



Golden Beach Newsletter May 2022

Golden Beach, circa February 1959



Aerial photo of Golden Beach as it was in 1959. The photo, on display at the Venice Museum, shows our neighborhood in its earliest days. Some of the original homes still stand, some have been replaced, and most of the then-vacant lots are now occupied. Below, a photo of the Golden Beach neighborhood today.



Beach Access Clean-Up Morning Scheduled

The beach access could use some TLC -- fertilizing of palms, mulching, removing dead Areca palm fronds along with 'volunteer' plants, weeding the front bed, light trimming for car access, etc. A clean up morning is scheduled for **Sunday, May 15 at 8:30am**. Fertilizer, mulch, and leaf bags are provided. Bring your garden tools and cool water to join in the fun. If we end up with more people than work to be done, you can just sit in the shade and yak with neighbors. Hope to see you there!



Social Event

Golden Beach will enjoy a Happy Hour social event at the beach access on Sunday, May 29th from 5 pm until 7 p.m. Please bring an appetizer to share if you like, and your beverage of choice. Please feel free to bring a chair.

Update on the beach access gated fence project

GBAI is obtaining bids from several established local companies, for the installation of a gated fence at the beach access. The working plan is for a contract to be awarded later this month, with construction to be completed before next Season.

Project design goals remain:

- Reducing trespass at the Golden Beach community access,
- While preserving the visual beauty of the access,
- In a manner that creates minimal inconvenience for neighbors,
- At a reasonable cost.

Changes at the Beachcomber

Reenie Eberhart, our Golden Beach neighbor, has retired as manager of the Beachcomber. The Beachcomber has been a terrific partner and a neighborhood institution – thank you Reenie. Barry Zahnd, a former Golden Beach resident known to many, is the new manager. Thank you and congratulations to Reenie and a big welcome to Barry!

Golden Beach Plant Giveaway

Susan and Bill Fender sponsored the first plant giveaway event of 2022 on Sunday, May 1. Wonderful to see a steady stream of neighbors arriving by foot, car and bicycle. They left loaded with new garden plants -- milkweed for the Monarchs, pepper plants, succulents, philodendron and more.



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