

Keys Breeze

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Ventura Harbor Parade of Lights to take place Friday and Saturday, December 16 & 17 at 7:00 PM

THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Parade of Lights

Ventura Keys Annual Homeowners Association Meeting

January 28, 2006 will be the date of the Annual Ventura Keys Homeowners Association Meeting. This year it will be on a Saturday, from 3:30 to 5:30 PM at the Four Points Sheraton Hilton, 1050 Schooner Drive in the Clipper North Room. Nomination and election of officers will take place. Gail Lansbury will be stepping down as president, and we'd like you all there for the election of a new president. Let's make 2006 an even greater year for the Keys. Plan on coming to this important meeting!

The Keys Barbeque at the Big Beach on Sunday, Sept 18 was absolutely the best ever. With over 200 Keys residents we thought last year was good. Well this year we had over 340 residents celebrating the occasion. The tri-tip was a great success along with beans, hot dogs, chicken, and all the trimmings. We sold a lot of burgees, signed up new members, kids jumped on the jolly jump, music was great and to top it all off we had the Ventura County K 9 unit give us a demonstration. Everybody loved it, especially the kids. A special thank you to Doris Collin for coordinating the whole event. Thanks to all those who helped make this barbeque a lot of fun for everyone.

This year we added new sand and new swings at Big and Little Beach. A special thank you to Mike Malloy, for making the replenishment of sand at our little beaches possible.

We will be refurbishing the basketball court and hoops at the beginning of 2006.

This month, Paul Masi, Clif Simonson, Jim Monahan, City Council and yours truly met with Rick Cole, City Manager, Ronald Calkins, Director of Public Works and Bob Boehm, City Attorney with regards to the dredging of the Keys. These discussions will be ongoing and you will be kept updated as needed.

Since I will be stepping down as board president, I want to thank all of you for being so supportive. I want to thank the Ventura Keys Association Homeowners Board for their full cooperation, hard work, ingenuity, tenaciousness and complete commitment. I have enjoyed the last three years immensely, feel I accomplished a lot and have learned a great deal from all the wonderful people around me. I am sure my successor will take over with new excitement, new ideas and lots of energy. I'll still be on the board, and I'll still have a hand in the going's on in the Keys.
Gail Lansbury

This traditional display of lights on a variety of sailing vessels will make its way through our neighborhood once again. This year, it will be held on two nights, December 16 and 17. So be sure to plan your preparations & all of your festivities accordingly!

Instead of prizes to homeowners with the best light display this year, the Board will be donating those funds to the Harbor Patrol.



"For it is in giving that we receive."