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# NewsWorthy

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### From Anne Gannon, Constitutional Tax Collector, Serving Palm Beach County

#### New Office in Suburban Lake Worth

Our new Central Palm Beach Service Center is open for business at 4215 S. Military Trail, just south of Lake Worth Road. It replaces our former Lake Worth and Lantana locations. It features all Tax Collector services including driver licenses, motor vehicle registrations, property taxes, local business taxes, hunting and fishing licenses and more.

#### Property Tax Deadline

If you still owe 2015 property taxes, be sure to pay this month. Payments received after March 31 are delinquent. Delinquent taxes are charged 3% interest and advertising fees. Pay online at [www.pbctax.com](http://www.pbctax.com). It's secure, easy and convenient.

## Upcoming Events—Save the Date

#### Evening on the Avenue

**Friday, April 1** | 6pm – 10pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

#### Corvette Club of the Palm Beaches Car Show

**Saturday, April 2** | 10am – 4:30pm | Bryant Park

#### Lake Worth Art League Outdoor Show

**Friday & Saturday, April 2 & 3** | 9am – 4:30pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

#### Reggae Fest

**Friday, April 8** | 5pm – 10 pm  
**Saturday, April 9** | 1pm – 10 pm | Bryant Park

#### Bike Safety & Health Fair

**Saturday, April 9** | 10am – 4pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

#### Million March Against Child Abuse

*Presented by Children Without a Voice*  
**Sunday, April 10** | 6pm | Bryant Park

#### Food Truck Invasion

**Monday, April 11** | 6pm – 10pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

#### Road Rascals Car Show

**Thursday, April 14** | 6pm – 9pm | Lake Worth  
Beach Complex | 10 South Ocean Boulevard

#### Evening on the Avenue

**Friday, April 15** | 6pm – 10pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

#### Earth Day Festival

*Presented by Kiwanis Club*  
**Saturday, April 16** | Noon – 9pm  
Cultural Plaza | 414 Lake Avenue

### Art Community Together

Art Exhibits | Creative Arts | Theatre | Dance

#### Arts at St. Andrew's | St. Andrew's Episcopal

Church | 100 North Palmway | 561.582.6609  
*Klezmer East Returns!* | **Sunday, April 3** | 4pm  
\$25 Advance Tickets | \$30 at Door

#### Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts | 1105 2nd

Avenue South | [www.benzaitencenter.org](http://www.benzaitencenter.org) | 561.508.7315  
Tuesday – Friday, 1pm – 4pm | Saturday, 10am – 5pm

#### VISITING ARTIST PROGRAM | MARLENE ROSE

*Meet the Artist Dinner*

**Thursday, April 28** | 6pm – 8pm | \$100

*Opening Exhibit* | **Friday, April 29** | 6pm – 8pm | \$10

*Demonstrations* | **Saturday, April 30** | 2pm – 5pm | Free

#### Cultural Council of Palm Beach County

601 Lake Avenue | [www.PalmBeachCulture.com](http://www.PalmBeachCulture.com)  
Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 5pm

#### ART IN THE MAIN GALLERY

*The Art of the Motorcycle* | **March 25 – May 21**

#### SOLO EXHIBITIONS

*Linda Mason & Genie Fritchey* | **April 2 – April 30**

#### EVENINGS AT THE COUNCIL

*Lobby Desk Concert Series*

**Friday, April 1** | 6:30pm – 8:30pm

Open Mic Night | **Friday, April 15** | 6:30pm – 8:30pm

#### Duncan Theatre

4200 Congress Avenue | [www.duncantheatre.org](http://www.duncantheatre.org)  
*Pilobolus Dance Theater* | **Friday & Saturday, April 1 & 2** | 8pm | \$45

#### Zakir Hussain: Masters of Percussion | Friday, April 8

8pm | VIP Tickets \$75 | \$35

*Barrage 8* | **Wednesday, April 13** | 8pm | \$27

*create.DANCE.florida – Spring 2016 Collection*

**Saturday, April 16** | 8pm | \$20

*Belinda Carlisle* | **Wednesday, April 20** | 8pm | \$45

*One Night of Queen* | **Wednesday, April 27** | 8pm | \$37

#### FOR THE KIDS

TheatreworksUSA's *Junie B's Essential Survival Guide to School* | **Saturday, April 30** | 11am | \$10

#### Lake Worth Art League

604 Lucerne Avenue | [www.lwartleague.org](http://www.lwartleague.org)

Tuesday – Saturday, 10am – 4pm

*Spring Awakening* | Reception: **Sunday, April 17**

Shows through May 8

#### Lake Worth Playhouse

713 Lake Avenue | [www.lakeworthplayhouse.org](http://www.lakeworthplayhouse.org)

*The Pajama Game* | **April 7 – April 24**

#### Stonzek Theatre

713 Lake Avenue | [www.lakeworthplayhouse.org](http://www.lakeworthplayhouse.org)

Showing Indie & Foreign Films Daily

General Admission \$9 | Matinee Mondays \$7

BLACK BOX SERIES LIVE THEATRE EVENT

*A Kid Like Jake* | **April 21 – May 1**

#### LIMITED ENGAGEMENT

*Legendary Ladies of Song* | Friday, Saturday, Sunday

**April 1 – 3** | 2pm & 8pm | \$25



## Continuing the Progress at Lake Worth Arts Center

The **Lake Worth Community Redevelopment Agency (CRA)** has been awarded a \$72,000 grant from the **Palm Beach County Solid Waste Authority (SWA)**.

The funding is courtesy of SWA's Blighted and Distressed Property Grant Program. The grant is intended to assist in the cleanup and beautification of distressed, blighted or otherwise impacted properties within both the unincorporated and incorporated areas of Palm Beach County. This grant is offered as an incentive to improve the quality of the life and provide a safer, healthier and more aesthetically pleasing environment for the residents.

The CRA applied for this grant to further improve and enhance the exterior of the Lake Worth Arts Center located at 1121 Lucerne Avenue. Funds from the SWA grant will be used to:

- Create a safe outdoors experience for resident artists and visitors by adding decorative fencing;
- Removal of an obsolete irrigation system;
- Replacement of former plantings with new drought resistant, low maintenance ground covering;
- Decorative fencing/screening between the property and the railroad right-of-way to promote safety;
- New garbage bin enclosures.

Last year, the CRA invested over \$150,000 in new interior improvements to the City owned property courtesy of funding from the State of Florida.

## Visiting Artist at Benzaiten

Benzaiten Center for Creative Arts announces **our Visiting Artist Program** for April 2016, as internationally renowned glass master, Marlene Rose, visits Benzaiten for 3 days of events. There is something for everyone!

- Thursday, April 28th is the private dinner in our gallery to *Meet the Artist*. Have a gourmet dinner in the gallery with an intimate group of collectors. This fundraiser is only \$100 per person. Space is limited.
- Friday, April 29th you may join us for wine, champagne and appetizers for the *Gallery Reception & Demo*. The gallery opening cost is only \$10.
- Saturday, April 30th is the **FREE Public Glass Blowing Demonstration**.

We urge you to sign up early for the Dinner event, as spaces are limited. Enjoy the sneak peeks and see you there!

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## Captain's Corner

People often ask me what they can do to make a difference or make the city an even better place to live, work and enjoy. My response involves the three V's: Vote, voice your opinion and volunteer. First off, Make sure you vote! Voter turnout has traditionally been low. A handful of votes can be the difference in local elections. This can drastically change the direction of the city. Second, have a voice. Try to attend commission meetings or other events such as neighborhood association meetings to make sure your elected officials and city leaders are moving the city in the right direction. Finally, volunteer if possible. This can be done in many ways from volunteering for a city board to becoming a member of the PBSO Citizens on Patrol (C.O.P.) Program. Together we can continue to improve the quality of life in the City of Lake Worth. I am excited about 2016, my first full year as your district commander.

*Yours in Service, Captain Todd Baer*

District Commander | District 14 | City of Lake Worth | Palm Beach County Sheriff's Office