

Miami Shores Village

THE VILLAGE BEAUTIFUL

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SO VERY THANKFUL



Miami Shores Village took part in celebrating Florida City Government Week October 18-24. Check out all the wonderful photos. Also that week, Village employees and Councilmembers wore pink to support the fighters, admire the survivors, and honor those lost and touched by breast cancer.



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THE RECCENTER

305-758-8103

READY, STEADY, GROW:

Preschoolers will explore the world around them and interact with peers through movement and play. Tuesdays and Thursdays (November 2 - December 16) from 9 - 11 AM. Fee: Residents: \$264 | Non-Residents: \$330. Ages 2-4.

PARENTS NIGHT OUT!

OPEN GYM NIGHT:

Drop your kids off & have their gymnastics Instructors watch them for the night. Friday, November 5, from 6:30 - 9:30 PM. Pizza and snacks included. Fee: \$45 (\$5 discount if registered by Thursday, November 4.)



LEGO NIGHT:

Your child will be entertained with great activities. Friday, November 12, from 6:30 - 9:30 PM. Pizza and snacks included. Fee: \$45 (\$5 discount if registered by Thursday, November 4.)



CYBER-SENIORS:

November 5 - December 17 from 9:30 - 10:30 AM. It's finally time to let go of your anxiety. Learn the basics of how to use your smartphones, tablets, and social media. Beginners welcome. Fee: Residents \$72 | Nonresidents \$90.

Doggie Dip
It's a pool "paw-ty"

At the Aquatic Center

November 6
11 AM—12:30 PM Dogs under 25 lbs
1 PM—2:30 PM Dogs over 25 lbs

\$4.00 Dog—\$1.00 Human

- MSV Residents
- Proof of rabies vaccine
- Collar with identification
- Non-retractable leash (only to be used in case of incident)
- Well-mannered dogs
- Dog Handler must be 18+
- No Food or Treats
- No Humans in pool
- No Puppies under 4 months

For more information (305)795-2241

SAVE THE DATE DECEMBER 4TH

Dashing Through The Snows
3K Reindeer Run & Tree Lighting

Join us for our Holiday Tree Lighting followed by a 3k Fun Run / Walk through Miami Shores. Event will be held in front of Village Hall 1005D NE 2nd Ave

"Oh what fun it is to run"

December 4th | 6:00pm

\$5.00 Per Person
Registration available online through Webtrac <https://webtrac.msvfl.gov>

- Holiday dress up / costumes encouraged
- Jingle Bells & Glow sticks will be provided
- Leashed pets are welcome
- 3k Fun Run / Walk Starts at 6:30pm
- Collecting unwrapped toys for Toys for Tots
- Join us after the run for refreshments and goodies
- Online Registration ends 12/1/21

For more information (305)758-8103

Miami Shores Village Recreation Department

BROCKWAY MEMORIAL LIBRARY

CHILDREN'S PROGRAMS



VIRTUAL PUPPET THEATRE: The Brockway Puppeteers will present *How Bear Lost His Tail*. Based on a Native American folk tale, this wonderful endearing puppet show tells the legend of why the Bear has a short tail. Find out what happens on Wednesday, November 3 at 4 PM. Watch via our Facebook page: Miami Shores Village Official Government.

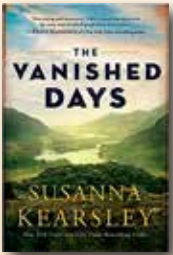


VIRTUAL VILLAGE KIDS' BOOK CLUB: *The Problem Children* by Natalie Lloyd. Thursday, November 18 at 3:30 PM via ZOOM. Please register and get your copy of the November selection at the Library. This book club is best for ages 7 to 10. Space is limited. Contact Ms. Holsing at 305-758-8107 or by email at holsingb@msvfl.gov if you would like to join.



TAKE & MAKE KITS-FOR-KIDS FROM THE BROCKWAY CHILDREN'S LIBRARY: Monthly Themes to Encourage Literacy and Art. This Take & Make Kit will contain a book and a simple craft activity related to the monthly theme. You keep the craft, and just return the book. November's theme is *Thanksgiving*. Must have a Brockway Library card, please call the Library to order 305-758-8107. Supplies are limited. For kids ages 3 to 7.

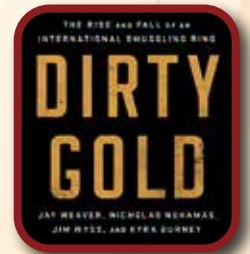
ADULT PROGRAMS



***The Vanished Days* by Susanna Kearsley:**

Brockway Memorial Library and Baker & Taylor present the Mystery at the Library Book Club via Zoom on Wednesday, December 1 at 7 PM. Free to register. Please contact the library at 305-758-8107 to register and to reserve a copy.

BOOK DISCUSSION: Local Author, Jay Weaver, to host a book discussion on *Dirty Gold* in person, November 18 at 6:30 PM. Space is limited, please register.



Sponsored by the
Brockway Memorial Library.

Join us for yoga classes focused on alignment for achieving a balance between body, mind, and breath.

**SATURDAYS | 11:30 AM - 12:30 PM
AT OPTIMIST PARK. \$10 PER CLASS.**

Classes: November 6, 13, and 20

Please pay instructor before class | cash or Zelle
Please call 305-758-8107 for more information.

OLLI at FIU & Brockway Memorial Library present: The History of Protest Music Series continues with NPR host, Michael Stock. Saturday, November 6 and 13 from 10 - 11:30 AM. \$40 for all or \$15 each.

**For more information, please contact the
Brockway Memorial Library by calling 305-758-8107.**

Business Spotlight Corner

BORSALINO COFFEE BAR & FOOD

The mission at Borsalino Coffee Bar & Food is to create spaces that encourage community, lift the spirit and become the most loved café in Florida. They take great pride in the overall operations of the café, including the level of quality, service, product, décor and mostly the guests and employees. They believe that success stems from the dedication and hard work of the staff, and the team effort and contribution of each individual that results in making Borsalino Coffee Bar & Food the best café in Florida. They are committed to run Borsalino with the love for the coffee bean, love for exceptional food and creation of welcoming spaces “where our guests gather to enjoy our common journey”.



BORSALINO
COFFEE BAR & FOOD



KING TIDES - 2021
ARE ANTICIPATED FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES:

NOVEMBER 3 - 9

Due to the King Tides, flooding may occur in the Shores Estates area behind K-Mart and NE 104th Street east of 14th Avenue. Please use caution when approaching flooded areas.

The Public Works Department will be on standby and ready in case any flooding occurs.

SAVE THE DATE SAVE THE DATE

SIP, SHOP & CELEBRATE

A DOWNTOWN EVENING OF SHOPPING AND CELEBRATING OUR SMALL BUSINESS COMMUNITY.
A PLAZA 98 EVENT!

Food • Drinks • Music
Gift Wrapping Station • Festivities
and Lots of Holiday Shopping!

DECEMBER
11 2021
4-8PM



YOGA AT OPTIMIST PARK!

Yoga Instructor - Mariana Scotti



Join us Saturday, November 13 at 10 AM at Optimist Park for Yoga. We're raising funds to contribute to the Sister to Sister organization at Doctor's Charter. Sister 2 Sister is dedicated to equipping young ladies with the leadership qualities necessary to become strong empowered young women.

Those who come will receive a free yoga roll. All contributions are welcome on the day of the event.

Miami Shores Village Council

COUNCIL INFORMATION

The November 2021 meetings will be held at 6:30 PM on Tuesday, November 2 and Tuesday, November 16 in the 9900 NE 2nd Avenue Building, Miami Shores, FL 33138.

SEPTEMBER COUNCIL ACTIONS

- Approved resolution, authorizing the Village Manager to be substituted for the Interim Village Manager, as signatory for applicable village TD Bank accounts.
- Approved resolution, authorizing the current Village Manager to be substituted for the former village manager, as signatory for the Village's state board of administration (SBA) bank accounts and adding the finance director as a signatory.
- Approved resolution, authorizing the current Village Manager to be substituted for the former Village Manager, as signatory for the Village's Suntrust Bank accounts and adding the Finance Director as a signatory.
- Adopted ordinance, to amend Objective 10, Policy 10.4. of the Comprehensive Plan, updating the water supply plan of its respective Water Management District.
- Appointed to the Recreation Advisory Committee: Jennifer Baumann, Silvia Clarke, Christian Dunham, Sheryl Piper, and Jens Schwarte.
- Appointed to the Planning and Zoning Board: Daniel Brady and John Busta
- Appointed to the Historic Preservation Board: John Bachay, Patrizia Bonaduce, Michelle Headley.
- Appointed to the Sustainability & Resiliency Committee: Nicola Meyer.
- Approved Resolution, urging the Miami-Dade County Board of County Commissioners to uphold the recommendations of county staff and deny and not transmit CDMP amendment application CDMP20210003.
- Directed the Village Manager to look into the implementation of a special needs registry and training for the Village police department and for such findings to be brought forth for Council consideration.
- Ratified the FPE collective bargaining unit contract providing for a 3% cola for union members.
- Appointed to the Ad Hoc Charter Advisory Committee: Harrison Bergman, Michael O'Hara, Bonnie O'Meara, David Coviello, Ed Quinton, Brian Kronberg, and Kathryn Mason.
- Appointed to the Code Enforcement Board: Darci Cohen and Patrick Huber.
- Appointed to the Education Advisory Board: Sylvie Duerkop, Joseph Paulino, and Dana Vignale.
- Appointed to the Fine Arts Commission: Susan Ackley, Victor Bruce, and Beth Dunlop.
- Appointed to the General Employee Pension Board: Averill Dorsett, Thomas Longman, and Robert Williamson.
- Approved resolution, recognizing Florida City Government Week, October 18-24, 2021, and encouraging all citizens to support the celebration and corresponding activities.
- Directed the Village Manager to work with the grant writer to seek funding for a Village Parks Master Plan.

employee SPOTLIGHT

Village Administration Charter Officer VILLAGE CLERK

Ms. Rodriguez has been the personification of professionalism and service since she started 4 years ago. She demonstrates an amazingly high level of care for our Village and its residents, always being courteous, timely, and thoughtful in all her interactions. Whether it be guiding our elections process, answering information requests, or supporting the functions of all our committees and Charter employees, Ysabely is there with a smile and is very much one of the faces of our Village which makes our Village the warm and welcoming place that it is. Ysabely, is well-deserving of being highlighted as the Employee of the Month, as she is an exemplary employee who takes pride in her work and delivers excellence daily.



Meet Ysabely Rodriguez



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MIAMI SHORES VILLAGE

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VILLAGE COUNCIL
Sandra Harris, Mayor
Daniel Marinberg, Vice Mayor
Councilperson, Alice Burch
Councilperson, Crystal Wagar
Councilperson, Katia Saint Fleur

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICERS

Esmond K. Scott	Village Manager
Ysabely Rodriguez	Village Clerk
Richard Sarafan	Village Attorney
Directors	
Michelle Brown	Library
Chris Miranda	Public Works
Angela Dorney	Recreation
Holly Hugdahl	Finance
Travis Kendall	Planning & Zoning
David Golt	Interim Chief of Police
Ismael Naranjo	Building
Lazaro Remond	Code Compliance

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Communications Specialist



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Village Hall and Village Offices will be closed on Thursday, November 26 and Friday, November 27 for the Thanksgiving Holiday.

Regular garbage pick-up schedules will be followed.

AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

Miami Shores Village complies with the provisions of the Americans With Disabilities Act. If you are a disabled person requiring accommodations or assistance in conjunction with Village functions, facilities, or programs, please notify the Village Clerk’s office at 305-795-2207 of such a need at least 72 hours (3 days) in advance. You may also call this number to request printed material in accessible format, sign language interpreter (5 days advance notice required) or information on available access to individuals with disabilities.

Mods STEMobile:



Join us on Thursday, November 10 from 4 to 5 PM on the Library lawn, as we welcome the Museum of Discovery and Science (MODS) mobile makerspace – known as MODS STEMobile! The theme of the month is *Weather the Storm!* Learners will explore weather-related challenges and phenomena (hurricanes, floods or tornadoes) that lead to a making activity. For kids in grades K-5th. Registration is required. Space is limited.