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HURRICANE PREPARATION



urricanes don't only affect people living along the coast. They can cause damage hundreds of miles from the shore. Learn how to be prepared.

Hurricane season starts on June 1 in the Atlantic and the Caribbean. It ends on November 30. Before hurricane season each year, make sure you and your loved ones are prepared by planning. Consider the following:

Step 1

- Go over your emergency plan with your family.
- Write down emergency phone numbers and keep them on the refrigerator or near every phone in your house. Program them into your cell phone too.
- Prepare an emergency supply kit.
- Locate the nearest shelter and different routes you can take to get there from your home. If shelter locations in your area have not been identified, learn how to find them in the event of a storm.
- Call the hospital, public health department, or the police about special needs. If you or a loved one is older or disabled and will not be able to leave quickly, get advice on what to do.
- Pet owners can contact local animal shelters and may be able to offer advice on what to do with their pets if they are asked to evacuate their homes.

Step 2

Be sure to prepare the following emergency supplies.

- An emergency food and water supply.
- An emergency medicine supply.

- Emergency power sources such as flashlights and extra batteries.
- Safety and personal items.
- Important documents, including medical documents, wills, passports, land titles, and personal identification.
- A fire extinguisher. Make sure your family knows where to find it and how to use it!

Step 3

Know the difference between a hurricane "watch" and "warning." There are two kinds of alerts:

- A hurricane watch means hurricane conditions (sustained winds of 74 miles per hour [mph] or higher) are possible in a stated area. Experts announce hurricane watches 48 hours before they expect tropical storm-force winds (sustained winds of 39 to 73 mph) to start.
- A hurricane warning is more serious. It means hurricane-force winds are expected in a stated area. Experts issue these warnings 36 hours before tropical storm-force winds are expected in the area to give people enough time to prepare for the storm.

For more information about hurricane watches and warnings, check out the N.E.M.A. website.

In conclusion, if you hear that there is a hurricane watch or warning in your area, you can take these important steps to get ready.

Make sure your car is ready before the storm hits.

- Fill your car's gas tank.
- Move cars and trucks into your garage or under cover.
- Always keep an emergency kit in your car.

Get your home ready.

- Clear your yard. Make sure there is nothing that could blow around during the storm and damage your home. Move bikes, lawn furniture, grills, propane tanks, and building materials inside or under the shelter.
- Cover up windows and doors. Use storm shutters or nail pieces of plywood to the outside window frames to protect your windows. This can help keep you safe from

pieces of shattered glass.

-Pastor Nikita Thompson Community Service Director



CALENDAR OF EVENTS JUNE

- 1 Lay literature distribution community impact 2 Continuation of Lay Certificate Evangelism Training
- 3 8 Weeks 2 Wellness Monthly Meeting
- 1-22 Basketball Season
- 8 Women's Ministries Emphasis Day 09 9 Men's Fun Run, Walk
- 9 9 Joint Elder's Meeting
- 15 Reach the World: Consolidation Other Members and Recovering World Adventist
- 15 Refugee Day
- 15 Men's Power Hour (MPH) Focus on Fathers
- 16 Father's Day
- 22 World Public Campus Ministries Day
- 22 Public Campus Ministries Day
- 27 Executive Committee Meeting
- 27-30 Youth & PCM Congress, Banquet & Awards: 'ELEVATE BAHAMAS' 28-29 Child Preachers' Workshop
- 29 All the Family in Mission Baptism Day/3ABN Day



ATCU PUSH INITIATIVE 2024 JUNE

May 26-1 Protection from Natural Disasters 2 - 8 Students Sitting External Examinations 9 - 15 Students Preparing for Graduation 16 - 22 Adventist Volunteers Around the World

23 - 29 Total Member Involvement



BIBLE CLASS

Bible class will be held via Zoom and in person at the Maranatha Seventh-day Adventist Church on Sunday, June 2nd, 2024, at 6:00 pm. For further information contact Pastor Lynden Williams: lwibliams@sbcadventist.org.bs.



WORD SBC 88.3FM

We regret to inform you that our radio station is currently experiencing technical difficulties. Our team is working diligently to resolve the issue and restore our broadcasts as soon as possible.



CENTREVILLE CHURCH

The Centreville Adventist Single Adult Ministries presents A Joint Single's Real Talk Session & Game Night, 6 pm @ Living Faith SDA Church. Every type of single (aged 18 -100) is invited to be a part and is reminded to have funds for pizza orders and bring a board game to play. We expect to have an enjoyable evening together.

- Centreville ASAM Team





PERSONAL MINISTRIES

The Personal Ministries department of the South Bahamas Conference is inviting all personal ministries, Sabbath, and interest coordinator leaders to a special evangelism training on Sunday, June 2, 2024, at 10:00 AM. This training will be on Zoom. All other interested persons are invited.

-Pastor Wilson Isnord Personal Ministries Director





BAHAMAS ACADEMY Graduation Dates

Get ready to celebrate with Bahamas Academy and the graduating class of 2024. The commencement ceremony for the Early Learning Center and Elementary Division will be held on June 11th, 2024. The graduation ceremony for the High School Division will be held on June 13th, 2024.

Employment Ad.

Bahamas Academy is seeking to employ the following teachers for the 2024-2025 school year:

Music teacher for K3-Grade 6 Physical Education Teacher

Math Teacher

Agriculture Teacher

Early Learning Center Teacher

Applicants should possess a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Education and a Teacher's certificate from an accredited institution. The applicant should provide the Office of Education of South Bahamas Conference with a resume and the documents listed below no later than June 8, 2024:

Copies of degrees

Certificates

Photograph

Application form (Available at Bahamas Academy)

Interested persons can contact Mr. Anthony Burrows at

aburrows@sbcadventist.org.





ASI CONVENTION 2024

Inter-American Division's ASI convention will be held at the Riu Plaza in Panama with guest speaker Pastor Debleaire Snell from Oakwood University from August 14-17, 2024.





CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENT MINISTRIES



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SUNSETS NEXT SABBATH Saturday, June 8, 2024 @ 7:59 p.m. Have a Happy Sabbath!