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Robbie

2013 Ladies Dolphin Tournament to be held at Elks in Tavernier

The Florida Keys Elks Lodge #1872 located in Tavernier FL is proud to announce the 1st Annual Ladies Dolphin Tournament of the Florida Keys. "We heard you ladies and the Elks did not want to let you down" stated tournament Director Dianne Harbaugh. "So ladies, mark your calendars for June 8th 2013. This is a community event with money raised to go towards the many local charities that the Elks Club is actively involved with." The Elks club is located on the bay at Mile Marker 92.5 and has hosted the Ladies Dolphin anglers in the past. The newly remodeled banquet facility



will make the 2013 event even more special. If you would like to volunteer for the event contact Dianne Harbaugh at 305-522-4868. For more information on the Florida Keys Elks Lodge in Tavernier contact them at 305-852-1872.

Miley

Dottie

Batman & Robin

Adopt a Key Largo Animal Shelter Pet

Meet a few of the animals who are currently available for adoption at the Key Largo Animal Shelter. If you are interested in taking one of these adorable furry friends home stop by or call. The Shelter is located at mile marker 106 Oceanside; phone 305-451-0088

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It takes a little studying of the diagram to figure it out, but this shows the scientific breakdown of the medical benefits of cannabis!

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Dear Anny Bannanny

Dear Anny Bannanny,

Some friends of mine were at a local club recently. They went outside for some fresh air and were passing a cigarette to each other. One of the organizers of the club saw them and called the police who came and arrested them. I know that marijuana is not legal yet in this state, but my friends are peaceful people with no criminal history and they may lose their jobs and benefits because of one frustrated old man. I think it is crazy to call the police over something so small when the police have so many more important things to do. Come on, this is the Keys!

This same old man sits at the bar and drinks far beyond the legal limit on many days and then drives, sometimes with children in the car! Although we have much less crime than our sister county Miami-Dade, our police need to be available to respond to car accidents, thieves stealing boats, domestic abuse, DUIs, etc. Yet they probably had to spend hours on this non-violent crime. A simpler and more sane solution would have been to just ask the smokers to leave the property, not ruin their lives! Anny Bannanny, what do you think?

Sincerely, Open Minded

Dear Open Minded,

That is one of the saddest stories I have heard in a long time. However, marijuana is not legal in this state. If you have ever watched while cancer and chemotherapy ravaged a loved one's body, you come to respect the ability that marijuana has to alleviate their pain and discomfort. It has many health benefits. Would I call the police if I saw someone smoking a joint? Hell no! You are right, the police have better things to do... like catch really bad criminals.

Sincerely, Anny Bannanny