



ISLAND VIBES

the Official Newsletter for the City of South Padre Island



UPCOMING MEETINGS

View upcoming meetings, live stream in session, & watch archived meetings [here](#).

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday Recycling

Date: Every Saturday
Time: 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Where: 4501 Padre Blvd
[Click here](#) for event details.

SPI Market Days

Date: January 23rd - 25th & February 20th - 22nd
Time: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Where: SPI Convention Center
[Click here](#) for event details.

SPI Chamber of Commerce hosts the Island Showcase

Date: February 3rd
Time: 5:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.
Where: SPI Convention Center
[Click here](#) for event details.

30th Annual Winter Outdoor Wildlife Expo

Date: February 5th - 7th
Time: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Where: 6801 Padre Boulevard
[Click here](#) for event details.

Indoor Kite Fest

Date: February 6th - 7th
Time: 6:30 p.m.
Where: SPI Convention Center
[Click here](#) for event details.

There's no shortage of events happening on South Padre Island! [Click here](#) to join the fun and see what's happening.



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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Below is a highlight from the December 22nd Special City Council Meeting!

- Five out of six Council Members voted to approve releasing the bid for the Wind and Water Sports Venue as soon as the invitation to bid package and technical specifications are finalized.

To watch this meeting online click or scan the QR code.



Adopt-A-Beach

Ready to volunteer to beautify the beach with the help of Adopt-a-Beach? Use this [link](#) to learn more and how to volunteer!



Friday, February 6th from 8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.



Beach Access #8 Whitecap Circle between E. Red Snapper St. and E. Swordfish St.

Pet of the Week

Indigo and Carlos are decked out for the holidays. While Indigo is a bit of a princess, Carlos is the court jester. They love to play with each other, go for walks, and hang out with the humans.

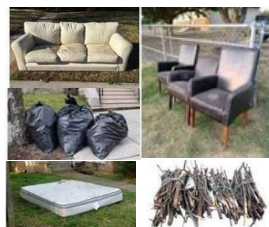
Meet your future fur friend at Friends of Animal Rescue at 4908 Padre Blvd. Complete the adoption application [here](#).



Bulk Trash Pick Up

This month, Republic Service will have an extra brush & bulky pick-up on December 29, 2025! Missed out? You can still set out brush and bulky trash to be picked up during the first three business days of January.

Acceptable:



Unacceptable:



New Year's Eve Fireworks show

Join us for the New Year's Eve Fireworks show on December 31st at 9:15 p.m. at 211 W Whiting St. [Click here](#) to see more!



Welcome Winter Texans!

Each year, visitors who are looking to exchange freezing temperatures and shoveling snow for endless sunshine flock to South Padre Island! South Padre Island's moderate temperatures make our beach perfect for strolling, collecting shells, fishing, or watching the waves roll in.

Plan your newest trip to South Padre Island with the handy Trip Ideas & Tips for Winter Texans page! Scan or click the QR code to view the page.



Line Dancing, Games, Cardio, and Fun at the Community Center!

From January through February, join a community center activity! From line dancing and cardio drumming to card and board games! There is something for everyone.

BRIDGE

Join in on the fun for free! Please contact Becky at 956-466-1503 for more information.

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays

Times: 12:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

CARDIO DRUMMING

Get your blood pumping with some drumming for free! You will need to bring an exercise ball, a bucket, and drumsticks.

For more information, please contact Rose Ann Makowski at 269-377-2093 or email roseannmakowski@yahoo.com

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Times: 9:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.

CHAIR YOGA

Join in on some relaxing yoga! A month of classes is \$50. Individual classes are \$10.

To pre-register, please call or text Aziza at 269-377-2093.

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Times: 12:00 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

LINE DANCING - BEGINNER

Join in on the fun by leaving a tip! Please contact Sue Muische at 816-806-6028 for more information.

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays

Times: 9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.

LINE DANCING - HIGH BEGINNER

Join in on the fun by leaving a tip! Please contact Sue Muische at 816-806-6028 for more information.

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays

Times: 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

MAHJONG

Join in on the fun for free!

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays

Times: 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

SPI UKULELE CLUB

Join in on the fun for free! Please contact Dodie Smith at 956-561-1578 for more information.

Dates: Mondays

Times: 10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

LINE DANCING - ABSOLUTE BEGINNER

Join in on the fun by leaving a tip! Please contact Sue Muische at 816-806-6028 for more information.

Dates: Mondays, Wednesdays, & Fridays

Times: 8:30 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.

ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 31ST, AND THURSDAY, JANUARY 1ST, IN OBSERVANCE OF NEW YEARS.