

# January Newsletter

***Nature's beauty is a gift that cultivates appreciation and gratitude. – Louie Schwartzberg***

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## Harmless Bugs in Florida

- Butterflies
- Bumble Bees
- Praying Mantis
- Stick Bugs
- Box Elder Bugs
- Dragonflies
- Cicada
- Green Stink Bugs

These Insects are in no way harmful to you or your family. They can, however, be a nuisance when they multiply, but their numbers will dwindle depending on the weather. Remember- insects are animals and when weather changes so do animal behavior. Some for the better.

## Welcome to 2019!

### Welcome to the New Issue

Happy New Year! Hello and Welcome to the Seabreeze Pest Control Newsletter Volume 2. We are glad to create our second volume for all our current and future customers. We have moved around the layout of our previous newsletter, but we kept the Contents page right where it was for easy access and reference. We have also changed our document to a .PDF format for less issues with the display. (A BIG THANK YOU for everyone's patience with this issue.)

**New to our Newsletter?** If you are new or forgot what our newsletter is great for- here's little explanation. A newsletter keeps the public up to date on everything going on related to our company and those alike. We provide updates to specials, product info, and what new aspects on our site. We also give tips and articles to provide you top notch information on pest control and lawn care to make sure your lawn is the envy of the neighborhood! We also announce any giveaway or raffles winners if they give us permission to display their name.

Please feel free to email the newsletter content creator and editor at [brianseabreezepestcontrol@gmail.com](mailto:brianseabreezepestcontrol@gmail.com) for any comments, concerns, or information you would like to see in our next issue. We love to hear what you think and how we can improve, so don't hesitate to send us a message.

***Happy Reading!***



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**Lawn Care Tips for January**

- Water much less - Keep Sprinklers off especially when it has recently rained or will rain.
- When temperatures drop to freezing cover your plants to prevent damage

**Pest Control Tips for January**

- Declutter in and around your home for less places to hide
- Clean any spills or fallen food
- Seal any cracks or crevices in your home to prevent pests from entering

**Top Landscaping Books to Prepare You for the Spring**

1. Florida Gardener's Handbook by Tom MacCubbin
2. Southern Coastal Home Landscaping by Stephen G. Pategas
3. Totally Crazy Easy Florida Gardening by David The Good

**Events Calendar**

Pasco County:

<https://www.pascocountyfl.net/calendar.aspx>

Hernando County:

<http://www.hernandocounty.us/departments/departments-n-z/parks-and-recreation/events>

Pinellas County:

<http://www.pinellascounty.org/Events/default.htm>

Hillsborough County:

<http://business.hillsboroughchamber.com/events/calendar>

**Updates and Specials**

Here you can find updates on products, specials, and website information. See below for specifics.

- [Rodent Type Blog Post](#)
- [New Premier Lawn Special](#) (Best price for your lawn needs)
- [Rodent Exclusion Discount](#)
- [Word search for Kids](#)

Keep an eye on our website for more frequent updates, specials, and discounts. Our website is up to date and frequently monitored- so if you have and questions feel free to call or start a chat with one of our staff.

**Termite Bait Study from Journal of Economic Entomology**

There has been good news reported for homeowners who use Termite Bait Systems using Noviflumuron. In a study reported in the Journal of Economic Entomology termites need only consume around a third of the chemical to kill the colony in many cases. This study has shown that even a short duration of the chemical within the bait systems is enough to kill termites that have been exposed. This is great news for homeowners who use bait systems containing Noviflumuron. (And Good news for Seabreeze Clients!) This study provides more evidence into how great this chemicals for termite eradication and prevention.

It's also important to note that to keep your home termite-free you need to have protection. Just because you may have killed them once does not mean they won't return, especially if you live around other buildings or woods that they can make their home. Remember Prevention is Protection!

**Frozen Banana Bites Snack Recipe**

Ingredients:

- 2-3 large bananas
- 2-3 Tablespoon of coconut oil
- 1 Bar of Bakers Chocolate
- 1/3 cup peanut butter



Directions:

Slice bananas and place on large baking mat, cover, and place in freezer until frozen. Melt chocolate & coconut oil together. Remove banana from freezer, place peanut butter on one side of banana slice and top it with another slice making a sandwich. Return to freezer for 20 minutes. Remove from freezer, dip each into chocolate and return to freezer for 2-3 hours. Remove, place in Ziplock bag, put in freezer and enjoy.