Ward 5 eblast

Saturday, February 3, 2024

Registration for youth baseball and softball is today, Feb. 3, 9:00 am to Noon, at Snyder Recreation Center.

Kid's Mardi Gras Parade is today.

Correction: Adult softball will not be offered by the Parks and Recreation department this year.

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Public meetings this week...

- Develop Rev Committee (DRC)
- Architect & Hist Review Comm.
- City Council

Bits & Pieces...

- Lunar New Year (Tet), Feb. 10
- City Within a City exhibition
- Pawrade 2024, Sunday, Feb. 4
- Barg's building nears completion
- Seniors Mardi Gras Bash
- Special Needs Mardi Gras Ball
- Keesler AFB Joint Land Use Study
- Biloxi V.A. Mardi Gras parade
- Docket... It's your money!
- Traffic notes & street sweeping
- City job postings
- Crime mapping

Biloxi A to Z

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Who to contact for...

- City complaints or concerns
 228.435.6271, cross@biloxi.ms.us
- Trash or garbage issues?
 Dial 228.701.9086
 Press 1 Waste Management (garbage)
 Press 2 Pelican Waste (trash)
- Water, Sewer, Gas, or Drainage emergency <u>after</u> working hours?
 Call Dispatch: 228.392.0641
- Streetlight issues, <u>Ward 5</u>,
 Call MS Power: 1.800.487.3275

- ► There was no Council meeting this past week.
- ► The next Council meeting is Tuesday, February 6, 6:00 pm <u>Agenda</u> *Items that may be of interest to Ward 5 residents...*
- 1) 4A First Reading, designate 143 Keller Avenue a City of Biloxi Landmark
- 2) 4B Deny a zoning map amendment, 73 parcels, Old Highway 67
- 3) 4C Appointment of Shawnte' Shaw, Ward 2, to the Planning Commission
- 4) 5A Non-Departmental expenditure, Gulf Coast Center for Non-Violence
- 5) <u>5C Reappointment of Kay Horne to the Biloxi Schools' Board of Trustees</u>
- 6) 5J Substantial amendment to 2023 Action Plan, use of funds (CDBG)
- 7) 5L MOU with U.S. Marine Corps Forces Special Operations, for training
- 8) Special rental agreements: 5X Neptune, 5Y GCCA, 5Z Hibernia Society



Biloxi Belle Casino was a replica of an 1890 stern-wheeler. It opened August 25, 1992, with 40 gaming tables and 500 slot machines. (Courtesy of Biloxi Library)

Accessing past Council agendas...

If you're following certain topics that require Council action (Re-zonings, Conditional Uses, Ordinances, etc.) you can trace the history of those topics by starting at the City Council's webpage, Archives. Typically, there are two entries following each Council meeting: "Regular" denotes the agenda *prior* to Council action, "Revised" denotes Council action taken. Clicking on the Regular Meeting Agenda allows you to access the back-up documentation for each agenda item; you'll see what the Council sees. Agendas are posted online Thursday by day's end. Past Ward 5 eblasts might help when beginning your search. If there were late additions to the agenda, they'll appear on the Revised agenda denoted with ADD. (The public is unaware of late additions to the agenda until the meeting begins.)

Bidding for Baseball Park naming rights (WLOX)... Home schedule
The City of Biloxi has posted a desired price tag as high as \$140,000 per
year for the naming rights to the home of the Biloxi Shuckers. Officials are
suggesting the following terms: # years, \$140,000 per year; 5 years,
\$125,000 per year; three options to renew for three two-year terms,
payment increases 5%/year each option. Read more The King Cakes?