

A Newsletter for the Residents of the Reef Club Condominium Association

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MESSAGE FROM THE BOARD PRESIDENT

Dear Owners and Residents,

I would like to start with a thank you to all our employees and to the previous Board of Directors. I am grateful for all the time, talent and efforts brought to the table last year. As the same Board of Directors continues in 2021, we have the opportunity to complete the tasks at hand.

We have the same sense of common purpose; to improve the property value of our homes and make the Reef Club a better place to live.

Below are a few examples of what we accomplished as a team last year:

- A new management team, (Lisa & Gary).
- The refurbished TENNIS COURTS.
- Resurfacing the SWIMMING POOL and new FURNITURE.
- Updating and modernizing our LANDSCAPING.
- The FIRE ALARM UPGRADE is in process.
- THE MAJORITY OF THE BUILDINGS passed Amendments that will protect our community.

This year we plan to finish the following projects:

- Parking lot paving. Work in progress.
- Kayak and paddle board racks as well as a launch station. The South building is complete. The other buildings are being worked on.
- The Sea Wall Inspection is complete, and we are awaiting the report to move forward.

We also have New Projects to accomplish:

- Website Updates
- 40 Year Recertification for the South and West Buildings as well as finishing the North Building which is long overdue.
- The project will include concrete restoration, painting the buildings and evaluating the best solution for the windows.

My intention is for us to become a great Board of Directors, acting with good strategies on leadership, long term planning and continued EXCELLENT Management.

If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact our Manager at Manager@ReefClub.us.

Thank you for allowing me to serve as your President.

Vivian T Gonzalez, President, Reef Club Board of Directors

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HAVE A SAFE MEMORIAL DA AND HAPPY

Memorial Day marks the beginning of the summer recreation season. It is also a time for accidents. Make sure that you and your family are safe this Memorial Day weekend by remembering these simple safety tips.

DRIVE SAFELY

More people will be on the road on Memorial Day weekend, making for congested roads and highways. Don't forget to always wear your seatbelt, and observe all posted traffic signs and speed limits. It is especially important for children to be in proper child safety seats in your car. And never drink and drive!

PLAY SAFELY

If you are going to be spending time near or on the water, don't forget to be safe. If you will be on a boat, wear a life jacket, follow all boating rules, and don't operate a boat while drinking. If you will be swimming, remember to swim with a buddy, swim only in safe water, and never dive into shallow water. All children should be supervised at all times around any type of water. If you will be spending any time in the sun, don't forget to use sunscreen and wear a hat.



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Detect-a-Leak Week

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Week is held annually every May.
This is the perfect time to give your home a once over, checking for leaks that may be costing you mon-



ey! Even a small leak can add up to hundreds of dollars a year, and could damage surrounding fixtures, cabinets, or floors.

One of the biggest culprits is the toilet. You often cannot tell if your toilet is leaking simply by examining it. Place a few drops of food coloring, just enough to slightly color the water, in the main tank. Let it sit for several hours, then check the toilet bowl. If you see the color in the bowl, you have a leaky toilet and it needs to be repaired. Check for dripping faucets, pipes, and connections by examining all plumbing in your home. Use a lightweight cloth to wipe around each connection. If your cloth becomes wet, you have leaky plumbing that needs to be repaired.

Don't forget to stop those leaks that you can control! Turn faucets off all the way. Don't let water run when you brush your teeth. And don't use your toilet as a wastebasket. Instead of throwing items such as tissues in the toilet and flushing, use a small wastebasket in your bathroom instead.









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SUMMER ROLLS WITH PEANUT DIPPING SAUCE

INGREDIENTS

For Summer Rolls:

3 oz. rice vermicelli noodles 12 large shrimp. peeled and deveined

1 large carrot, julienned2 cucumbers, julienned8 oz. Napa cabbage, thinly sliced1 tbsp. fish sauce

1 tosp. fish sauce 1 tosp. brown sugar 1/4 c. rice vinegar 12 large rice paper sheets 2 tbsp. black sesame seeds 12 fresh mint leaves 12 fresh basil leaves

For Peanut Sauce:

1/2 c. smooth peanut butter 1 tbsp. low-sodium soy sauce 2 tbsp. rice vinegar 1 clove garlic, grated 1 tbsp. freshly grated ginger 4 tbsp. boiling water 1/4 c. crushed peanuts, for serving



DIRECTIONS

For Summer Rolls: Place noodles in medium heatproof bowl, cover with boiling water; let stand about 5 minutes or until just tender, drain. Using kitchen scissors, cut noodles into random lengths. Meanwhile, poach shrimp in

salted boiling water until they just become pink and opaque. Rinse under cold water, then slice in half lengthwise. In a

medium bowl, mix noodles, carrot, cucumber, cabbage, fish sauce, sugar, and vinegar; toss gently to combine. To assemble rolls, place a sheet of rice paper in medium bowl of warm water until just softened; lift sheet carefully from water, placing it on a tea-towel-covered board with a corner point facing towards you. Place some of the vegetable filling horizontally in center of sheet, top with one mint leaf, one basil leaf, 3 shrimp halves, and sesame seeds. Fold corner point facing you up over filling; roll sheet to enclose filling, folding in sides after first complete turn of roll. Repeat with remaining sheets.

For Peanut Sauce: Whisk peanut butter, soy sauce, vinegar, garlic, ginger, and boiling water until smooth. Top with peanuts and sesame seeds.

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