

MARCH 2019

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Meetings are held at 2525 Estero Blvd in your Council Chambers

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March Meetings

Town Council

Mar 4, 2019 9:00am
Regular Meeting

Mar 18, 2019 9:00am
Regular Meeting

Mar 21, 2019 9:00am
Management & Planning

Local Planning Agency & Council Joint Session
Mar 12, 2019 9:00am

Historic Preservation
Mar 26, 2019 9:00am

Public Safety
Mar 19, 2019 9:00am

Community Resource Advisory Board (CRAB)
Mar 12, 2019 3:00 pm

Audit Committee
Mar 11, 2019, 9:00 am

Bay Oaks Recreation Advisory
Mar 14, 2019 9:00am

Marine Resources Task Force
Mar 13, 2019 4:30pm

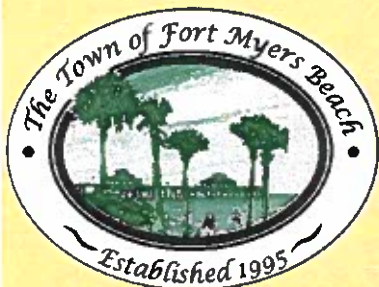
Anchorage Advisory Committee
Mar 20, 2019 9:00am

Special Magistrate
Mar 28, 2019, 10:30 am

CEL CAB
Mar 28, 2019, 3:00 am

All meetings are open to all members of the public

Please check the website calendar for any changes



Thank you for signing up for the Town's email communication system. We will be using this system to expand our community outreach and provide you with timely information about your government through bulletins and news items. Your comments and suggestions are always welcome.

Town of Fort Myers Beach Bulletin for March

- **Election Day** is March 5th! All residents are encouraged to vote.
- The **61st Annual Fort Myers Beach Lions Club Shrimp Festival** is March 9-10. The festival begins at 10:00am on Saturday, March 9th with a 2 mile parade marching down Estero Blvd. from Fort Myers Beach Elementary School to Lynn Memorial Park next to Times Square.
- The **St. Patrick's Day Parade** will be held on Saturday, March 16th beginning at 10:00am. The route will be from Santini Marina Plaza north on Estero Blvd. to the Church of the Ascension.
- **Shorebird nesting season** is Feb 15-Sept 1. During this time shorebirds will lay their eggs in the sand so please be mindful of where you step. Ways you can help include: Keeping a safe distance from the nest (FWC recommends 300 ft), never walking into roped off nesting areas, keeping dogs away from nesting birds, keeping the beach clean and not feeding gulls, crows and other shorebird predators.
- The Town of Fort Myers Beach will be resurfacing and installing a **new kiddie structure** at the Fort Myers Beach Community Pool. The existing kiddie structure has been removed. BORCAB has reviewed options and a recommendation of a new VORTEX structure will be taken to Town Council on March 4th in conjunction with the request for pool resurfacing contract approval. A required waiver of procurement policy is necessary to have this project completed before school lets out for the summer.
- **Little League** starts March 2nd! **New dug outs** have been installed for the little field at Bay Oaks.
- **Pool Operating Hours:** Starting the week of March 11th, the pool will be open 7 days a week. On Saturday, March 9th, pool hours will be 12pm-4pm (water is cleared at 3:30pm). **March 11-May**, daily 10am-4pm; **Jun-Aug**, daily 10am-6pm; **Sep-Feb** Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat/Sun 10am-4pm (closed Tue & Thu). To sign up for the **pool closure notification email list**, please email a request to lifeguard@fmbgov.com with **Attention: Pool Closure List** and provide your email address. You may also call the pool at (239) 463-5759 and request to be added to the list. Registered email addresses will receive notification if the pool is closed during normal operating hours.
- **Bay Oaks Youth Activities: Club Rec** is the after school program at Bay Oaks. Held every school day from dismissal to 6:00pm. For children ages K-5. Fee: \$100/Member per semester; \$135/Non-member per semester. **Parent's Night Out:** Friday Mar. 29. 8pm-11pm. Fee: \$15 per child. **Fun Days:** Mar. 15 and Mar. 18-22 for Lee County School District Spring Break. 7:30am-6:00pm. Fee: \$15 per child, per day. For more information, call (239) 765-4222.
- **Bay Oaks Social Seniors (BOSS) Program: March trips** include kayaking on the Imperial River, Bonita Springs on Mar. 5; Championship Rodeo in Arcadia on Mar. 7; Broadway Palms "Guys and Dolls" on Mar. 14; Red Sox vs. Braves at JetBlue Park on Mar. 16; Sanibel Museum on Mar. 19; Bike trip to Shark Valley on Mar. 21 and Out to Lunch Bunch on Mar. 27. **Potluck** at Chapel by the Sea is on Mar. 6 at 12:00pm. Please bring a dish to share. Donations accepted. **Game Day** is held Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays 10:30am-1:30pm in the Senior Room. FREE to members/\$4 for non-members. **Bocce** is every Tuesday at 9:00am in the smaller field. Program is Free. **Pickleball** is held Mon-Sat 10:30-1:30pm.
- **Mound House Programs and Events**
 - **Lecture Series:** Join a special guest each month at the Mound House for a lecture on a variety of subjects. **RESERVATIONS REQUIRED.** Limited tickets available. Call (239) 765-0865 for tickets. Lectures are scheduled the 2nd Tuesday of each month through April 2019. Cost-\$5 per person. *MH Members free.* Refreshments served at 5:30pm, lecture starts at 6pm. Tuesday, March 12th presents Dr. Darren Rumbold, FGCU Professor of Marine Science.
 - **Boat Tours to Mound Key!** Call (239) 765-0865 for information and reservations. March 9, Saturday-1:45pm to 5pm; March 24, Sunday-2:30pm to 5:45pm.
 - **Artful Intersections-Live & Silent Auction:** New! Join the Friends of the Mound House for a night of fun and fundraising at the Woman's Club on Fort Myers Beach, March 22nd at 7pm. All proceeds support educational endeavors of the Mound House to fulfill its mission to preserve the site for future generations. Call Ceel at (239) 464-3897 for tickets and information