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Member Doug Biggers points out beach erosion

Our Treasurer, Chris Biggers, took the photo above of her husband Doug, pointing out the massive amount of erosion the beachfront suffered from the October king tides and tropical storm Eta. The staff has dumped many loads of sand on the east face of this palm to stop it from toppling over. It just goes to show you how fragile our ecosystem is.

I've been told by Village officials that the Village will be working with the Army Corps of Engineers to put in place a 50 year sustainability project to protect our beaches. Some costs will be borne by local taxpayers but it will be more manageable with the help of the State & Federal government. I'll report more on this in the future.



For now, we still have one of the most beautiful settings in the world. We may have to deal with a bit of an elevated dune to come and go from the beach but once there, what a place to be!

We're still following the CDC guidelines pertaining to our facility. We ask for you to continue wearing you face covering and practicing social distancing when you visit the club. It looks like there is some light at the end of the tunnel now so hang in there for a little longer.

I'll ask for you to do the same regarding the Beach Side Café. It's amazing what one must go through to open a little snack bar. We have progressed but we're not quite there yet. I won't keep throwing darts at an opening date but I assure you, we are on this and will keep you informed as to the opening.

That's all for now, see you around the beach.

- Dwight Hewett -

From the Manager

We have ordered many hundreds of beautiful Beach Club shirts for the holidays. Though they are selling out quickly, we have a new shipment arriving soon. Merry Christmas!

I want to thank two of our longer term employees who are moving on after 2 years of Key Biscayne Beach Club service. Thank you to Juan and Nick. Please visit any time, and thank you for working with us to make the Club such a wonderful family facility.

As the holiday season gets

Treasurer's Report

Happy Holidays! I hope you have had an opportunity to visit the Club lately to see the wonderful holiday decorations. It's so festive! I hope your family is enjoying this fun time of year when our weather is so perfect.

I have a few items to report. The Board is still reviewing the possibility of a Senior membership. The final decision will be made in the first quarter of 2021, and if this goes through, will become effective January, 2022.

Also, I want to remind Members that may not have yet paid their 2020 dues, all payments are due February 15, 2021. The Board gave additional time this year due to COVID (September 30th is the usual cutoff.) Any members who have not paid 2020 dues by February 15th will forfeit their Beach Club membership. We hope to see you back!

-Christine Biggers-

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underway, please be courteous to your fellow members. We expect to be very busy. Let us all do our part to be socially conscientious and support our club and staff in making this a safe and enjoyable holiday season.

You may have seen our Christmas tree. If you would like to donate a non-breakable beach themed ornament, kindly bring it by any day and we will gladly add it to our tree. So far, we have sea turtles, sand dollars, and seashells.

Our weekend wristbands continue to be a success. They are allowing our staff to more easily identify members, so we can make sure chairs, umbrellas, and other amenities are available for your use only.

Please email or call any time to let us know what you think. We are eager to take action to support you the best we can.

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Notices to Members

- ◆ Please feel free to check www.kbbeachclub.com for the latest directives and other useful Information.
- ◆ When on the beach please be aware of turtle nesting areas. These are marked by stakes and yellow caution tape.
- ◆ Please let the staff know if you want to check out one of the large "floaties."
- ◆ The staff is trained and ready to assist you in setting up your umbrella.
- ◆ **Ask our BC staff about our line of merchandise for sale. We have high quality tee shirts, long sleeve swim shirts and ball caps - show your colors!!**

