

# Ripples

## on SilverLakes

**First Quarter 2023**  
**Reaching the 5000+ homes of SilverLakes-Pembroke Pines & Miramar**

## What's New!

Dear Residents,

Happy New Year! Wishing everyone good health and happiness for 2023!

Pictures of our Holiday Decorating Contest Winners and Holiday Movie Night are on Page 2. Events and Contests are on Page 3.

THANK YOU to all our generous sponsors in 2022!



The SilverLakes Annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on Saturday, April 8th. There will be the Egg Hunt, Art Activity, Bunny Zoo, Prizes, Train Rides, the SilverLakes Snack Shack and Live Music!!

This event is exclusively for SilverLakes Residents. Generously sponsored by Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital.

Visit the EVENTS page of [www.silverlakes.net](http://www.silverlakes.net) for info to register.



Blue Stream fiber

### Friendly Testing Beginning Soon!

We are looking for tech savvy volunteers to be the first in their community to sign up for Blue Stream Fiber Service.

**Volunteers needed from Pelican Sound, Coconut Bay, Sapphire Park, Grand Cay, Pelican Isle, and Marina Sound.**

Please note, you'll be able to keep your current Comcast service until the Comcast contract expires at the end of the year. If interested, please email [silverlakes@bluestreamfiber.com](mailto:silverlakes@bluestreamfiber.com) with your name, address/community and phone #.

Volunteers Wanted

**Blue Stream fiber**

SilverLakes Residents  
 Blue Stream  
 Town Hall  
 (via zoom)  
 January 19, 2023  
 7:00pm

Join the Zoom meeting at:  
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9544386370>

There was a Blue Stream Fiber Town Hall Meeting on Jan 19th. It was a great opportunity to hear how the process is going and ask Blue Stream Management questions.

Blue Stream will rectifying any damage to property in the installation process. Blue Stream info can be found at:

[www.silverlakes.net/bluestream-fiber](http://www.silverlakes.net/bluestream-fiber)

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Wishing everyone a Happy New Year!  
**Cathy**

# Congratulations to our Holiday Decorating Contest Winners!

**Thank you to all the residents who participated!**



**1st Place Winner:**  
The Pinto Ojeda Family of Crystal Shores



**2nd Place Winner:**  
The Sanchez Family of Coconut Cove



**3rd Place Winner:**  
The Moreno Family of Marina Pointe



**Cash Prizes were generously sponsored by: Magical Displays**  
**\$200 1st Place, \$100 2nd Place, \$50 3rd Place**

## Holiday Movie Night

The SilverLakes Family Movie Night was held at the SilverLakes Community Park on Friday, December 23rd! There was live DJ music, holiday tattoos, Fredo's gelato, and turtle painting with Big Blue Swim School, the evening's sponsor! Blue Steam Fiber also provided Santa with a bag of giveaways. The Grinch was shown on the outdoor screen. There was a visit from the Pembroke Pines Fire Department and Santa, Mrs. Claus and Elves arrived to hand out the giveaways! Thank you to all the residents who brought an unwrapped gift for the SilverLakes Cares Toy Drive.

The gifts were delivered to Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital!

Thank you to Big Blue Swim School for their generous sponsorship!



# CONTESTS, exclusively for SilverLakes Residents!



[www.silverlakes.net/current-contests.html](http://www.silverlakes.net/current-contests.html)

## The 2023 SilverLakes Annual Community-Wide GARAGE SALE

Saturday, February 4th & Sunday, February 5th  
8:00am - 2:00pm

SilverLakes spans Pembroke Pines and Miramar

- OPEN to EVERYONE!
- FIND GREAT DEALS!

The Salvation Army will be on site at SilverLakes Community Park to accept donations of clothing, furniture and household items on both days from 8:00am-3:00pm.

Pooches in Pines will be on site on both days at the SilverLakes Community Park to accept donations of gently used or new collars, leashes, dog crates and food.

MAPS of participating homes can be downloaded on the SilverLakes website on February 3rd at [www.SilverLakes.net](http://www.SilverLakes.net)

MAPS will also be available at the drop off location at SilverLakes Community Park: 925 NW 178th Avenue, Pembroke Pines, FL 33029

[www.SilverLakes.net](http://www.SilverLakes.net)



The Garage Sale was advertised on SilverLakes Social Media, SilverLakes Website, Next Door, Pembroke Pines City Connect and an ad was placed in the Sun Sentinel.

Yard signs and banners were put up in the community.

The Salvation Army and Pooches in Pines were grateful for the abundance of donations! SilverLakes Cares ❤️

## SilverLakes ZOO MIAMI "Creature Feature"

Saturday, March 11th from 11:00a-1:00pm  
SilverLakes Community Park Outdoor Pavilion

Pre-Registration with Waiver is REQUIRED! For more info, visit the EVENTS page of [www.SilverLakes.net](http://www.SilverLakes.net).

Please bring beach chairs/blankets for seating. This is an outdoor event. Fun prizes!

• Deadline to RSVP is Mar 10th at 8pm • Information will be posted on the EVENTS page of [www.SilverLakes.net](http://www.SilverLakes.net)



An educational presentation about the Florida Panther. (No live animals can be transported due to Covid).

## Great Event on March 11th

There will be an educational presentation by Zoo Miami on the Florida Panther. There will also be animal themed temporary tattoos, an animal themed selfie station, art activity and bean bag toss. Three lucky winners will receive adopted Panthers from the

Fish and Wildlife Foundation of Florida.

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# Great Contests are posted! Enter to win great prizes at: [www.silverlakes.net/current-contests](http://www.silverlakes.net/current-contests)



Ashley of Misty Bay won the SilverLakes Super Bowl Contest and won a gift card, courtesy of Sports Grill.



Kelly from Marina Pointe won the SilverLakes Valentine's Day Contest and won a Valentine's Day Cookie Decorating Kit!



Patti from Brittany Bay won the SilverLakes Café au Lait Contest and won a gift card, courtesy of Roasting Buddies.



Alicia from Marina Pointe won the SilverLakes Nat'l Coffee Break Day Contest and won a Gift Card, courtesy of Cali Coffee.



Francisco of Crystal Shores won the SilverLakes Valentine's Day Contest and won a gift card, courtesy of the Village Tavern.



BRITISH-INSPIRED, AMERICAN-CRAFTED

Who will win the gift card for the SilverLakes St. Patty's Day Contest courtesy of The Pub?



Keyla from Sapphire Bay won the SilverLakes Nat'l Bagel Day Contest and won a gift card.

Grace from Sapphire Sound won the SilverLakes Nat'l Skating Month Contest and won passes and skate rentals, courtesy of Pines Ice Arena.



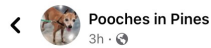
Vicky from Misty Harbor won the SilverLakes Facebook Contest, predicted the Chiefs would win Super Bowl LVII, and received a Chiefs Sweatshirt and Wilson NFL Football!

Who will win the SilverLakes National Butterfly Day Contest and receive admission tickets to Butterfly World?

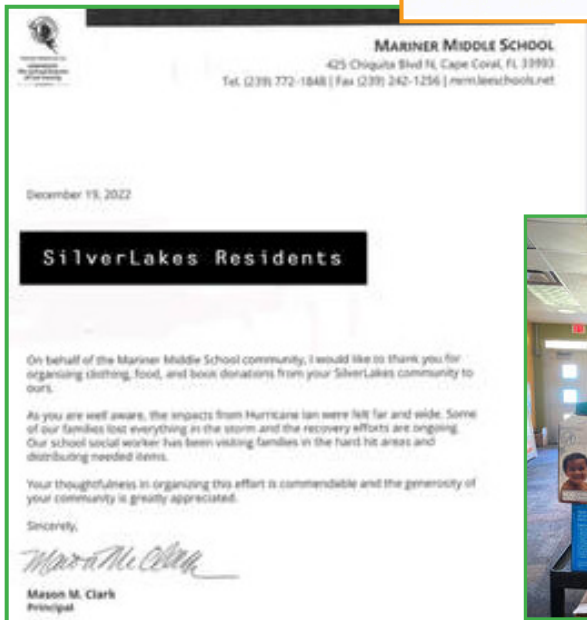
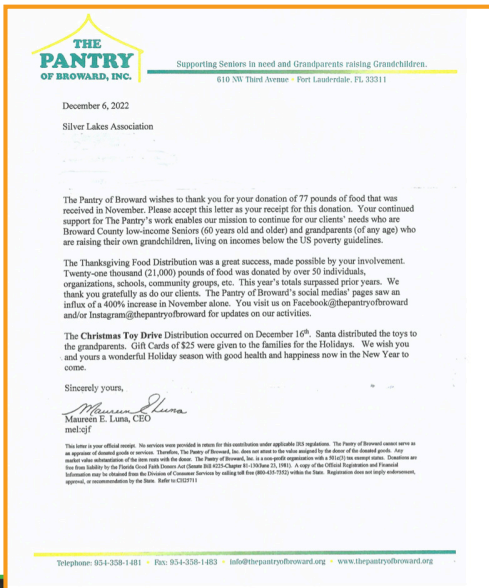


Who will win the Cinco de Mayo Contest and win a gift card to Lime Fresh?

# Donation Thank You Corner



We'd like to thank the SilverLakes Community Association for having us this past weekend for their huge Garage sale. And we can't forget everyone who stopped by to chat and donate items to us. We appreciate it and look forward to the next one! ❤️



A sincere thank you to Rick Collum. Rick served as the Commercial Parcels Director on the SilverLakes Master Board.



He recently stepped down as he sold his business, Pines West Storage Center. We thank Rick for his years of service!

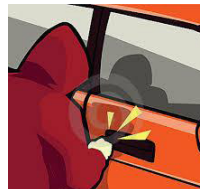


The outdoor pavilion at the SilverLakes Community Park can be reserved by SilverLakes residents. The fee is \$50.

To download an application, visit:

[www.silverlakes.net/parks-recreation](http://www.silverlakes.net/parks-recreation).

# Resident Reminders:

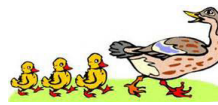


Please lock your vehicles and doors every night. Do not leave valuables, keys or garage openers in your car!



Please pick up after your dogs! It's the law! Broward County

Animal Care and Regulation Ordinance, Chapter 4, Sec. 4-8.



Please do not feed wildlife. It's against the law!

Florida Statutes 379.412 – Penalties for feeding wildlife and freshwater fish.



SilverLakes Association has Rental Restrictions in place! Are you renting your home? Read the governing docs at [silverlakes.net/rental-restrict](http://silverlakes.net/rental-restrict).



Find an abundance of Blue Stream Fiber information at:

[www.silverlakes.net/bluestream-fiber](http://www.silverlakes.net/bluestream-fiber).



The SilverLakes Association extends sincere condolences to the Pembroke Pines Police Department and The Family of

Officer Charles Herring. Officer Herring died in a traffic accident on 2/9/2023 on 184th Ave. He was a beloved member of the Pembroke Pines Police Force for 22 years. Rest in Peace, Office Herring.



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