2017 Atlantic Hurricane Season

It’s here! The Atlantic hurricane season runs from June 1 to November 30. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) has released its 2017 Atlantic Hurricane prediction and forecasters say the Atlantic could see another above-normal hurricane season this year.
2017 Disaster Awareness Day
Thursday, June 15, 2017
10:00 a.m.- 2:30 p.m.
Seabrook Island Club
(3772 Seabrook Island Rd)

Co-sponsored by the Town of Kiawah Island and Town of Seabrook Island, this year's program will focus on lessons learned from Hurricane Matthew, preparation, procedures in evacuation/reentry scenarios, island security, FEMA individual assistance information and flood map changes. **Valuable prizes will be raffled off throughout the day with the opportunity to win an Amazon Echo.** First 10 attendees will receive a free NOAA weather radio. Lunch will be provided. No RSVP required. Don't miss this unique opportunity to speak to Town, County, and State Emergency Management officials in one place. [Check out this year's agenda here!](#) Gate passes will be available at the Seabrook gate house by referencing Disaster Awareness Day.

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**Sea Turtle Nesting Update**

**Nests Found: 79**

**Nesting Activity: Mid-May - August**

**Remember:**
LIGHTS OUT for turtles! (including flashlights)
Fill in all holes before you leave the beach.
Do not interfere with a turtle nest! It's against the law.

[Check out our Turtle Patrol Infographic](#)

Interested in volunteering? [Contact Lynne Sager](#)

More information on Loggerhead Sea Turtles and nest monitoring [here](#)
Kiawah's Leash Law Explained

The leash laws for pets on Kiawah Island are defined in 2 sections of the Town's municipal code. A summary of each section is provided below. The complete sections can be viewed here.

**Section 7-201**
Pets must be leashed at all times when they are outside unless they are in an enclosed area (pen, fence, etc.). The only exceptions to this rule are listed in Section 16-502.

**Section 16-502**

**Dog Use Area:** Pets may be unleashed (must be under control) year round from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Dog Use area located between the Beach Club and the Ocean Course Clubhouse. **Pets must be leashed in this area from 7 p.m. to 7 a.m.**

**Remainder of Beach:** March 16 - October 31: Pets must be on leash
November 1 - March 15: Pets may be unleashed (must be under control) from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. **Pets must be leashed from 7 p.m. - 7 a.m.**

**Critical Habitat Areas:** Pets cannot enter critical habitat areas located on each end of the island and marked with signage.
A map showing beachfront leash regulations can be viewed here.

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**Emergency Preparedness**

**Use these guides to help you prepare:**
- National Weather Service Hurricane guide
- Charleston County Hurricane guide
- South Carolina Emergency Preparedness guide

**Notification Alerts:**
Sign up for the Town's emergency notification system CodeRED. CodeRED is used to communicate to residents in emergency situations or critical community alerts such as evacuation notices, boil water notices, tornado warnings, and flash flood notices.

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- Storms that form north of the equator spin counterclockwise. Storms south of the equator spin clockwise. This difference is because of Earth's rotation on its axis.

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**Brown Trash & Hazardous Waste: Friday, June 2nd**

Brown Trash must be placed on the curb by 7:00 am to ensure collection. Household Hazardous Waste should be brought to the Town Hall garage at 21 Beachwalker Drive for disposal between the hours of 8:00 am and 3:00 pm. Hazardous Household material cannot be placed at your curb. Questions? Contact Kathy Evans

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**Piccolo Comes to Kiawah**

Tuesday, June 6, 2017 at 5:30 p.m. Mingo Point

**Tickets Available Now**

Price: Adults $50, Children $25

The 2017 Piccolo Spoleto Festival comes to Kiawah! Join us on the banks of the Kiawah River for this special festival program that includes a full dinner buffet with oyster roast and cash bar service. The evening's entertainment will feature up-tempo take on the songbook of Fats Waller and the heyday of Harlem featuring Immanuel (Manny) Houston and friends. More
MEETING NOTICES

**Town Council Public Hearing** (budget) - June 2, 2017 at 10:30 a.m.
**Ways and Means Committee** - June 2, 2017 at 11:00 a.m.
**Town Council Meeting** - June 6, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
**Municipal Center Committee** - June 7, 2017 at 11:30 am
**Planning Commission** - June 7, 2017 at 3:00 p.m.
**Public Works Committee** - June 12, 2017 at 10:00 p.m.
**Public Safety Committee** - June 14, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
**Arts & Cultural Events Council** - June 15, 2017 at 2:00 p.m.
**Board of Zoning and Appeals** - June 19, 2017 at 4:00 p.m.
**Town Council Public Hearing** (zoning amendments) - June 22, 2017 at 1:30 p.m.
**Ways and Means Committee** - June 27, 2017 at 2:00 pm

* Meetings are subject to change

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