Ocean Reef Fund Helps Veterans

$50,000 donation makes specialty homes

Wounded Marine Todd Love recently moved into a new home, designed especially for him, and the Ocean Reef Wounded Warriors Fund was instrumental in making that new home possible. Cpl. Love lost both legs and an arm in an IED blast in Afghanistan. Since his triple amputation, Cpl. Love has let nothing hold him back: he scuba dives, snowboards and plays the piano beautifully. Thanks to generous donations—including monies from the Ocean Reef Wounded Warriors Fund—Cpl. Love has moved into a home built just for him by Building for America’s Bravest.

Leonard Wood, co-founder along with Al Mast, of the Ocean Reef Wounded Warriors Fund, was on hand for the dedication of Cpl. Love’s new “smart home” in Douglasville, Georgia this summer. The home features exterior power doors, a wheel-in shower and bath, and appliances, cabinets and counters that can be raised or lowered with an iPad or smart phone. “Our Fund’s mission is to help those veterans most severely injured and make a tangible difference in their lives,” said Wood. “It was a heartwarming event, and I am happy our Ocean Reef Wounded Warriors Fund was able to make a difference in this young man’s life.”

The next project the Fund will support is a home for wounded Marine Cpl. Tony Porta, also through Building for America’s Bravest. Porta suffered burns over 80% of his body in an IED explosion in Iraq. “It was a great experience to see someone who has been through so much but has an unbelievable positive attitude towards life,” said Mast who attended the groundbreaking for Porta’s home site this past month, “to be a part of this network of support is incredible. I was honored to represent our donors.”

If you want to make a connection that will directly impact and improve the life of a veteran, send a check marked for the Wounded Warriors Fund to: The Ocean Reef Foundation, 200 Anchor Drive, Suite B Key Largo, FL 33037.

Cultural Center Presents National Theater Live

National Theatre Live is the National Theatre’s groundbreaking project to broadcast the best of British theatre live from the London stage to cinemas across the UK and around the world.

MEDEA
by Euripides in a new version
by Ben Power
Thur. September 4 – 2:00PM

Please call the day prior for proper scheduling at 367-2611 ext. 2290.

Wynn’s Renovation

Wynn’s will be undergoing an exciting renovation that includes new refrigerators, cash registers and other great improvements. The store will be closing from September 14 through October 8 – but not to worry! The Club and Wynn’s are providing several food service options to accommodate Members during this time period.

Groceries can be delivered on Tuesday’s and Friday’s between 11 a.m. and 1 p.m. by placing a call to Wynn’s Naples location at 239-261-7157. Calls must be received by 2 p.m. the day prior to delivery. Daily shuttles to Publix Key Largo will be open Monday – Saturday from 10:30 a.m. – 3 p.m. in front of Wynn’s. In addition to their seasonal fruits and vegetables offerings, they will also be selling staple food items such as milk and bread. To place an order with Jerry’s, please call 506-5279. They can bring items in the following day.

For any questions or concerns call Gemma Matthews, Commercial Properties Manager at 367-6586. We appreciate your understanding while Wynn’s goes through its newest update. Make sure to drop by in October to see the newly renovated market!