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With Thanksgiving and the holidays fast approaching, things are happening on the Beach! Sip and Stroll this weekend the 8th, and Wobble Before You Gobble on Thanksgiving Day. The last weekend saw a very successful Halloween Music Bingo, which was a benefit for the CCAA Pickleball Committee. Thanks to all that worked so hard on this.

Recently, the idea was advanced to possibly change the name of our southernmost park from Sandy Creek to something honoring first responders. Our job at City Hall is always to reflect the citizens of Sunrise Beach, and so we asked! A total of 76 very thoughtful responses were received, with the majority (49) wanting to leave it the way it is. Thanks to all for responding and for your input.

In other news, a citizen led initiative to change Sunrise Beach from a mayor strong to a city manager form of government went to a popular vote on November 4. Our engaged citizenry cast 410 votes, which is a phenomenal turnout, and speaks to how our residents view our beautiful city. The vote was over 72% in favor of keeping our present form of government. This is a wonderful example of democracy at its finest!