

Special delivery: Mailboxes decorated for Christmas

UF/IFAS Nassau Master Gardener Carol Ann Atwood and friend Sylvie Baxter conducted their second annual class on using greenery from your landscape to decorate your mailbox for the holiday season on Nov. 30. The class provided instruction on how to secure your decorations to the mailbox and the variety of plants and bows that can be used to make a festive mailbox.

These photos of mailboxes around Nassau County demonstrate lots of creativity and individuality. Merry Christmas from Nassau Extension. For information on UF/IFAS Nassau Extension programs, call 530-6350.



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OFF & ON THE ISLAND

VFW AUXILIARY BAKE SALE

The Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary Post 4351 will host its annual bake sale at 3 p.m. today. Come out and get your baked goods for Christmas: appetizers, cookies, breads, pies and candies. The VFW is at 96086 Wade Place. All monies go to the veterans and the community. 432-8791.

CHRISTMAS DANCE

The Elm Street Sportsman Association will hold its first Christmas Dance from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. tonight, at the Kraft Ten Acres Athletic Club, 961023 Buccaneer Trail, Fernandina Beach. Advance tickets are \$15 per person or \$25 per couple; \$20 per person at the door. Tickets are

available at Victor's Barbershop, Louis Tyler, Wigfabulous Boutique or from any ESSA member.

There will be music and free door prizes; and \$5 raffle tickets for a flat-screen TV and other prizes.

BALLROOM DANCE PARTY

Ballroom on Amelia will hold Two for Tuesday classes Dec. 27 - both classes for \$15 or one for \$10. Classes are salsa at 7 p.m. and East Coast swing at 8 p.m. in Studio I. Ballroom on Amelia is at 1897 Island Walkway at RAD Studios (behind Zaxby's). For more information, call 624-0886, visit www.ballroomonamelia.com or like the Facebook page.

HANUKKAH PROGRAM

The Fernandina Beach Branch of the Nassau County Public Library System invites you to attend a family holiday program on the celebration of Hanukkah at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Dec. 27. Special guest Miss Marlene will talk about Hanukkah and Jewish traditions. The program will feature stories, crafts and latkes.

For more information, call the library at 277-7365 or visit www.nassaureads.com.

