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# BBLA Beach News

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## ACTION NEEDED

Mark Your Calendars:



Don't Forget to Vote!



- 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](#)
- Refer to [BBLA Special Edition Newsletter](#) to be an Informed Voter



BBLA Board  
COMMUNICATES -  
ADVOCATES -  
DONATES -  
on behalf of Bethany  
Beach property owners

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## Around Town



**Bethany Beach Loop Canal Dam Study Flooding and**

## BBLA Board Members Working for You:



**BBLA & Partners Working Together to Address Sussex County Issues**

# Drainage Issues Questionnaire



**Town Needs Your Help:** Take the 15-minute [Questionnaire](#) - -- Your Input is Important for Federal Funding Application



## Spotted Lanternfly in All Three DE Counties

- DE Department of Agriculture has a Management Plan for the Spotted Lanternfly
- First detected in PA in 2014
- Destructive - Invasive Plant Hopper - known as the "hitchhiker bug"
- [Read More](#) to be knowledgeable & proactive

**Birds & Bunnies**  
**Some of the Other**  
**Bethany Beach Residents!!**

Important  
Development Design  
Workshop at **12:30  
PM on 9/21 in**



**Georgetown** - show your interest in possible subdivision code updates by joining BBLA Board Members with your attendance -- [AREAS UNDER CONSIDERATION](#): open spaces - superior design - subdivision standards - forest preservation - site work -- [CLICK HERE](#) for details from the Sussex Preservation Coalition

**Take a Few Minutes** to Complete an VALUABLE [Tree Survey](#) ---- Results will be delivered to the County Council



A TREE for Every Delawarean Initiative (TEDI) - [Check it Out](#)

## [New DE Helmet Law Aimed at Preventing Fatalities](#)

- rise in motorcycle fatalities in past 2 years
- law requires anyone obtaining a new motorcycle endorsement starting September 1, 2023, to wear a helmet and eye protection during the first two years of their endorsement - civil penalty will be assessed to those found to be in violation
- 19 States & the District of Columbia require all motorcyclists to wear a helmet
- 22,174 motorcycles currently registered in DE

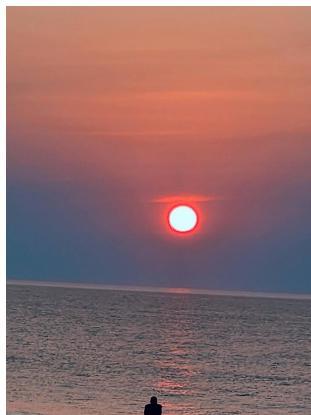




**Osprey Nest - Top of Cell Tower Behind Town Hall Park**



**Bunnies Enjoying the Town Hall Lawn**



**Sunrise in BB - Never Gets Old!!**

**9/1 BBLA "Meet & Greet"**



**Great Conversation & Fun at Zoca with BBLA Board and Our Wonderful Members**



**Building Community: Neighbors Meeting Neighbors**



**Labor Day Fireworks**



**SPECTACULAR!!!**



**Goodbye to a Great Summer 2023**

**Mayor Hardiman & Many "Mourners" @ the 38th Annual Jazz Funeral**

**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



**WHERE:** 759 Garfield Parkway

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

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