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BBLA Beach News

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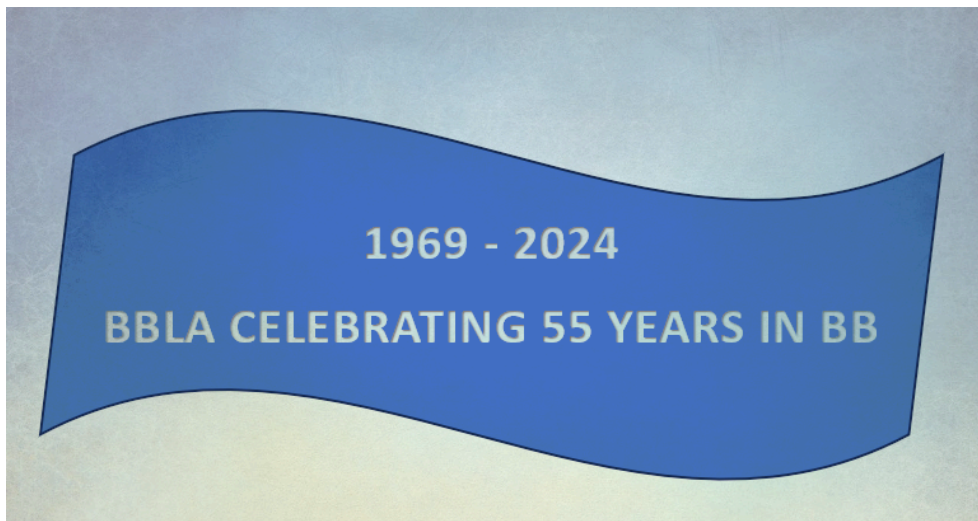


- For those unable to participate in BBLA's Annual Membership Meeting (6-26-24) - Check Out the [Recorded Version](#)
- 4th of July Parade Starts at Noon -- **Watch for the "BBLA Car"** -- Fireworks at Dusk - for [More INFO](#)
- **MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR BBLA's Celebration of 55 Years - 10-11-24 ----- 3:00-5:00 pm at the Blue Crab Restaurant**



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

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Around Town:

**BBLA Board Members
Working for You:**



Retirement Tributes from the Delaware General Assembly presented to Lew Killmer



Congrats

Left to Right: *Honorable Ron Gray - Lew Killmer - Maureen Killmer - Honorable Gerald Hocker*

- Lew Killmer recognized at the 6-21 Town Council mtg for his many years of dedicated service to the Town of BB
- Tributes from the DE Senate & DE House of Representatives were presented



Highlights from BBLA Annual Mtg:

- Congrats to new officers -
 - **President Kathy Sierra**
 - **Vice President Lucille Kurtz**
- Announcement of **Mary Louise Embrey** as Executive Director
- Welcome to new Board Member Chris Lorence
- Many **THANKS** to past President Ron Dobes & former Board Member Bob Baldini
- Informative Presentation from BB Town Manager Cliff Gravier on **Flooding in BB**
- Reflections of BBLA's 55 Years from BBLA Member Jack Burbage (Bluewater Development President & Founder)
- Current Board Member Page found [HERE](#)
- Recording of 2024 Annual Mtg found [HERE](#)



**DNREC
Virtual Joint
Permitting
Hearing on US
Wind Project - July 9th**



New Summer Highlights

- The Town has a new [Tourism App](#) - "Bethany Life"
- You can now [Livestream](#) the Bandstand Concerts
- Beach Patrol reducing potential hazards through use of [SAFE BEACH DAY](#) webpage

Almost Here!

Additional Pay-to-Park Spaces - southeast corner of the Christian Church Conference Center - plans to open July 4th weekend

Read Complete 2024 Parking Information [HERE](#)



Town Council Elections to be Held on September 7th

- 4 Town Council Members to be Elected
- File to be a Candidate by 7/24/24 - see [DETAILS](#)

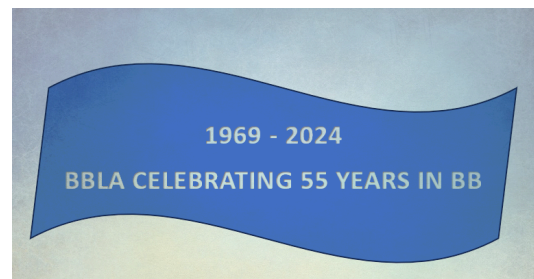


Kudos to BB for a Beautiful Start to the Month of June

- Click [HERE](#) to learn about the hearing - will consider public comments on permit requests thus far - registration link included for verbal comments
- Public comment period closes on 9/9/24

BBLA Providing Input at [Sussex Preservation Coalition June 11th Mtg](#)

- VP Lucille Kurtz & Exec. Dir. Mary Louise Embrey worked on an [Agenda for Livable Communities](#)
- Upcoming P& Z Public Hrg on Northstar Mixed Use Community - 7/17 @ 1:00 pm - Sussex Co. Administrative Bldg - Georgetown
- [Student Environmental Video Contest Winners](#) (BBLA Board Members helped sponsor the contest)



Year-long Celebration Activity:

Submit Your BB Photos

- Click [HERE](#) for instructions



- Dig out your photos to share - 2024 is flying by
- Enjoy the below "flashes from the past" submissions - thanks for the great photo memories

**Have You Visited All the
New Shops in Town?
*2 More Below***



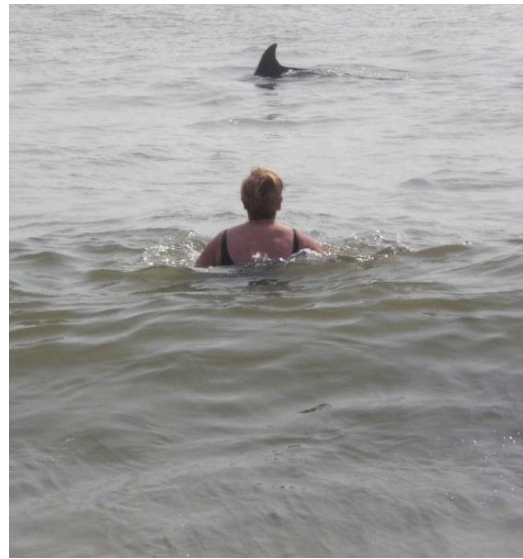
***The Gang's All Here - Anyone
Find a Sand Crab?***
1979-1988
photo submitted by Claire Loftus

**Aria Nails on Rt. 26 & Tackle Up
in Town Center**

**You Know It's Summer
When the BB Farmer's
Market is Up & Running
Each Sunday Morning**



***Grandkids on Volcano Float at
4th of July Parade***
2008
photo submitted by
Charlotte Mulvihill



***Diane in Water with
Dolphin in Background -
Looks Like a Shark!***

1999-2008

photo submitted by Diane Harney

**Be Sure to Visit the
Town Museum During the
Summer Extended Hours**



Patsy's - Campbell Street

1969

photo submitted by Bob Updegrave

***May through October:
Mondays, Wednesdays,
and Fridays 10 am - Noon***

Private tours available - Groups of
10-15 - call (302) 539-8725

**THE STRAWBERRY MOON OVER BETHANY BEACH
(thanks Lee Bunting for the Great Photo!!)**



**VISIT & THANK BBLA'S NEW
GROUP OF
BUSINESS AFFILIATES**



WHERE: 6 N Pennsylvania Ave

ABOUT:

Synonymous with the imagery of comfort food—barbecue holds those southern roots that speak of connection and comfort. Blues' is devoted to their innovative spirit in and out of the kitchen

visit [HERE](#) for more info



WHERE: STEEN'S-On the Beach

ABOUT:

Beach Umbrella & Chair rentals on the beach in Bethany Beach & Fenwick Island, DE and Ocean City, MD



WHERE:
99 Garfield Parkway

ABOUT:
Since 1980 - the premier destination for all your surfing, bodyboarding, skim-boarding, and stand-up paddle board needs while visiting Bethany Beach
visit [HERE](#) for more info

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