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Sheriff's Office Weekly Rap-Up

Editor's Note: The Sheriff's Office Weekly Rap-Up comes out on Friday afternoon, and includes any announcements, important messages, or not so important messages that employees of the Sheriff's Office would like to communicate to the rest of the agency. If you have something you would like to get out to everyone in the agency, please send it to me and I will be happy to include it in the Weekly Rap Up. Send it to my email at beckyherrin@keysso.net, or in the courier to Deputy Becky Herrin, Community Relations Division, Headquarters building on Stock Island.

Happy Birthday this week!

LAST_NAME	FIRST_NAME	DOB	JOB_TITLE
McDonald	William	10/29	Reserve Deputy
Barefoot	Paul	10/29	Detention Deputy
Davy	Jeremy	10/29	Sergeant Deputy Sheriff
Crosby	William	10/30	Detention Deputy
Madnick	Jason	10/31	Detective-Crime Scene Technician
Page	Kyle	10/31	Deputy Sheriff
Bayag	Deborah	11/1	Entry Intelligence Analyst
Gordiyenko	Tatyana	11/1	Detention Records Assistant
White	Laura	11/1	911 Database Coordinator
Salinas	Mayte	11/2	Deputy Sheriff/Magnetometer Operator
Hull	Daryl	11/5	Sergeant-Airport
Smith-Johnson	Phyllis	11/5	Airport Security Technician
Linares	Joseph	11/8	Lieutenant Detention Deputy
Decamp	Jo	11/8	Executive Assistant
Careaga	Adam	11/9	Transportation Officer
Favara	Angelo	11/9	Reserve Deputy
Lummis	Laura	11/10	Finance Coordinator
Hernandez	Lance	11/10	Deputy Sheriff

Happy Adoption Day!

Join Wesley House and the Florida Keys Community in recognizing and honoring families who have found "a beautiful way to build a family": the adoptive families of Monroe County. Saturday, November 17, 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. at Boondocks Grill and Draft House and Miniature Golf.

South Florida Police and Security Expo

Please visit www.southfloridapoliceexpo.com to find out more about the upcoming Expo in West Palm Beach. The South Florida Police & Security Expo will be the most sought-after industry trade show in the Southeast showcasing the latest products and services for law enforcement and security professionals. We invite you to take advantage of **FREE** training and seminars and meet

face-to-face with exhibitors who will provide you the ability to get “hands-on” with the latest technology. For more information on **How To Attend** and/or **Exhibiting**, please click on the respective tab.

FREE TRAINING

Provided By “FLETC” – The Federal Law Enforcement Training Center

The **South Florida Police & Security Expo** is pleased to announce we have joined together with “FLETC” - **The Federal Law Enforcement Training Center**. FLETC will be providing **FREE** training to all Law Enforcement Officers attending this show.

June 6th & 7th, 2008 Palm Beach County Convention Center West Palm Beach, Florida

Friday June 6th, 2008

Time	Topic	Room
10:00 - 11:30	Raves and Club Drugs	TBD
10:00 - 11:30	Hidden Compartments	TBD
LUNCH		
1:30 - 4:30	Response to Active Shooter/Threat	TBD
1:30 - 4:30	Roadside Interviewing	TBD

Saturday June 7th, 2008

Time	Topic	Room
10:00 - 11:30	Patrol Initiated Drug Investigations	TBD
10:00 - 11:30	Managing Abnormal Behaviors	TBD

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Blood Drive at Key Largo School

On Oct 31 From 11:00 am to 6:00 pm.....Key Largo School is having a blood drive...Just show up when it is convenient for you – no need to make an appointment. Call Laura Migala if you have any questions: 305-453-1255 ext 57432.....

Printer cartridges

Send your used printer cartridges down to the Information Systems Office on the first floor of the Headquarters office and they make sure they get to the SPCA...The SPCA can turn them into much needed cash.

Employee Awards Ceremony – November 2nd

The Service Awards and Member of the 3rd Quarter Ceremony will take place at the Marathon Government Center, Friday, November 2, 2007, at Two O'clock.

The following members will be honored at the ceremony for their years of service and for being nominated Officer/Member of the 3rd Quarter.

DEPUTY SHERIFF OF THE QUARTER
SONYA MORGAN
3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

DETENTION DEPUTY OF THE QUARTER

ANNE SWEENEY

3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

COMMUNICATIONS OFFICER OF THE QUARTER

CAROLINA DIESEN

3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

SUPPORT MEMBER OF THE QUARTER

WILLIAM DOR

3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

RESERVE DEPUTY OF THE QUARTER

RICHARD ZIEG

3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

EXPLORER/CADET OF THE QUARTER

ANDREA RAINER

3rd QUARTER 2007

MONROE COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

5 YEAR MEMBER PLAQUES

MICHAEL CLAUDY

LAKESHA GRANT

JAMES KEITH

ALICIA BLUESTONE

BRIAN LUTH

CRISTINA HARPER

HENRY AMOLE

10 YEAR MEMBER PLAQUES

MARETTA COSTARAKIS

VASHON WATSON

ANDREW MARAZZO-ENSMINGER

RITA HINERMAN

PATRICK MAJOR

RENE BAZARTE

20 YEAR MEMBER PLAQUES

RICHARD RAMSAY

MATTHEW KOVAL

STEVE KALOGERAS

Calling all Take Stock Mentors! Calling all Take Stock Mentors!

Over the past year, our Take Stock in Children numbers have grown at an incredible rate! That growth has created both opportunity and need. This November, we are preparing to sign scholarship contracts with 50 new students in Monroe County.

Students are eligible based on the following criteria:

- Grades of A's, B's, and C's
- FCAT scores greater than 300 in both Reading and Math
- Attending school regularly, maintaining good behavior, and remaining drug and crime free.
- Meeting financial need

We have the scholarships, the students, but WE NEED THE MENTORS!

As per program requirements, we cannot award these new students their Take Stock scholarships unless we have a mentor at the contract signing ceremony.

If you know of anyone; an associate, relative, retiree, neighbor, etc. who may be interested in becoming a mentor and changing the life of a child, please have them contact us at Take Stock in Children.

Meeting with a student for a minimum of thirty minutes a week, three times a month, can change a student's life forever.

Thank you for your support,

Jim Hall
Program Coordinator
305-293-1546
Jim.Hall@keysschools.com

Dresdin Edwards
Mentor Coordinator
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Islamorada to host 100 World Renowned Sailors for A-Cat World Championship Nov. 8-16

ISLAMORADA, Florida Keys -- Two-time A-Cat world champion Peter Melvin is among 100 world-class international competitors and Olympic sailors preparing to race November 8-16 in the 2007 Ronstan A-Class Catamaran World Championship headquartered at Islamorada's Islander Resort, mile marker 82.1 oceanside.

Races are scheduled Monday through Friday, Nov. 12-16, preceded by equipment inspection and trial races starting Friday, Nov. 9.

Two previous A-Class catamaran races were held in January 2007, and a third annual event is set for January 2008. However, event officials chose November in Islamorada for the world championship for the perfect weather conditions.

In addition to daily races, opening and closing ceremonies at the Islander are to be open to the public.

"It's going to be like a mini-Olympics with a village," said event co-organizer John Schiefer.

Each country's race participants are expected to share in the festivities with something from their homeland.

Australian Glenn Ashby plans to defend his 2006 championship title. He is a multiple world champion in the class and is regarded as a favorite to medal in the 2008 Tornado Olympic event in Qingdao, China.

Other top international sailors set to race include past world champions Scott Anderson and Nils Bunkenberg, Olympic medalists Andrew Landenberger and Goran Marstrom, New Zealand champion Murray Philpott, Dutch competitors Sjoerd Hoekstra, Pieterjan Dwarshuis and Piet Saarberg, Alinghi designer Mike Drummond of New Zealand, and Swiss entrants Dieter Melcher and Luc De Bois.

At the top of the list of U.S. competitors is three-time North American champion Lars Guck, who has won every race in the last two North American championships. Melvin, the 1997 and 2005 A-Class world champion, is another favorite in the sport because of his speed and consistency.

Other leading U.S. sailors slated to participate include Phil Kinder, Olympic medalists Pease and Jay Glaser, skiff world champion Howie Hamlin, Olympic medalist Charlie Ogeltree and Ben Hall, who may be racing with a radical solid-wing sail that looks like an airplane wing.

For more information, visit www.acatworlds.com or contact the Islamorada Chamber of Commerce at (305) 664-8516.

To find out about area accommodations, call the chamber at (800) 322-5397 or (305) 664-4503, or visit the Florida Keys & Key West Web site at www.fla-keys.com.

Final event of Redbone Trilogy slated Nov. 1-4 in Islamorada

ISLAMORADA, Florida Keys -- The Mercury Cheeca Redbone Celebrity Tournament and associated Superfly Tournament are set for Thursday through Sunday, Nov. 1-4. The Redbone is the final contest in the prestigious three-tournament Redbone Celebrity Trilogy that targets bonefish and redfish, and raises funds for cystic fibrosis research.

Founders Gary and Susan Ellis are celebrating the event's 20th anniversary with the return of some premier celebrities including Major League Baseball Hall of Fame superstar Wade Boggs, John Havlicek, named one of the 50 greatest players in NBA history, and astronaut Bruce Melnick, who served as an engineer on the first flight of the space shuttle Endeavour.

Early registration for anglers, guides and celebrities is scheduled for 2-6 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 1, in the Bougainvillea Room at Cheeca Lodge & Spa, mile marker (MM) 81.8 oceanside in Islamorada. Redbone tournament slots are sold out, but social packages are still available.

The Mercury Marine welcome reception for Mercury guides begins at 6 p.m. at the Lorelei Restaurant, MM 82 bayside in the tournament tent.

Registration for the Superfly Tournament, the one-day pre-Redbone fly-fishing competition, is set for 8 p.m. at the Green Turtle Inn at MM 81.5 oceanside. "Tapas and 'tinis" are to be served.

Friday, Nov. 2, the Superfly begins with a 6:30 a.m. continental breakfast served at the Lorelei, followed by angler departure at 7 a.m. There still are openings left in the one-day, one-fly Florida Keys Outfitters Cheeca Redbone Superfly. Entry fee is \$350 for up to two anglers (guide not included). The winner receives a Tibor Reel donated by Florida Keys Outfitters and valued at \$450.

A silent auction of artwork and fishing gear is slated for 2-6 p.m. in the Bougainvillea Room at Cheeca Lodge & Spa.

A dockside Superfly awards party begins at 5 p.m., to be followed by a 6 p.m. cocktail reception in the Cheeca courtyard and the 7 p.m. Mercury Marine kick-off dinner. A live auction is set for 8:30 p.m.

The Redbone competition is to start Saturday, Nov. 3, with a 6 a.m. continental breakfast at the Lorelei. The blessing of the fleet begins at 7 a.m., to be followed immediately by fishing.

A celebrity dockside party at the Lorelei is set for 3-5 p.m. Expected guests include many of the celebrities who attended the original Redbone, such as Havlicek, hockey Hall of Famer Denis Potvin, Boston Red Sox' Tim Wakefield, Miami Dolphins' Earl Morrall, 2006 Miami Dolphins Alumni Unsung Hero Jim "Crash" Jensen and astronaut Melnick.

The final day of fishing is scheduled Sunday, Nov. 4. A continental breakfast is to be served from 6 a.m., and boats can depart at 6:30 a.m.

Another celebrity dockside party follows the fishing action 3-5 p.m. at the Lorelei.

Cocktails are to begin at 7 p.m. at Cheeca Lodge & Spa, with the awards banquet at 8 p.m.

The Redbone tournament was founded by Gary and Susan Ellis to raise funds for cystic fibrosis research after their daughter Nicole was born with the disease, the number-one genetic killer of children and young adults in the United States.

This year Nicole Ellis, now 23 years old, graduated cum laude from Stetson University. She is currently a resident of Buffalo, N.Y., and works in marketing.

For more information about the Mercury Cheeca Redbone Celebrity Tournament, contact the Redbone office at (305) 664-2002.

To find out about area accommodations, call the Islamorada Chamber of Commerce at (305) 664-4503 or (800) 322-5397, or visit the Florida Keys & Key West Web site at www.fla-keys.com.

Islamorada's Gurgiolo Sailfish Classic enters Eighth Year

ISLAMORADA, Florida Keys -- The eighth annual Don Gurgiolo Sailfish Classic is slated for Friday through Sunday, Dec. 7-9, in Islamorada. The tournament honors the late Captain Don Gurgiolo for his more than 50 years of fishing in the Keys.

The weekend of sailfishing is to start with registration at 5 p.m. Friday at Holiday Isle Resort & Marina Quarter Deck, mile marker 84 oceanside. Cocktails follow at 5:30 p.m., and the captains meeting is set for 6 p.m.

Fishing on Saturday is scheduled to run from lines in at 8 a.m. to lines out at 4 p.m. A standings party at Mickey Rat's, dockside at Holiday Isle Marina, is set for 5-7 p.m.

Sunday's fishing runs from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., followed by 6:30 p.m. beachside cocktails and an awards dinner at 7:30 p.m.

Boat teams compete in the all-release tournament, but individual awards also are to be presented for the most outstanding catch and largest kingfish, tuna and dolphin, among others. This year's winners qualify for the IGFA Offshore Championships in Cabo San Lucas, Mexico, in 2008.

First- through third-place winners also have a chance for cash and prizes in the "High Five Money Bags" contest.

Proceeds from a silent auction and raffle at the Don Gurgiolo Sailfish Classic benefit Montessori Island Charter School.

Gurgiolo was one of the pioneers of fishing offshore with live ballyhoo, the primary technique used today.

He was captain of the Gonfishin' charter boats until he retired and sold the Gonfishin' V in 1995. The well-liked skipper died in 1999.

Tournament entry fee is \$495 for the first angler aboard a vessel and \$450 for each additional angler on that vessel. Up to four anglers can fish per boat.

For more information and registration, call (305) 852-9337.

To find out about area accommodations, call the Islamorada Chamber of Commerce at (305) 664-4503 or (800) 322-5397, or visit the Florida Keys & Key West Web site at www.fla-keys.com.

CHEFS TO DO BATTLE AT KEY LARGO COOK-OFF

Editor's Note: This event was originally part of the Key Largo Beachin' Fest event release we distributed on October 5, 2007. Beachin' Fest has been cancelled and is to be re-scheduled for a later date and the Cook-Off is now a stand alone event.

KEY LARGO, Florida Keys -- Chefs representing a wide gambit of experiences are testing their best recipes in preparation for the Key Largo Chamber of Commerce's 26th annual Key Largo Cook-Off. The culinary challenge is set for Thursday, Nov. 8, at the Holiday Inn, mile marker 100.

Amateurs, professionals and "junior" chefs are to compete in five categories including soups and chowders, appetizers, entrees, desserts and sides and salads. Divisions include professional haute cuisine, professional just good cookin', amateur and junior (younger than 16).

The cook-off is free to competitors. The 2006 competition drew more than 130 entries.

Public sampling starts at about 7 p.m. at the Holiday Inn, and awards are to be announced afterward.

Sampling tickets are available on a first-come, first-served basis for \$15 per person. They can be purchased at the Key Largo Chamber of Commerce, Boilini Eye Care, TIB Bank and Community Bank, the event's sponsor.

Entry forms for chefs can be downloaded from the chamber's website at www.keylargo-chamber.org.

For event details and information on area accommodations, call the Key Largo Chamber of Commerce at (800) 822-1088 or (305) 451-4747, or visit the Florida Keys & Key West Web site at www.fla-keys.com.

For Rent

Room for rent in a 4 bedroom house at Mile Marker 102. Fenced back yard. \$550 per month. Contact Shelia Swindle for more information at 305-849-0881 or sswindle@keyssso.net.