

CENTRO

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CENTRO DOWNTOWN

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Front Desk is available to residents 24/7
Frontdesk@centrocondominium.com
Packages are available to be picked up at
Amazon Hubs and/or Front Desk at any time.

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IMPORTANT NUMBERS

Main 305-440-0566

OFFICE HOURS

Mon - Fri.. 9:00 am - 5:00 pm



PACKAGE PICK UP REMINDERS: amazon locker

We ask that all residents pick up their packages within 3 days of receiving delivery notification. This will help staff and delivery drivers effectively manage storage space and ensure smooth operations.

If you are unable to retrieve your package(s) within the requested time-frame, please make arrangements with the Frontdesk and/or Management Office.

NOTE: When ordering packages to the building, it is crucial to include a unit number and resident's name. We kindly request that you please do not ship packages under guest names as it can cause a confusion with staff and delivery drivers. Accurate and complete information will ensure an efficient delivery package service for everyone.



TRASH CHUTE- COMPACTER RULES:

- Cardboard boxes, Styrofoam, pizza boxes or other items are NOT permitted down the trash chute_as this will cause obstruction. All boxes must be flattened & disposed inside the dumpsters with yellow lids located in the loading dock.
- All trash should be bagged & tied closed not exceeding the diameter of the chute.
- Please be careful not to over-extend the trash chute door.
- Never throw glass bottles or containers, paint, or heavy items down the chute. This
 can damage the metal walls to the chute and create issues with the trash chute that are
 extremely expensive to repair.

If the chute is clogged (you see trash sitting in the chute when you open the door), please do not place more trash in the chute. Contact Frontdesk and/or Management and please take your trash to the dumpster until it the chute is unclogged.



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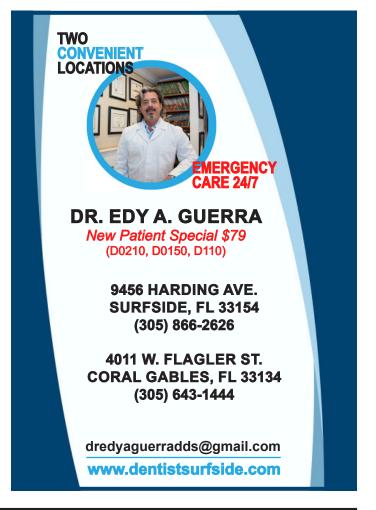
WHAT IS CHANUKAH?

In 2nd century BCE, in an effort to pull Jews away from Judaism and adopt the Greek culture – Hellenism, the Syrian-Greek regime of Antiochus outlawed aspects of Jewish observance, including the study of Torah, which began to decay the foundation of Jewish life and practice. In response, a band of Jewish settlers took to the hills of Judea in a revolt against this threat to Jewish life. Led by Matitiyahu, and later his son Judah the Maccabee, this small band of devout Jews led guerrilla warfare against the Syrian army. Antiochus sent thousands of well-armed troops to crush the rebellion, but the Maccabees succeeded in driving the foreigners from their land.



Jewish fighters entered Jerusalem in December, 164 BCE. The Holy Temple was in shambles, defiled and desecrated by foreign soldiers. They cleansed the Temple and re-dedicated it on the 25th day of the Jewish month of Kislev. When it came time to relight the Menorah, they searched the entire Temple, but only one small jar of oil bearing the pure seal of the High Priest could be found. Miraculously, the small jar of oil burned for eight days, until a new supply of oil could be brought. From then on, Jews have observed a holiday for eight days in honor of this historic victory and the miracle of the oil. Today, the observance of Chanukah, meaning "dedication" features the lighting of a special Chanukah menorah with eight branches (plus a helper candle), adding one new candle each night. Other customs include spinning the dreidel (a top with Hebrew letters on the sides), eating "oily" foods like potato latkes (pancakes) and sufganiyot (jelly donuts), and giving Chanukah gelt (coins) to children.





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Smoked Salmon Dip

Ingredients

- 1 (8 ounce) package cream cheese, softened
- 6 ounces smoked salmon, chopped
- ½ cup capers, or to taste
- 2 tablespoons chopped green onion (Optional)
- 1 ½ teaspoons chopped fresh dill
- ½ cup heavy whipping cream
- 3 dashes Worcestershire sauce
- 3 drops hot pepper sauce
- 1 squeeze fresh lemon juice

Directions

- Process cream cheese in a food processor to soften completely.
- Add smoked salmon, capers, green onion, dill, cream, Worcestershire sauce, hot pepper sauce, and lemon juice. Process the mixture again until creamy and smooth.
- Serve with crackers & vegetables.





DISTRICT OFFICE

2100 Coral Way, Suite 400 Miami, Florida 33145 Monday – Friday / 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

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Kany Garcia • Second Date FRI 10.6

Mala Rodriguez & Sara Socas

talian HIT week • Coma Cose SAT 10.14 FREE

Scary Pockets SUN 10.1

Cuco in Concert: iii points Satellite Event THU 10.19

The Head and the Heart 🔣

Arturo O'Farrill & the Afro Latin Jazz Orchestra SAT 10.21

Pedro Capó SUN 10.22

Midnight at MuseZeuM ft Slick Rick SAT 10.28

Rocky Horror Picture Show SUN 10.29

SCAN THE QR CODE TO



NOVEMBER

Rhythm Foundation Gala THU

Gera MX & Nanpa Básico 🔣

Israel Fernandez & Diego del Morao SAT 11.4

Fall For Dance NOW! SUN 11.

The Second Annual Law Rocks Miami FRI 11.10

Juanse (Ratones Paranoicos) SAT 11.1

Daybreaker SUN

Nu Deco Ensemble Dress Rehearsal THU 11.16 FREE

Nu Deco Ensemble ft. Lucius SAT

Metronomy SUN

We Belong Here SAT 11.25

DECEMBER

North Beach Music Festival FRI 12.1 • SAT 12.2 • SUN 12.3

Miami Beach Rock Ensemble:

A Tribute to Doug Burris SAT 12.16

North Beach Social: Suénalo Sound System THU 12.21 FREE

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