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# BBLA Beach News

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## ACTION NEEDED

### Mark Your Calendars:



- **September 1 - BBLA Members Meet & Greet the Board (click [HERE](#) for Invite - RSVP by 8/25)**
- **Town Council Election at Town Hall: September 9 - noon-6:00 pm --- Town Notice listing the candidates (6 candidates for 3 available seats), explaining eligibility and absentee ballots, etc. found [HERE](#)**



BBLA Board  
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 on behalf of Bethany  
 Beach property owners

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## Around Town



Update



**Beach Replenishment:  
 Almost Done - Equipment**

## BBLA Board Members Working for You:



**BBLA  
 Questionnaire  
 Sent to Town  
 Council  
 Candidates**



## Gone --- Just Some Fine-tuning on the Crossovers



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### Proposed Ordinance Regulating the Production and Sale of Marijuana Within The Town of Bethany Beach

- DE [House Bill 1](#) (concerning penalties) and [House Bill 2](#) (concerning regulation and taxing marijuana for recreational use) became law in April without Governor Carney's signature ("No Action Passage") [See Gov. Statement](#)
- Provision within the law allows municipalities to legislatively prohibit marijuana sales and production
- Area coastal towns are moving forward with Ordinances
- [Read More](#) on the BB Proposed Ordinances
- **Comment Period is Open** - second reading of proposed ordinances and possible vote expected for 8/18



**Bethany Beach Lifeguards  
(Beach Patrol) Celebrate  
90 Years of Service  
Thank You - Thank You!!**

Watch your email for a Special Edition **BBLA Newsletter** - candidate responses will be compiled to help you be an informed voter

**REMEMBER:** You don't have to be a resident to vote in the Town Council Election!



Start Thinking About Helping to Keep Our DE Beaches Clean!!

Sign Up: [DE Coastal Cleanup](#)  
**SEPTEMBER 23rd 2023**

**Partner Presentation at BBLA's August Board Meeting**

[Sussex Preservation Coalition](#) is growing

- get involved in preserving Sussex County
- sign up for [mailing list](#) - It's **FREE**



**Community Reinvestment Fund  
to Help with Dredging Loop**



## New Look for Central Park Sign



## Fun at the Bandstand & on the Sand Under the Lights



## Canal



- Fund comes from DE General Assembly Joint Committee on Capital Improvement
- Loop Canal listed as one of the awards for FY 2024 - \$225,000

## August in Bethany Beach: Sturgeon (Super) Moon



## VISIT & THANK BBLA'S FIRST GROUP OF BUSINESS AFFILIATES



**WHERE:** 100 Garfield Parkway

**ABOUT:** Home Decor And Gifts - they share a portion of their

profits with local non profits and charities

visit [HERE](#) for more info



**WHERE:** 99 Garfield Parkway

**ABOUT:** Bethany's Independent Book Store Since 1991

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**WHERE:** 300 Ocean View Parkway

**ABOUT:**  
Quality Construction Since 1931  
- specializes in custom homes

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**WHERE:**  
759 Garfield Parkway

**ABOUT:**  
Widest Selection of Beer, Wine,  
& Liquor in Bethany Beach

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