Village of North Palm Beach

“The Best Place to Live Under the Sun”

November 2015

Happy Thanksgiving
Dear Residents,

As referenced in my September and October newsletter messages, we have much work ahead of us this fiscal year (10/1/15 –9/30/16). In order to be successful in these new ventures, we must have resident and business owner input. Therefore, it is essential that you be given multiple opportunities to share your visions, opinions, concerns and desires with us.

From a preliminary standpoint, the Treasure Coast Regional Planning Council (working on the Master Plan for the Village) and Peacock & Lewis (working on the Community Resort and Clubhouse at the NPB Country Club) are researching the history, current status, economic data, and administrative records associated with our Village.

In October, interviews were held with various volunteer advisory boards; business owners; realtors; Village staff; golf, restaurant/banquet, tennis and pool user groups; and other residents who signed up at various Village functions.

On November 6th and 7th, you are welcome to attend an open forum that will be held for Village residents and business owners (the location will be announced on our website) Additionally, the Village has established a new website (www.village-npb.org) to keep you informed regarding the factual status of the Master Plan and Community Resort and Clubhouse Projects. We hope the website will provide a venue for all stakeholders to keep abreast of what is truly occurring in the Village (fact vs. rumor), such as scheduled meetings, charettes, workshops and the stages of our progress. If you experience any difficulty in accessing the website, please contact Joanna Cunningham at (561)-904-2122.

On a personal note, as I look forward to my family gathering together for Thanksgiving, it seems like just yesterday that Vicki and I, with our infant children, would go to grandma and grandpa's house for dinner. As our children got older (probably out of diapers), we hosted Thanksgiving dinner for our parents, our children, and later their spouses and our infant grandchildren. This year, our son Jimmy (Only Grandma, Vicki and I are allowed to call him that!) and his lovely wife Katie are hosting Thanksgiving dinner (you guessed it, all four grandchildren are out of diapers!). One of the greatest satisfactions as a parent is when you see your children embracing your family traditions as they raise their children. No matter how hectic life gets, family is the one constant in our lives.

Lastly, let me express a heartfelt thanks to you the residents, the Village Council, all employees, and volunteers for the dedicated efforts and service you provide to ensure our Village truly is “The Best Place to Live Under the Sun”. You all make it happen, and I am so grateful to have you as partners as we enter this new fiscal year with its many challenges and exciting possibilities.

Sincerely,

Jim Kelly
Election Date: Tuesday, March 15, 2016
In 2016, the North Palm Beach Municipal Election will be held in conjunction with the Presidential Preference Primary.

Please note that qualifying to run for Council in the March 2016 election is earlier than in previous years, due to the Presidential Preference Primary. The election of councilmembers is by group, at-large and non-partisan (no districts, no party affiliation).

Village Council Seats Open to Election
Group 1 (currently held by Robert Gebbia)
Group 3 (currently held by Darryl Aubrey)
Group 5 (currently held by Mark Mullinix)

Candidate Qualifying Period
Opens: Noon, Tuesday, December 1, 2015
Closes: Noon, Tuesday, December 15, 2015

A candidate may announce his or her candidacy before or during the qualifying period by filing Form DS-DE 9, Appointment of Campaign Treasurer and Designation of Campaign Depository with the Village Clerk. After filing Form DS-DE 9 and opening the campaign account, candidates may begin accepting contributions and making campaign expenditures; however, candidates must still qualify by filing the appropriate forms with the Village Clerk during the qualifying period, in order to be listed on the ballot.

Candidate Qualifying Fees
Qualifying Fee: $10.00
State Election Assessment: 90.00
Total $100.00

Candidate Qualifications
Village resident and registered voter
For more info, see “Becoming a Candidate” on Elections page at www.village-npb.org

Volunteer Tax-Aide Counselors Needed
Help people and give your mind a workout, too. Get the joy and satisfaction of helping people in your own community with a much-needed service by applying to join the AARP Foundation. Your expertise will be appreciated more than you can imagine.

Volunteer today! Register online at www.aarp.org/taxaide.
SUPPORT OUR TROOPS FOR THE HOLIDAYS

We’re only weeks away from sending Holiday “Care Packages” to soldiers.
Here are the ways you can make a difference and show your support:

★ Make a monetary donation; no amount is too small. We especially need donations to help pay shipping costs. Postage for our last holiday shipment was over $3,000! Deliver your tax-exempt contribution to the Clerk’s office or mail to Support Our Troops USA, Inc. P.O. Box 14211, NPB FL 33408.
★ Write cards and letters encouraging our servicemen and servicewomen. Each care package we send contains cards and letters – the items most cherished by our soldiers.
★ Donate items we send. We particularly need new CD’s or DVD’s, holiday decorations, and individually wrapped snacks like crackers, cookies, protein bars, etc. Due to postal deadlines, we need your donations delivered to the Clerk’s Office by November 6th.
★ Volunteer to help at our donation drive. The next donation drive is Saturday November 7, 10 am – 3 pm at the Dollar Tree store in Tequesta. If you can help please call Bob Gebbia at 561-351-8459.

TRASH TALK

One of the traditions in NPB is to have side door pick-up of trash on Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays. Some residents are unnecessarily placing trash out front.

★ Please leave your trash on the side in a trash can, or if you just have one bag of trash, leave the bag on the side of your house, and we will pick it up for you. Thank You.
★ P.S. Bulk Items and Vegetation should be placed on the swale out front.
**Library News**

**Book Discussion:**
**TRIGGER WARNING; SHORT STORIES**
by Neil Gaiman

Neil Gaiman is the #1 New York Times bestselling author of more than twenty books for readers of all ages, some of which have been adapted into film, and recipient of numerous literary wards. Trigger Warning includes previously published pieces of short fiction – stories, verse, and a very special DOCTOR WHO story that was written for the fiftieth anniversary of the beloved series in 2013. Thursday November 12th at 11:00 AM -- 12:30 PM

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*The World’s Greatest Geological Wonders: 36 Spectacular Sites* filmed series from The Great Courses. This course takes you to the world's most spectacular geological wonders, explains the forces that have formed them, and tells you the stories that have grown up around them. Tuesdays at 2:00 PM -- 3:30 PM through December 22, 2015.

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**Have you met Ella???

Come Read to Ella the Dog every Wednesday at 3:00 pm in the Library**
Please join us for the third annual Veterans Day Ceremony at Veterans Memorial Park, located adjacent to the Village Library. The Ceremony will be on Veterans Day, November 11th, at 9am.

Mayor and Council, along with the Village Manager, Department Heads and employees will be in attendance.

Boy Scout Troop 155 will again offer their assistance in recognizing all veterans. The Red Cross will provide water through a Veterans Grant, and our own Village Honor Guard will present the Flags and Colors. Village Chaplain Father Emmanuel will provide the invocation again this year.

Our Keynote speaker this year is decorated veteran SSGT Brian Mast. The Village is honored to have such a decorated veteran as this year’s Keynote Speaker on Veterans Day. Brian served in the Army for 12 years. Brian's service also included the honor of serving under the elite Joint Special Operations Command (JSOC) as a bomb disposal expert.

While on his last deployment in Afghanistan, Mast was tasked with protecting his brothers from IED’s on a nightly basis. While he was able to detect and destroy most of these IED's, the very last IED Mast found resulted in him sustaining catastrophic injuries, which included the loss of both his legs. As a result of his service and sacrifice to our country, Mast was been awarded medals for Valor, Merit, and Sacrifice, to include The Bronze Star Medal, The Army Commendation Medal for Valor, The Purple Heart Medal, and The Defense Meritorious Service Medal.

Please join us in honoring all of our veterans!

The National Anthem will be sung by American Idol Contestant Emily Brooke from Wellington, Florida. Emily is a singer, songwriter, and guitarist. She performs all around South Florida and in Nashville. She was a semi-finalist on Season 14 of American Idol and has won numerous other singer/songwriter competitions/titles. Emily is 16 years old.
Cooking Safety

Cooking brings family and friends together, provide an outlet for creativity and can be relaxing. But did you know that cooking fires are the number one cause of home fires and home injuries? By following a few safety tips you can prevent these fires.

“COOK WITH CAUTION”

Be on alert! If you are sleepy or have consumed alcohol don’t use the stove or stovetop.
Stay in the kitchen when you are frying, grilling, boiling, or broiling food.
If you are simmering, baking, or roasting food, check it regularly, stay in the kitchen while food is cooking, and use a timer to remind you that you are cooking.
Keep anything that can catch fire — oven mitts, wooden utensils, food packaging, towels or curtains — away from your stovetop.

If you have a small (grease) cooking fire and decide to fight the fire...
On the stovetop, smother the flames by sliding a lid over the pan and turning off the burner. Leave the pan covered until it is completely cooled.
For an oven fire, turn off the heat and keep the door closed.

If you have any doubt about fighting a small fire...
Just get out! When you leave, close the door behind you to help contain the fire.
Call 9-1-1 or the local emergency number from outside the home.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Cooking and Kids

Have a “kid-free zone” of at least 3 feet around the stove and areas where hot food or drink is prepared or carried.

FACTS

The leading cause of fires in the kitchen is unattended cooking.

Most cooking fires in the home involve the stovetop.
**Parks and Recreation News**

**Arts & Crafts Fall Festival**
The 30th Annual Arts & Crafts Fall Festival will be held at the NPB Community Center on Saturday, Nov. 7 from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. This is a great place to find those unique, hand-crafted gifts for everyone on your holiday list! Over 100 vendors located indoors and out. Free admission, free parking.

**Kids Night Out**
Kids Night Out is for kids 7-11 years of age and will be held at the NPB Community Center. You can have the evening out and we will entertain the kids with indoor activity, games, pizza, and fun!! The cost is $17/$15(RDF)/child. Kids Night Out are from 6:00-10:00 pm and scheduled for Nov. 20, and Dec. 11. Kids are guaranteed to have a great time!

**Adult Cooking Classes:**
- **Florida Fruits & Veggies** – Shelly will teach you how to prepare delicious meals using fresh fruits and vegetables grown here in Florida. Saturday, Nov. 7 from 11-1 at the Anchorage Park Activities Bldg. Fee: $25/person, register by Nov. 4.
- **Tried & True Thanksgiving Dishes** – Learn how to cook some traditional Thanksgiving dishes in a way other than how your Mother taught you! Shelly and the group will cook standard Thanksgiving dishes with new twists and then enjoy their efforts! Tuesday, Nov. 17 6:30-8:30 pm. Fee: $25/person, register by Nov. 14.

**Travel Trips**
The North Palm Beach Recreation Dept. invites you to join us for upcoming trips to local attractions! The Recreation Dept. now owns a bus so we will be able to take the trips with less chance of cancelling due to low enrollment. Seating is limited, so don’t wait! Now registering for:
- Nov. 9 – Perez Art Museum - $20
- Nov. 17 – Gulfstream Casino - $20
- Nov. 21 – Miami Book Fair - $20
- Dec. 4 – Bok Tower - $45

**Save the Date:**
- Dec. 2 Tree Lighting Ceremony; 7:00 pm
- Dec. 18 Santa’s Trolley Rides; 6:30 pm
- Dec. 19 Santa’s Visits; 10-2 pm

**Winter Camp**
Start thinking about what you are going to do to keep the kids busy when they are off school for Winter Break. We have the answer to your problems - Winter Camp with NPB Rec! Sign the kids up for two weeks’ worth of games, trips and fun! We accept youth 9-15 yrs. This camp meets at the NPB Community Center from 9:00 am – 4:00 pm. (Drop off 8-9am, and pick up 4-5pm). Registration begins November 1 and continues until full. Space is limited. Call Bill for more information at 841-3386

**Week-1** (Dec. 21-23) Trips include: Bowling at Revolutions, Jupiter Lighthouse & Cheeseburgers N’ More and Ninja Lounge. Games include, kick-ball, basketball, pickle ball, and 9-square in-the-air. Fee: $95/$90(RDF)

**Week-2** (Dec. 28-31) Trips include: Ice Skating, Thriller Boat, Uptown Art, and Brevard Zoo. Games include Ketchup, Volleyball, Scooterball, and Fluffball. Fee: $125/$120(RDF)

**Winter Soccer**
Registration for the winter youth soccer league was held in October. Openings may remain. Call 561-841-3389 for details.
Save the Date!

Wednesday
December 2nd
Tree Lighting
Veterans Memorial Park
7:00 p.m.

Boat Parade Saturday, December 5th

Turkey Shoot

November 21st at the Community Center. This basketball free-throw contest is for all ages and runs from 9 - 11 am. $5.00 gets you 10 shots. Age Groups: 9-11, 12-14, 15-17, 18+.

From 9am-noon. Keep entering until you get the score you like! Finals begin at eleven. Prizes will be awarded to top, hot-shot contenders!

KNOW YOUR CODE

Sec. 24-46. - Dangerous or abandoned driveways.

Should the vehicular or other use of any driveway, in the opinion of the building official, be or become dangerous to pedestrians, or should the use of such driveway be discontinued or such driveway abandoned, then the building official shall give notice in writing to the owner of record of the abutting property to restore within thirty (30) days such curb and sidewalk to the original or proper condition.
Happy Thanksgiving

from the

North Palm Beach Country Club

Join us for Dinner November 26, 2015

11:00 am–4:00 pm

$34.95 Adults

$14.95 Kids 7–12 (under 6 free)

Please call for reservations 561-691-3430
WHAT IS IT?

Get Golf Ready is designed to teach everything you’ll need to play golf in just a few lessons. PGA and LPGA Professionals will show you that there are lots of ways to play by instructing a 5 week comprehensive instruction series covering key aspects of putting, short game, full swing, and on course strategy.

For more information or to sign up, please call (561)-691-3421 or email cmitchell@village-npb.org

WHEN?

Saturdays, November 7 - December 12
9:00 - 10:30 AM

Sundays, November 8 - December 13
4:00 – 5:30 PM

COST?

$150 per person for 7.5 hours of instruction

INSTRUCTORS

Casey Mitchell - Director of Golf
Joe Dargin - 1st Assistant Professional
Danny Walsh - PGA Instructor
# November 2015 Community Calendar

## Driving Range Hours:
- Monday & Thursday: 9 AM - 9:00 PM
- All other days: 7 AM - 9:00 PM
- Daily: 6:30 AM - 5:30 PM

## Restaurant:
- Open Daily: 7:00 AM - 7:00 PM
- Breakfast & Lunch served 7 days a week

## Library Hours:
- Monday - Thursday: 9 AM - 7 PM
- Friday - Saturday: 9 AM - 5 PM
- Sunday: 1 PM - 5 PM

## Pool Hours:
- Mon. - Fri.: CLOSED
- Tues. - Fri.: 12 PM - 4 PM
- Saturday: 10 PM - 6 PM
- Sunday: 12 PM - 6 PM
- Water Aerobics: Tues. & Thurs. - Jane Wed. & Fri. - Steve 11:00 AM - 12:00 PM

## Members Only Swim: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM
- Tuesday - Friday

## Tennis Court Hours/Club Play:
- Mon. - Thurs.: 7:00 AM - 10 PM
- Fri., Sat., Sun.: 7 AM - DARK

## Tennis Office and Retail Shop Hours:
- Mon. - Thurs.: 7:45 AM - 9:00 PM
- Fri.: 7:45 AM - 5:00 PM
- Sat.: 7:45 AM - 12:00 PM
- Sun.: 8:00 AM - 12:00 PM

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## Library Events:
- AAUW Mtg—7pm
- Baby Time—11am
- Tennis Clinic—9:30 am
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- Tree Lighting—December 2nd—7:00 PM Veterans Park
- Boat Parade—Saturday, December 5th

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### November 2015 Calendar:

#### SUN
- 1.  Tennis Clinic or RR—9:30am

#### MON
- 2.  WGA Team Golf—9am Knit & Crochet—1:45 pm Pickleball—2-5 pm

#### TUE
- 3.  MGA—7:45am rev. shotgun Story Time, Ages 2-4—10am Baby Time—11am

#### WED
- 4.  WGA—8:15am rev. shotgun 9 Holers—10:28 am tee times 9WGA Team Golf—9am Daily Driving Range Hours: 7 AM - 5:30 PM

#### THUR
- 5.  Water Aerobics—11am-12pm Free Seminar—Shalloway & Shalloway—Study & Special Needs Attorney—3:30 pm Water Aerobics—12pm

#### FRI
- 6.  Tennis Drill & Play—9:30 am Quilters Group—10am Water Aerobics—11am-12pm

#### SAT
- 7.  Get Golf Ready Clinic—10am Junior Team Golf—1pm MGA “A” Game—10am Water Aerobics—9:00am

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### NPBCC UP-TO-DATES:
- Golf
- Parks & Recreation
- Library
- NPBCC

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### Villages Office:
- Open: 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
- Closed: 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

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### Thanksgiving:
- Village Offices Closed
- Dinner at the NPBCC

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### Contact Information:
- 501 U.S. Highway 1, NPB, FL 33408
- Phone: 561-691-3430  www.npbcc.org

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### South Florida Events:
- Veteran’s Day Ceremony Tuesday, November 11th—9am
- Tree Lighting—December 2nd—7:00 PM Veterans Park
- Boat Parade—Saturday, December 5th
### North Palm Beach Country Club - November

**Open to the Public**

#### Tennis

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**Junior After School Program - Call 691-3425 for Details**

- Men's Doubles
- Women's Doubles
- Mixed Evening Workout
- Men's Doubles

**Special Events and Activities - Call 691-3425 for Details or to Register**

- **SUPER SATURDAY** Family BBQ - Something for Everyone - Adult & Jr. Clinic, Round Robin, Free BBQ
- **THANKSGIVING CLINICS** - November 27th, 9:30 & November 28th, 9:00

Further details are available at the desk or call the shop for information 691-3425.
Regular Garbage Pickup Schedule
Mondays- Garbage, Trash & Bulk Items
Tuesday- Vegetation
Wednesday- Garbage, Trash & Bulk Items
Thursday- Vegetation & Recycling
Friday- Garbage, Trash & Bulk Items

Holiday Garbage Pickup Schedule
Monday, November 9th- Garbage, Trash & Bulk Items
Tuesday, November 10th- Vegetation
Wednesday- NO COLLECTION (Holiday Veteran’s Day)
Thursday, November 12th- Vegetation & Recycling
Friday, November 13th- Garbage, Trash & Bulk Items

Advisory Board Meeting Schedule
Audit Committee ..............................................on call
Business Advisory Board ...............4th Monday, monthly, 6:30 pm
Code Enforcement Special Magistrate ..................................on call
Construction Board of Adjustment ..................................on call
Golf Advisory Board .......................2nd Monday, monthly, 6:30 pm
Library Advisory Board ......................4th Tuesday, monthly, 7:00pm
Pension Board - General Employees..............................on call
Pension Board - Police & Fire ..................................on call
Planning Commission ......................1st Tuesday, monthly, 6:30pm
Recreation Advisory Board .............2nd Tuesday, monthly,7:30pm
Waterways Board ..................next to last Tuesday, monthly,4:00pm

Upcoming Council Meeting
Thursday, November 12, 2013, 7:30 pm

*All meetings are held at the Village Hall, 501 US Highway One and are open to the public*