Centennial Bank Shows Appreciation to KLS Teachers



Key Largo School Principal Annette Martinson with a bowl of homemade shrimp bisque, compliments of Centennial Bank's Key Largo team, Jennifer Miller, Jennifer Hawkins and Jennifer Cash, who served soup and salad to the Key Largo School teachers. "There are about 1000 students at Key LArgo School abe these teachers do so much. This was just our way of saying thank you," said Jennifer Miller.



Centennial Bank also held a drawing to win a bank bag filled with goodies. Winner of the bag teacher, Alexandra Beegle (right center) with (from left) Jennifer Miller, Stephanie Scuderi, and Jennifer Hawkins.



KLS Teacher Mary Boilini with Centennial Bank's Jennifer Miller.



A Zero-Waste event, the field research into the Green Living & Energy Education (keysGLEE.com) Annual Meeting and Green Living Awards event will take place 4-7 p.m. Sat. March 13 at the Marathon Garden Club. It is free to members and you can renew or begin a membership at the door.



Besides green networking with some very interesting people from all over the Keys, an update on GLEE's programs and progress in 2009 and the presentations to the contest winners, Chris Desmond, founder and director of Sea Excursion's 10,000 Islands Dolphin Project, is the featured speaker at the event. A Marco Island eco-tour operator, Desmond also serves on the advisory board of The International Ecotourism Society. Desmond will share his views on the future of ecotourism as it relates to the responsibilities and opportunities presented by climate change. His Dolphin Project involves educating travelers and integrating today's technologies and

Chris Desmond to Address the Future of Ecotourism at GLEE Meeting

process. Launched in February 2006 and utilizing advanced photographic identification and data collection techniques, the study has cataloged over 225 individual dolphins. The project will be featured in the September issue of National Geographic

Traveler magazine

Prior to his work with dolphins, Desmond worked in the media industry. He is a member of Ashoka and TED and is hosting the TEDxNaples Conference in October 2010.

Desmond's address will be followed by the Green Living Awards Ceremony, which recognizes exceptional practices in sustainable measures by individuals, businesses, nonprofits, agencies and municipalities. A sunset reception will follow.

The annual event is free to GLEE members and \$10 for non-members. For more information about the event or GLEE please visit www.KeysGLEE.com or call 305-923-1994.



Hunk of the Month



Vince Leishman at Sharkey's Pub

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