

August 2022



# The Beachcomber

*Hernando Beach  
Property Owners  
Association  
Newsletter*



## **PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE BY BILL ROBERTS**

Our next meeting  
will be held  
**Thursday,  
August 4, 2022 at  
7:00pm at the HB  
Marine Group  
Training Facility,  
4340 Calienta St.,**  
doors open at  
6:30pm.

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**The purpose of  
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as a contact.**

Welcome back to all our snowbirds, families on vacation and world travelers. Patty and I traveled to Virginia, Texas, Arizona, South Dakota, Oregon and many points in between. Whether you travel by jet, boat or auto, there is always a sense of excitement mixed in with a little apprehension. Thoughts of delays at the airport, flat tires on a deserted highway or questioning your choice of "it's just a little side-trip" soon fade with new vistas and the smiling faces of seldom seen friends-relatives. First and foremost, I'd like to give my HBPOA board a big thank you for their attention to detail on community business while we were on the road – Diane Greenwell, Denis Polyn, Scott Fitzgerald, Bobbi Caccamisi, Jennifer Brown, Linda Tartaglione, James Fourrier, and David Skinner.

Your Hernando Beach Community continues to grow with new homes being built and steady sales of existing homes. We like to welcome all new residents via our local realtors with an official Hernando Beach Property Owners Association (HBPOA) Welcome Letter. Most local realtors buy a first-year membership to the Association as entry point for new residents to "get to know" their neighbors. We appreciate our local realtors for this inclusion effort. And thank you to our Membership Team for building our Welcome Bags.

Along with our strong residential growth, local businesses along Shoal Line Drive and Caliente are being sold, new businesses are moving in hence variances are being requested to update new business plans which could include zoning change requests. Your HBPOA board checks and engages with the Hernando County government on like requests and will work with the county to ensure the Public Inquiry Workshop (PIW) process does not get watered down. We will protect the HB community right for transparency on future land use map amendments, zoning changes, master plan approvals, conditional use permits requiring Planning and Zoning Commission re-

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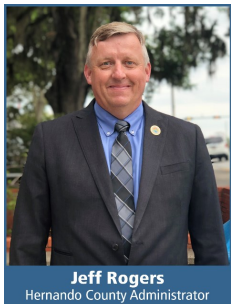
view, special exception permits and variances.

Summer will be heading into its last month by the time you read this Beachcomber, kids will be back in school and we'll only have 3 months of hurricane season remaining? Remember polls will be open on Tuesday, Aug. 23<sup>rd</sup>. The deadline to request a Vote-By-Mail ballot for the Aug 23<sup>rd</sup> primary election is Saturday, Aug. 13. Requests can be sent via the website "HernandoVotes.gov" or by calling the Supervisor of Elections office at 352-754-4125. They'll also be able to answer your questions about turning in Vote-by-Mail ballots, voting in person or polling locations.

See you at our next meeting – August 4<sup>th</sup>. Please submit your Hernando Beach Photos for our September Photo Contest to [HBPOA34607@gmail.com](mailto:HBPOA34607@gmail.com) for consideration and inclusion in our annual calendar. The deadline is August 15<sup>th</sup>.

Love where you Live – Hernando Beach.

## AUGUST GUEST SPEAKER JEFF ROGERS



We have invited Mr. Rogers to come speak about the half cents sales tax.

Jeff Rogers, P.E., became County Administrator on May 14, 2019. He joined Hernando County Government as Deputy County Administrator on September 25, 2017 and served as Acting County Administrator starting January 30, 2019. Rogers has more than eight years of local government experience with a concentration in administration, public works, budgeting and overall operational leadership and organization change. He has an aptitude for identifying organizational weaknesses, deploying effective solutions, increasing employee efficiency and embodying a vision.

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# Hernando Beach Property Owners Association

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**Beachcomber** - Jen Brown  
**Bylaw Committee** - Barry Holland

## 2022 HBPOA Monthly Meetings

Hernando Beach Marine Group Inc.  
4340 Calienta Street, Hernando Beach

### Board Meeting

11:00 am to 1:00 pm  
Dates: Aug. 29, Oct. 3, Oct 31

### General Membership Meeting

7:00 pm to 9:00 pm  
Dates: Sep. 1, Oct 6, Nov. 3

## HERNANDO BEACH PROPERTY OWNERS ASSOCIATION 2022 MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION & RENEWAL FORM

HBPOA meetings are held the 1st Thursday of every month.  
Meetings are held at the Coast Guard Station on Calienta St, the doors open at 6:45pm and meetings start at 7pm.

**Dues are \$35.00 annually and include the Beachcomber Newsletter mailed to you.**

**Annual dues are due by January 1st every year and are NOT prorated.**

Members who join in November or December are considered paid up as members for the following year.

☐ **New Member**      ☐ **Renewal from 2021**      ☐ **Prefer to receive the Beachcomber by email**

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### HBPOA MEMBERSHIP MEETING MINUTES JUNE 2, 2022 7:00PM

#### **PRESENT:**

|                   |                |             |
|-------------------|----------------|-------------|
| Present           |                |             |
| Bill Robert       | President      | Present     |
| Diane Greenwell   | Vice President | Present     |
| Linda Tartaglione | Secretary      | Present     |
| Jen Brown         | Treasurer      | Present     |
| Dave Skinner      | Director       | Present     |
| Scott Fitzgerald  | Director       | Present     |
| James Fournier    | Director       | Not Present |
| Denis Polyn       | Director       | Present     |
| Bobbi Caccamissi  | Director       | Present     |

Got a quorum: 8 board members

#### **7:00pm Meeting called to order**

Adopt Agenda motion by Denis Polyn, second Bobbi Caccamesi, no discussion. Adopted via voice vote!

Approval of Minutes as posted in Beachcomber. Motion by Denis Polyn, second Diane Greenwell, no discussion. Approved via voice vote.

#### **7:15 Guest Speaker:**

Sheriff Al Nienhuis, Hernando County Sheriff's office

#### **7:55 Business Meeting:**

President's Comments:

Committee Reports:

#### **Treasurer's report & Beachcomber – Jen Brown**

Starting balance: \$12,726.52

Ending balance: \$15,032.09 (see report for details).

#### **Membership committee – Marlies Blackford.**

HBPOA gained one new family, Ron and Sherly Hoffman – Welcome!

#### **Hospitality Committee: - Judith Hughes**

We continue to have Game Day, had a trip to Dali Museum. Will host an Ice Cream Social to Start  
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our September meeting.

### **Landscaping Committee – Bill Roberts**

2 accidents at the triangle with damage reported.  
HBPOA received a \$500 donation to replace plants from one of the accidents - anonymous.  
Weeding tomorrow at triangle 7am to 9 am.

### **GAC report – Mike Fulford:**

BOCC reviews report in its entirety, comments included.

PIW for Garrison property near Lazy Lizard. Scheduled for June 15<sup>th</sup> at the Coast Guard Auxiliary at 5:30pm. This is for a zoning change to park boats & equipment.

Mr. Garrison is also asking for a variance for his property adjacent to boat ramp to change setback requirements.

Dredging Project, Weeki Wachee River, 300ft West of Shoal Line bridge to the park boundary.

2<sup>nd</sup> dredging project, State Rd canal on West side of Shoal Line Bridge.

### **New business**

HBPOA Hernando Beach Life Calendar and photo contest has started – we are looking for photos from the membership to build the calendar which we will sell in the fall.

Ice Cream social by Hospitality committee for our September meeting.

Motion by Denis Polyn for membership vote for meeting in August. Second: Diane Greenwell.  
DISCUSSION: None. Voice Vote: Ayes have it.  
HBPOA will have a meeting in August.

**Member Comments:** Kathryn Birren announced the Water Ways committee meeting is scheduled for June 15<sup>th</sup> at 7pm in the Brooksville Building Department.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Hernando Beach Yacht Club will host its first annual 1<sup>st</sup> Annual Hero's Boat Parade. For the \$50 registration fee each participant will receive a Florida Veteran's Foundation Flag.

June 5th silent auction starts with online registration, June 26th reservations are due to Yacht Club for dinner on Friday, July 1<sup>st</sup>. Boat Parade and Quilt of Valor presentation will be Monday, 4 July at 11am and 12pm respectively.

Crime Watch meeting will be held the second Wednesday of the month at 6pm.

Friday is Red Shirt Day at the VFW.

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**7:00pm**



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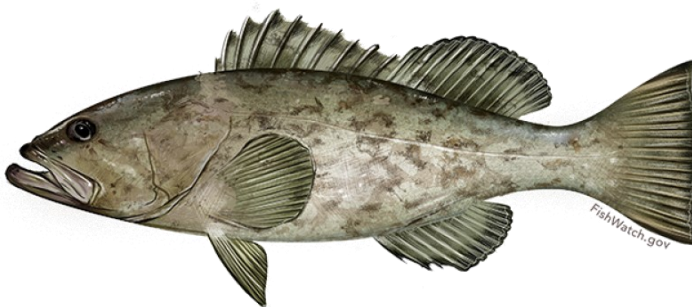
Next meetings:

Board Meeting: August 2, 11:00am.

Membership Meeting: August 4, 7:00pm.

ADJORN: Motion: Denis Polyn. Second: Bobbi Cacamesi. Voice Vote: adopted

## **FWC NEWS - GAG GROUPEE EFFECTIVE JANUARY 1, 2023**



FWC approves final rule to modify gag grouper recreational season in Gulf state waters.

At its July meeting, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) approved a final rule,

effective **January 1, 2023**, modifying the recreational season for gag grouper in state waters of the Gulf of Mexico. The recreational season for gag grouper in Gulf state waters will be open Sept. 1 – Nov. 10, 2023.

This modification for gag grouper in Gulf state waters is intended to prevent overfishing, improve stock abundance and help ensure future gag fishing opportunities. This change is consistent with pending regulations in adjacent federal waters in the Gulf of Mexico.

The FWC is committed to collecting critical recreational harvest fishing data to inform management of gag grouper, in addition to other reef fish. The State Reef Fish Survey uses in-person interviews and a mail survey to collect information on recreational fishing for reef fish, such as gag grouper, from private boats. These methods provide the FWC with a clearer picture of the health of reef fish stocks throughout the state and help ensure the long-term sustainability of recreational fishing in Florida.

The State Reef Fish Angler designation is required for recreational anglers and spearfishers who intend to fish for or harvest certain reef fish species from a private vessel in Florida. This designation makes recre-

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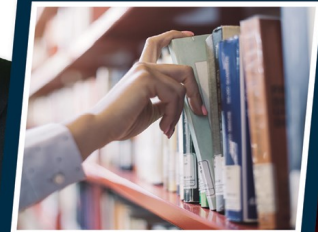
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ational anglers eligible for selection to receive a mail survey component of the State Reef Fish Survey. To learn more about the State Reef Fish Survey, visit [MyFWC.com/SRFS](http://MyFWC.com/SRFS).

For more information, including the July 2022 Commission meeting presentation, visit [MyFWC.com/Commission](http://MyFWC.com/Commission) and click on "Commission Meetings."

For current recreational gag grouper regulations, visit [MyFWC.com/Marine](http://MyFWC.com/Marine) and click on "Recreational Regulations", "Reef Fish" and then "Grouper." This

page will be updated with regulation modifications.

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PART 3

Can you find these street names?

Gulf Coast

1st Isle (First Isle)

2nd Isle (Second Isle)

3rd Isle (Third Isle)

4th Isle (Fourth Isle)

5th Isle (Fifth Isle)

6th Isle (Sixth Isle)

7th Isle (Seventh Isle)

8th Isle (Eighth Isle)



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- **Highway Signs** – Buoyage system, ATONS, light characteristics, chart symbols.
- **Rules of the Road** – Boating traffic, stand-on and give-way vessels, traffic separation, diver-down rules, anchoring, narrow channels, restricted visibility, small boat safety, and inland waters.
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- **Powering Your Boat** – Types of engines, ignition systems, batteries, and troubleshooting.
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- **Weather and Boating** – Wind and boating, waves, fog, sources of weather information.
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**TEN TIPS FOR SUCCESSFUL CYCLING**

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**1) Ride on the road.**

Adult bicyclists do not belong on the sidewalk. Sidewalk cycling increases conflict for cyclists, motorists and pedestrians. Sidewalk cycling is not only inconvenient and slow, it actually increases your risk of being hit by a car because it aggravates turning and crossing conflicts. The sidewalk also presents many more hazards such as poles, posts and branches.

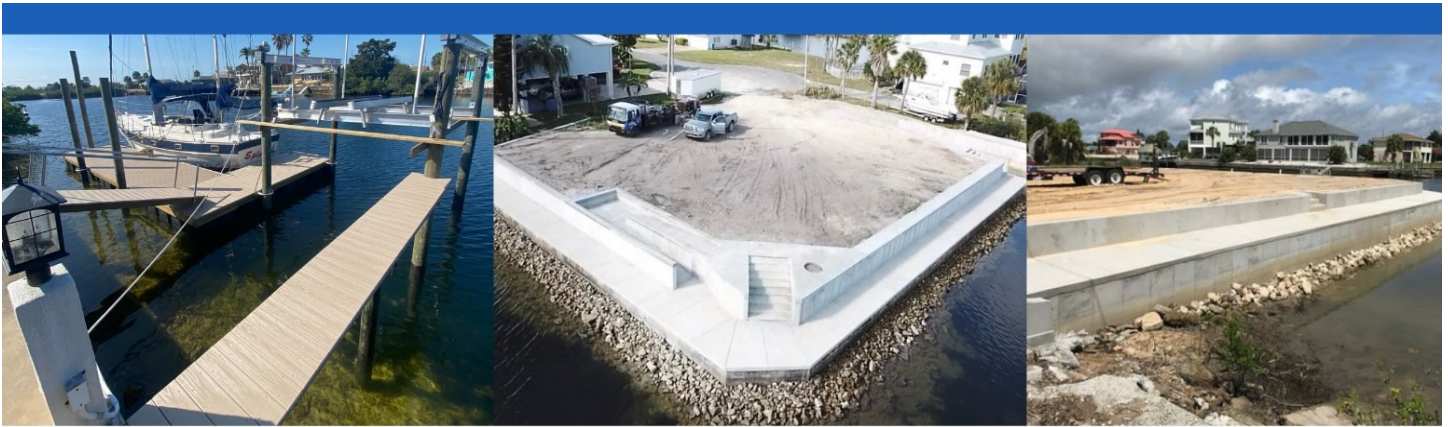
**2) Know and follow the rules.**

The rules of the road are for everyone. They exist to make us all predictable to one another. Bicyclists who violate the rules are not only far more likely to be hit by a car, they are disruptive and breed animosity among fellow road users. The basic rules:

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- Always ride the same direction as traffic.

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- Yield to traffic before entering a road.
- Yield to overtaking traffic when changing lanes.
- Obey all traffic control devices.

### 3) Integrate in the intersections.

- Always use the lane that serves your destination.
- Turn left from left turn lanes.
- Never ride straight in a right-turn-only lane.
- When approaching an intersection in a wide lane or a bike lane, merge left into the main traffic flow or lane.
- The crosswalk is the WORST place to cross a busy intersection.

### 4) Ride Big.

Most roads have lanes that are not wide enough to be safely shared by cars and bikes operated side-by-side. You are allowed the full use of a lane that is not wide enough to share. Communicate that the lane is not wide enough for a motorist to squeeze past you by riding far enough left that there clearly is not room for the width of a car between you and the lane line. Riding big makes you visible and encourages motorists to give generous passing clearance. It also gives you someplace to go if a motorist does come too close.

### 5) Communicate.

You are part of the system, you need to be predictable to others. Communication makes you predictable. Signal turns and lane changes. When motorists know what you want to do, most of them will try to help you out!

### 6) Be mindful of your surroundings.

Markings on the roadway are static. Traffic is dynamic. As a result, bike-specific markings sometimes put you in the wrong place. You **MUST** take your cues from the whole environment. *Never let paint think for you.*

- Make sure you are visible to crossing and turning traffic. This often means leaving a bike lane and moving to the left side of the general use lane.
- Never ride within 5ft of a parked car. This area is called the "door zone." A suddenly-opened car door can be deadly. Some bike lanes are striped entirely within the door zone.
- Passing a queue of stopped traffic on the right can expose you to many crash hazards. Sometimes it's better just to wait in the queue.
- Never, ever pass a large truck on the right!

### 7) Understand how traffic flows.

If you understand traffic flow, you can anticipate and place yourself in a position which makes things easier for yourself and your fellow road users. In the Cycling-

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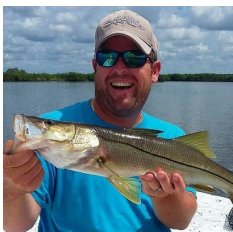
#### **JULY FISHING REPORT**

The Redfish action is steady on the outside islands and mangrove points. Live pilchards or pin fish are great baits to use; fresh cut mullet will also work. Snook are holding in the same areas.

In slightly deeper water, mangrove snappers are holding in the shallow rocks; a 10–12-foot light leader on 8–10-pound test line, 10 foot long, is a must for action.

Out deep, the red snappers are still chewing in 80+ feet, along with big mangrove snappers. The Gag grouper bite is decent. The hot water is holding the bite back a little; just take your time to get them to eat.

– Captain Josh Fritz



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| Hernando Beach Club                  | 596-5878      |
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| Utilities Dept.                      | 754-4037      |
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#### **8) Want respect? Act respectfully.**

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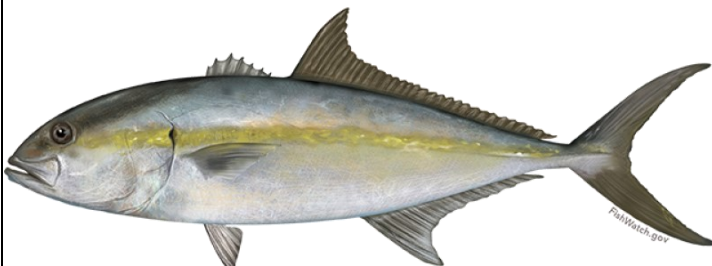


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on quiet streets or share the road with motor traffic. Interacting with other road users is a dance you lead. The better you are at communicating and operating predictably, the better your dance partners will be. Those of us who ride mindfully, with a friendly attitude toward our fellow road users, seldom experience close calls or hostility.

- See more at: <http://floridabicycle.org/drive-your-bike/#sthash.Bg3cKeEn.dpuf>

## FWC NEWS - GREATER AMBERJACK



FWC issues executive order to modify 2022-23 recreational season for greater amberjack in Gulf state waters.

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| 7                      | 8                                                | 9   | 10<br>HB Crime Watch<br>Meeting           | 11                                      | 12                                                                                | 13<br>Gun & Knife Show                                                 |
| 14<br>Gun & Knife Show | 15<br>US Coast Guard<br>Auxiliary Meeting<br>7pm | 16  | 17<br>Waterways Advisory<br>Committee 6pm | 18                                      | 19                                                                                | 20                                                                     |
| 21                     | 22                                               | 23  | 24                                        | 25                                      | 26                                                                                | 27                                                                     |
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| Manatee hotline (FWC)                              | (888)404-3922     |
| Sawfish Sightings (FWC)                            | (941)255-7403     |
| Sea turtle rescue (FWC)                            | (863)648-3200     |
| Reptiles and Exotics Rescue                        | (352)403-4255     |
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| Wildlife Rescue HB Area                            | (813)598-5926     |
| Horseshoe Crab Sightings                           | (866)252-9326     |

### Pets

|                                    |               |
|------------------------------------|---------------|
| Hernando County Animal Services    | (352)796-5062 |
| Humane Society of Nature Coast     | (352)796-2711 |
| SPCA Hernando County               | (352)596-7000 |
| Dogs – Report Illegal Dog Fighting | (800)780-8477 |



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At its July meeting, the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission (FWC) issued an executive order to modify the 2022-23 recreational season for greater amberjack in state waters of the Gulf of Mexico. The 2022 recreational season for greater amberjack in Gulf state waters will be open Sept. 1 - Oct. 31.

The Gulf greater amberjack stock is overfished and experiencing overfishing and the recreational season modification is consistent with an Emergency Rule recommended by the Gulf of Mexico Fishery Manage-

ment Council in Gulf federal waters. Consistent state and federal recreational seasons for greater amberjack would help prevent quota overages and mitigate risks of paybacks and seasonal closures.

For more information, including the July 2022 Commission meeting presentation, visit [MyFWC.com/Commission](http://MyFWC.com/Commission) and click on "Commission Meetings."

For current recreational amberjack regulations, visit [MyFWC.com/Marine](http://MyFWC.com/Marine) and click on "Recreational Regulations" and "Amberjack." This page will be updated with the new season dates.

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Mike is also a combat veteran, having served three separate tours in Afghanistan (2002) and Iraq (2008 and 2011). He received the Bronze Star Medal and the Meritorious Service Medal among multiple awards.

Mike currently serves as the Chair of the Hernando County Planning and Zoning Commission and is the former Vice Chair of the Hernando County Waterways Advisory Committee. He is a member of the Citizens Emergency Response Team, the Hernando Beach Property Owners Association, and the VFW (Hernando Beach Post). He is a graduate of the Sheriff's Citizens Academy and the Sheriff's Situational Awareness Firearms Education program.

Mike Fulford has been married to Diane for 34 years, and they have two sons; both are currently serving in the US Army.



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| 1    | Mon | 4:54  | 2.9 | 4:23   | 3.3 | 11:57 | 1.2 |       |      | 6:51 | 8:25 | ☾    |
| 2    | Tue | 5:21  | 3.0 | 5:11   | 3.1 | 12:25 | 0.4 | 12:40 | 1.0  | 6:52 | 8:24 | ☾    |
| 3    | Wed | 5:51  | 3.1 | 6:05   | 3.0 | 12:59 | 0.6 | 1:27  | 0.9  | 6:52 | 8:23 | ☾    |
| 4    | Thu | 6:25  | 3.2 | 7:07   | 2.7 | 1:36  | 0.8 | 2:21  | 0.8  | 6:53 | 8:23 | ☾    |
| 5    | Fri | 7:05  | 3.3 | 8:25   | 2.5 | 2:17  | 1.1 | 3:26  | 0.6  | 6:53 | 8:22 | ☾    |
| 6    | Sat | 7:54  | 3.4 | 10:00  | 2.4 | 3:07  | 1.4 | 4:41  | 0.5  | 6:54 | 8:21 | ☾    |
| 7    | Sun | 8:53  | 3.5 | 11:30  | 2.5 | 4:11  | 1.7 | 5:56  | 0.2  | 6:55 | 8:20 | ☾    |
| 8    | Mon | 10:00 | 3.6 |        |     | 5:25  | 1.8 | 7:06  | 0.0  | 6:55 | 8:19 | ☾    |
| 9    | Tue | 12:46 | 2.6 | 11:05A | 3.7 | 6:35  | 1.9 | 8:10  | -0.2 | 6:56 | 8:18 | ☾    |
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| 24   | Wed | 1:22  | 2.6 | 11:56A | 3.3 | 7:25  | 1.8 | 8:43  | 0.4  | 7:04 | 8:04 | ☾    |
| 25   | Thu | 1:57  | 2.7 | 12:48  | 3.3 | 8:18  | 1.6 | 9:20  | 0.3  | 7:05 | 8:03 | ☾    |
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| 27   | Sat | 2:53  | 2.9 | 2:14   | 3.5 | 9:42  | 1.3 | 10:23 | 0.4  | 7:06 | 8:01 | ☾    |
| 28   | Sun | 3:17  | 3.0 | 2:54   | 3.5 | 10:20 | 1.1 | 10:53 | 0.4  | 7:06 | 7:59 | ☾    |
| 29   | Mon | 3:41  | 3.1 | 3:34   | 3.4 | 10:58 | 0.9 | 11:24 | 0.5  | 7:07 | 7:58 | ☾    |
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