

THE INGUANZO FAMILY

8836 NORTHWEST 162 TERRACE
MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA 33018

February 14, 2019

The Honorable Manny Cid
Town of Miami Lakes
6601 Main Street
Miami Lakes, Florida 33014

Dear Mayor Cid:

On behalf of my mother, Pilar, and our entire family, thank you for sponsoring the resolution to honor my father, Guido Sr., with the designation of the courtyard at Royal Oaks Park as "Guido's Domino Plaza."

My father truly lived the town's campaign – I Heart Miami Lakes. He loved his community. He was active in town affairs and was immensely proud of his service on the Elderly Affairs Committee. In particular, he was very grateful that the town supported his initiatives to establish a domino club and the annual domino tournament. These activities are now an integral part of what brings generations together at Royal Oaks Park.

In appreciation of the town's efforts to honor my father, our family would like to donate a domino-centric mural to be painted on a wall adjacent to the courtyard. The artist, Grisell Gajano, will work with the town to create a special mural that will become a focal point of the courtyard.

Again, thank you, not only for this effort, but for all of the support the Town of Miami Lakes and the entire community have extended to my family during these past several months.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Guido H. Inguanzo, Jr.", with a stylized flourish.

Guido H. Inguanzo, Jr.

RESOLUTION NO. 19-_____

A RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, DESIGNATING THE COURTYARD AT ROYAL OAKS PARK AS GUIDO'S DOMINO PLAZA IN MEMORY OF GUIDO INGUANZO, SR.; AUTHORIZING THE INSTALLATION OF A MURAL; DIRECTING THE TOWN MANAGER TO ERECT AN APPROPRIATE MARKER; PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS, Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr. was a strong proponent and supporter of the incorporation of the Town of Miami Lakes and became an active citizen in town affairs following the incorporation in 2000; and

WHEREAS, Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr. was a founder of the Town of Miami Lakes' Domino Club which meets regularly at Royal Oaks Park; and

WHEREAS, Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr. was an organizer of the Town of Miami Lakes' annual domino tournament at Royal Oaks Park; and

WHEREAS, Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr. passed away, at his long-time home in Miami Lakes near Royal Oaks Park, on December 3, 2018; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council wishes to recognize the contributions by Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr. to the Miami Lakes community.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE TOWN COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES, FLORIDA, AS FOLLOWS:

Section 1. Designation of Guido's Domino Plaza. That the Town Council hereby designates the courtyard at Royal Oaks Park, adjacent to the Roberto Alonso Community Center, on the south-side of the building, as Guido's Domino Plaza in memory of Guido H. Inguanzo, Sr.

Section 2. **Mural.** The Town Council hereby authorizes the installation of a mural, on a wall adjoining the courtyard, with a domino-centric theme, to be donated by the Inguanzo Family. The final design of the mural shall be subject to approval by the Town Manager.

Section 3. **Authorization of Town Officials.** The Town Manager is hereby directed to install an appropriate marker at the courtyard, recognizing the designation, in substantially the form as illustrated in Exhibit A.

Section 5. **Effective Date.** This Resolution shall take effect immediately upon adoption.

Passed and adopted this _____ day of _____, 2019.

The foregoing resolution was offered by _____ who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by _____ and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Mayor Manny Cid	_____
Vice Mayor Nelson Rodriguez	_____
Councilmember Carlos Alvarez	_____
Councilmember Luis Collazo	_____
Councilmember Joshua Dieguez	_____
Councilmember Jeffrey Rodriguez	_____
Councilmember Marilyn Ruano	_____

Manny Cid
MAYOR

Attest:

Gina Inguanzo
TOWN CLERK

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Resolution No. _____

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Raul Gastesi, Jr.
Gastesi & Associates, P.A.
TOWN ATTORNEY

EXHIBIT A

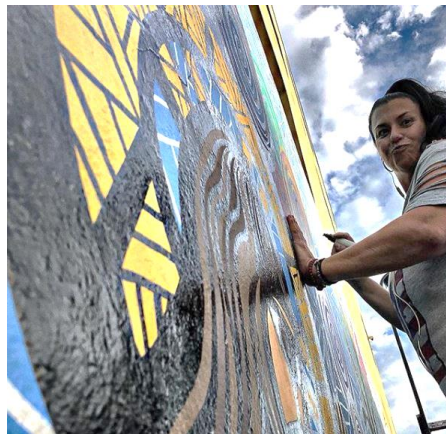
Guido's Domino Plaza

DESIGNATED BY THE 2019 MIAMI LAKES TOWN COUNCIL
IN MEMORY OF GUIDO H. INGUANZO, SR.





Grisell Gajano
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TOWN OF MIAMI LAKES/ROYAL OAKS PARK

DOMINO TOURNAMENT

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In Memoriam: Guido H. Inguanzo Sr.

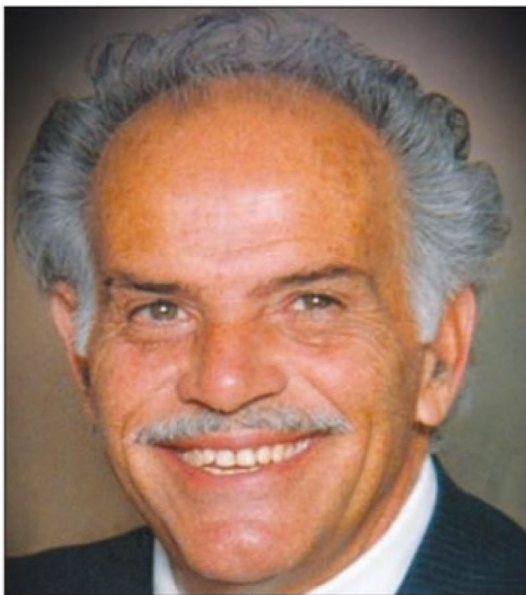
Longtime Miami Lakes resident Guido H. Inguanzo Sr. passed away at his home on December 6 at the age of 86. He was born in Viñales, Pinar Del Rio, Cuba and was a pioneer and leader in the telecommunications field in his homeland.

In 1962, Inguanzo fled Cuba's totalitarian government for freedom in the United States and became a naturalized U.S. citizen in 1977. He was married to his wife Pilar for over 53 years.

Inguanzo worked for TRT Telecommunications from the mid-1960s until the late 1980s. He then had a second career as a public servant working to the City of Hialeah where he was a civilian employee of the Police and Fire departments. He considered his work in the public sector was his most important because he was able to help people. He retired from Hialeah in 2000.

His commitment to public service inspired his two sons to seek government careers. His son Guido Jr. is the Village Clerk for the Village of Pinecrest and his son Ramiro is the assistant Village Manager for Bal Harbour Village. His daughter-in-law Gina is the Town Clerk for the Town of Miami Lakes.

Inguanzo was an active participant in the Town of Miami Lakes' Elderly Affairs Committee activities and events, and was a founder and organizer of the Town's Domino Tournament. Several years ago, in the



GUIDO H. INGUANZO SR.

help of Town officials, he created the Miami Lakes Domino Club where friends could gather nightly at Royal Oaks Park to play dominos.

Inguanzo was a longtime parishioner of St. John the Apostle Catholic Church and then Our Lady of the Lakes Catholic Church. A funeral mass was held for him on

December 6 at Our Lady of the Lakes and was officiated by the Reverend Rolando Medina, a longtime family friend.

Anyone wishing to honor Inguanzo's memory may make a donation in his name to the Miami Lakes Domino Club. Details can be found on the Town of Miami Lakes website, www.miamilakes-fl.gov.

First Community Bike Ride of New Year planned for Saturday, January 19

Miami Lakes Neighborhood Improvement Committee will host the first Community Bike Ride of the New Year on Saturday, January 19.

Registration begins at 7:30 a.m. for the 5.5-mile family-friendly loop with the ride starting at 8 a.m. from Miami Lakes Picnic Park West, 15151 N.W. 82 Avenue.

Pre-registration is recommended by visiting <http://bit.ly/January2019Registration>. For more information, visit www.miamilakes-fl.gov/nic.



Classes and Recreation Calendar

The Town of Miami Lakes has scheduled the following classes and recreation activities during December:

Youth Programs

(All classes are free unless noted by \$)

Archery Juniors [S] Ages 11-17	Mondays	4:30 pm	MLOP
Ballet 1 Ages 5-7	Mondays	4:30 pm	MCCC
Ballet 2 Ages 7-9	Mondays	5:30 pm	MCCC
Ballet 3 Ages 9-11	Wednesdays	4:30 pm	MCCC
Ballet 4 Ages 11-16	Wednesdays	5:30 pm	MCCC
Bricks4Kidz [S] Ages 5-12	Thursdays	6:15 pm	MLYC
Just Run Ages 5-14	Tues./Thurs.	4:30 pm	MLPW
Code Explorers [S] PK Coding Ages 4-5	Wednesdays	4:00 pm	MLYC
Code Explorers [S] Engineering Toy Making Ages 6-13	Wednesdays	6:00 pm	MLYC
Code Explorers [S] Game Design Ages 6-13	Tuesdays	6:00 pm	MLYC
Code Explorers [S] Coding for Homeschoolers Ages 5-10	Tuesdays	10:00 am	MLOP
Guitar [S] Ages 7-12	Tuesdays	6:00 pm	MLOP
Jazz 1 Ages 5-7	Tuesdays	4:30 pm	MCCC
Jazz 2 Ages 7-9	Tuesdays	5:30 pm	MCCC
Jazz 3 Ages 9-11	Thursdays	4:30 pm	MCCC
Jazz 4 Ages 11-16	Thursdays	5:30 pm	MCCC
Martial Arts Tots Ages 6-8	Mon./Wed.	4:30 pm	MCCC
Martial Arts Beginners Ages 7-9	Mon./Wed.	5:30 pm	MCCC
Martial Arts Intermediate Ages 8-10	Tues./Thurs.	4:30 pm	MCCC
Martial Arts Advanced Ages 11-16	Tues./Thurs.	5:30 pm	MCCC
Open Hang Nights (Themed Nights) Ages 11-17	Select Wed./Fri.	6:00 pm	MLYC
YMCA After School Care [S] Ages 6-8th Grade		2:00 to 6:00 pm	MLOP
YMCA After School Care [S] Ages K-5th Grade		2:00 to 6:00 pm	RACC

Adult Programs

Open Play Dominoes	Mon. to Fri. 18+	6:30 pm	RACC
Painting 1 18+	Fridays	9:30 am	MCCC
Painting 2 18+	Fridays	12:30 pm	MCCC
Painting 3 18+	Wednesdays	10:00 am	RACC
Spanish Advanced Conversational 18+	Mon./Wed.	6:00 pm	MCCC
Spanish Intermediate 18+	Tues./Thurs.	6:00 pm	MCCC
Yoga 1 18+	Mon./Wed.	7:45 am	MCCC
Yoga 2 [S] 18+	Tues./Thurs.	7:45 am	MCCC
Yoga in the Park 18+	Saturdays	9:00 am	MLPW

(55+ Senior Programs)

Computers (English)	T/Th (Ages 55+)	9 & 11:15 am	MCCC
Computers (Spanish)	M/W (Ages 55+)	9 & 11:00 am	MCCC
Knitting/Crocheting	T/Th (Ages 55+)	1:00 pm	MCCC
Sewing	T/Th (Ages 55+)	1:30 pm	MCCC
Tai Chi	Mon.-Th. (Ages 55+)	9:00 am	MCCC

MCCC: Mary Collins Community Center, 15151 N.W. 82 Ave.
 RACC: Robert Alonso Community Center, 16500 N.W. 87 Ave.
 MLOP is Miami Lakes Optimist Park, 6411 N.W. 162 Street
 MLYC is Miami Lakes Youth Center, 6075 Miami Lakes Drive E.
 MLPW is Miami Lakes Picnic Park West, 15151 N.W. 82 Avenue
 Shula's GC is Shula's Golf Club, 7601 Miami Lakes Drive

Upcoming **Miami Lakes Meetings Calendar**

The Town of Miami Lakes, homeowners associations, professional and volunteer groups have scheduled meetings during December:

Town of Miami Lakes			
Planning & Zoning Board Meeting			
	Dec. 19	6:00 pm	M.L. Govt. Center
Veterans Committee	Dec. 20	6:00 pm	M.L. Govt. Center
Neigh. Improv. Com.	Dec. 20	7:00 pm	M.L. Govt. Center
Homeowners Organizations			
Serenity Point	Dec. 19	7:00 pm	MCCC
Royal Oaks	Dec. 19	7:30 pm	MCCC
Gramercy Park	Dec. 20	7:00 pm	MCCC
Regatta Pointe	Dec. 20	7:00 pm	MCCC
Villa Vizcaya	Dec. 26	7:30 pm	MCCC
Lake Sandra	Dec. 27	7:00 pm	MCCC
Anchorage	Dec. 27	7:30 pm	MCCC
Fountain Park	Dec. 31	7:30 pm	MCCC
Miami Lakes Clubs, Professional & Volunteer Groups			
M.L. Bridge Club	Mondays	11:30 am	MCCC
MLCA Bridge Club	Thursdays	11:00 am	MCCC
M.L. Quilting Club	Tuesdays	11:15 am	MCCC
M.L. Kiwanis	2nd/4th Thurs	6:30 pm	Pamper.Chef
M.L. Toastmasters	1st/3rd Tues.		ML Educ. Center
M.L. Lions Club	1st/3rd Tues.	7:00 pm	Bev. Hills.

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SANTA SIGHTING AT HOSPITAL THE BIG GUY VISITS LITTLE ONES



CARL JUSTE/HERALD STAFF

Mahlik Patrick "Zoe" Burke, 3, goes for a stroll with Santa Claus, aka Don Rosenthal, as St. Nick visits the pediatric surgical ward of the Holtz Center for Maternal and Child Health at Jackson Memorial Hospital in Miami on Tuesday. Santa handed out gifts in a holiday activity sponsored by the Mortgage Bankers Association.

Miami Lakes charter approved

BY CAROLYN SALAZAR
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As he cast his first ballot since November's seemingly never-ending presidential election, Noelio Mantilla held his ballot overhead and shouted, "No hanging chads!"

"I punched my hole like 10 times," Mantilla said. "I was scared because of all the mistakes people made during the presidential election."

In overwhelmingly deciding to make Miami Lakes the 31st city in Miami-Dade County, voters in Tuesday's special election approached ballots with a new caution and attentiveness.

And a little extra humor. Some voters waved their ballots after they cast their vote, showing their ballots were free from "hanging

PLEASE SEE VOTE, 2B



JARED LAZARUS/HERALD STAFF

CAREFUL HANDLING: Poll worker Guido Inguanzo guides a voter's ballot into a box Tuesday at the South Florida Boy Scouts of America in Miami Lakes.

Penelas vetoes fire unit pay hike

Mayor cites ripple effect on county

BY SANDRA MARQUEZ GARCIA
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Miami-Dade Mayor Alex Penelas issued a rare veto Tuesday evening, arguing that a pay raise for firefighters — unanimously approved last week by the County Commission — would cost taxpayers \$158 million if extended to other county employees on union contracts.

Penelas said his veto, only his fifth in four years, was not a "politically smart thing to do" but that he was looking out for the taxpayers' best interests.

"Our firefighters are excellent, the best in the world, I believe," Penelas said. "A lot of people will say, 'Why are you denying these guys a raise?' But sometimes you have to do what is right."

In a 13-0 decision, the County Commission voted Nov. 28 to grant pay increases of 4 percent, 5 percent and 3 percent over the next three years — for a total of 12 percent. Penelas said the three-year cost of the firefighters' raises alone would be \$15 million.

But it wouldn't stop there, he argued. The county's other union employees would expect the same package, and that would cost \$158 million.

PLEASE SEE FIREFIGHTERS, 2B

Nuclear reactors await new life

BY CURTIS MORGAN
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Florida Power & Light has asked federal regulators to extend the working life of Turkey Point, one of the nation's oldest nuclear plants and once one of its most trouble-prone. Citing an operating record that has