including their needs in your emergency plan and evacuation preparations.
8. **Assist Your Neighbors:** Check on neighbors, especially those who may need assistance such as elderly or disabled individuals, and offer help if possible.
9. **Stay Safe During the Storm:** Stay indoors during the storm, away from windows and doors. Avoid using candles and be cautious of potential flooding and electrical hazards.
10. **Follow Post-Storm Guidance:** After the storm passes, follow instructions from local authorities regarding re-entry, cleanup efforts, and assistance programs.

By following these tips and staying prepared, you can help protect yourself and your community during hurricane season.

Memorial Day

Join us for a Memorial Day Tribute at Veterans Park on Monday, May 27th, 2024, at 9:30 AM, as we honor the courageous men and women who made the ultimate sacrifice for our nation's freedom. Let us come together to remember and pay tribute to our fallen heroes.



Parks and Recreation

Cultural Day Diversity

Join us at Veterans Park on May 11, 2024, from 1:00 PM until sunset for a vibrant celebration of cultural diversity! Let's come together to honor and celebrate our differences, fostering understanding and unity. Don't miss this unforgettable Cultural Day at Veterans Park!



Caribbean-American For Community Involvement in Florida, Inc. & The Village of Royal Palm Beach present

Cultural Diversity Day
Our Diversity is Our Strength

Come Join Us

Saturday, May 11, 2024
1 pm – sundown

at **Veterans Park**
1036 Royal Palm Beach Blvd.,
Royal Palm Beach, FL

Food Vendors | Creative Displays | Prizes | & Much More

A diverse array of live entertainment featuring DJ Richness, Mariachi band and much much more!

Bring your chairs, blankets & tents for a fun-filled day. **It's Free.**

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Cultural Council logo and other organizational logos are present.

Summer Concert Nights



SUMMER CONCERTS

ROYAL PALM BEACH COMMONS PARK
7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

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|  MAY 3RD GIMI JIMI |  MAY 17TH VAM |
|  JUNE 7TH BILLY JOEL TRIBUTE |  JUNE 21ST SANTANA TRIBUTE |

FOR MORE INFORMATION PLEASE CALL 561-790-5140 OR VISIT WWW.ROYALPALMBEACHFL.GOV

GIMI JIMI
Jimi Hendrix Tribute
May 3



Young at Heart Club

Luncheon: Friday, May 3rd
Theme: **Wear Green & Pink**
Entertainment: Jose & Patti
Entrée: Penne a la Vodka with Meatballs

Business Breakfast:
Wednesday, May 15th

Senior Programs



*Senior
Mother's Day
Lunch*

FRIDAY, MAY 10, 2024
12:00PM - 2:30PM
TO BE HELD AT
ROYAL PALM BEACH
RECREATION CENTER
100 SWEET BAY LANE
ROYAL PALM BEACH, FL

Cost: \$10.00
Lunch will be served
Dj & Raffle Prizes
For more information
or to purchase tickets
call 561-790-5124



Join us for a delightful celebration at the Senior Mother's Day Luncheon! Taking place on Friday, May 10th, from 12:00pm to 2:30pm at the Royal Palm Beach Recreation Center, this event promises an afternoon of joy and camaraderie. Indulge in a delicious lunch, groove to the beats with our talented DJ, and get ready to win exciting raffle prizes. Let's honor our cherished mothers and make memories together at this special occasion! For more information or to how to purchase tickets please call 561-790-5124.



YAH-MEMBER \$30 NON-MEMBER \$35

YAH SENIOR CITIZEN
**PROM
NIGHT**

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND HOW TO REGISTER
PLEASE CALL 561-790-5124

FRIDAY, MAY 24, 2024 - 4PM - 7PM
ROYAL PALM BEACH CULTURAL CENTER
151 CIVIC CENTER WAY, ROYAL PALM BEACH

DINNER ● DANCING ● RAFFLES ●
PHOTO BOOTH ● CROWNING OF PROM KING AND QUEEN

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Get ready to relive the magic of prom night at the YAH Senior Citizen Prom Night! Join us on Friday, May 24th, from 4:00pm to 7:00pm at the Royal Palm Beach Recreation Center for an unforgettable evening. Enjoy a delicious dinner, dance the night away to your favorite tunes, strike a pose at our photo booth, and try your luck with our exciting raffles. The highlight of the evening? The crowning of our prom king and queen! Don't miss out on this opportunity to create cherished memories and celebrate in style with your fellow seniors.

Finance

The Government Finance Officers Association (GFOA) is pleased to announce that the Village of Royal Palm Beach, Florida received GFOA's Distinguished Budget Presentation Award for its FY2024 Budget.

The award represents a significant achievement by the entity. It reflects the commitment of the governing body and staff to meeting the highest principles of governmental budgeting. In order to receive the budget award, the entity had to satisfy nationally recognized guidelines for effective budget presentation. These guidelines are designed to assess how well an entity's budget serves as: (1) a policy document (2) a financial plan (3) an operations guide and (4) a communication device. The budget documents must be rated "proficient" in all four categories, and in fourteen mandatory criteria within those categories, to receive the award.

The Village of Royal Palm Beach has been a recipient of this award for the past twenty-six years.



Public Arts



Are you an artist or creative living in Royal Palm Beach?

The Village of Royal Palm Beach is gathering a list of people, places, events, and creative organizations to create a cultural asset resource database. This cultural resource list will be used to inform the Village of artists and creative industries within our community, create a cultural resource map, and be made available for future opportunities.

[Click here](#) to complete the survey.

Engineering

Cypress Hall Renovation

Progress on Cypress Hall has been steady and promising. The former Council Chambers building is undergoing a remarkable transformation into a rental space, aligning its aesthetics with the contemporary style of the new Village Hall. The addition of a new stone veneer on the veranda wall brings a touch of sophistication, while a newly laid paver stone entry pathway enhances accessibility and curb appeal. Inside, renovations are underway, promising to breathe new life into the interior spaces, ensuring they are as inviting and functional as the exterior improvements suggest.



Crestwood North Park

The majority of the pavement work, including the bases for various sports courts such as basketball, tennis, and pickle ball, has been completed, laying the groundwork for recreational activities. Meanwhile, the construction of the restroom building is currently underway, enhancing the park's amenities. Additionally, the playground has been fully completed, offering a safe and enjoyable space for children to play.



Village of Royal Palm Beach May 2024



| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| If further information is required please call the Clerk's Office at 790-5100. | All meetings will be held at the Village Meeting Hall unless otherwise noted. | | 1 Council Strategic Planning 8:30 – 4:30 | 2 | Food Truck and Concert Night <i>Gimi Jimi—Jimi Hendrix Tribute</i> 7pm to 9pm Commons Park Department Head Strategic Planning 8:30 – 12:00 Council Strategic Planning 1:00 – 5:00 | |
| 5 | 6 | 7 RPB Youth Baseball Meeting 7:00pm | 8 Special Magistrate Hearing 5:30pm | 9 Technical Staff Review 9:00am | 10 Senior Mother's Day Lunch 12pm to 2:30pm <i>RPB Recreation Center</i> 561-753-1241 | 11 Cultural Diversity Day 1pm—Sundown Veterans Park |
| 12 | 13 Education Advisory Board Meeting 6:00pm | 14 | 15 RPB Youth Basketball Meeting 7:00pm | 16 COUNCIL REGULAR MEETING 6:30pm | 17 Food Truck and Concert Night <i>Vam Band</i> 7pm to 9pm Commons Park | 18 |
| 19 | 20 Citizen Summit 6pm Cultural Center | 21 RPB Youth Soccer Meeting 6:30pm | 22 RPB Youth Football Meeting 7:00pm | 23 Technical Staff Review 9:00am | 24 Young At Heart Senior Citizen Prom 4pm to 7pm RPB Cultural Center | |
| 26 | 27 Memorial Day Ceremony 9:30am Veterans Park Amphitheater Village Offices Will Be Closed | 28 Planning & Zoning Commission Meeting 7:00pm | 29 | 30 | 31 | |

Village Calendar

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