

## Synopsis of Mims Community Group Meeting on June 18, 2019

Thank you to everyone who attended. Good to see you.

Our speaker for this meeting was Luis Hernandez from Brevard County's Emergency Operations Center. He discussed hurricane preparedness and gave each attendee a copy of the booklet "Your Pathways to Preparedness." He told us some of the things you always hear – things that aren't true – e.g., hurricanes don't hit the Cape – that's why the Space Center was put there. Of course, many of us remember the three hurricanes of 2004 as well as Matthew a couple of years ago. A few of us may even remember David in 1979. These all hit Brevard county.

Remember "Run from Water and Hide from Wind," when making your Disaster Plan. You don't have to run very far, just go to neighbors or friends that are on higher ground and have a sturdy house. If you go to a shelter, be sure to take blankets and sleeping bags and some food or snacks. Shelters are just emergency places to keep you safe and dry, they are not resorts. If you have special needs, such as oxygen, be sure to register with Emergency Management ahead of time at 321-637-6670 or online at [www.embrevard.com](http://www.embrevard.com).

Let's hope this hurricane season brings a little rain and not much else.

### Upcoming events:

**June 28 -- [Movie In The Park: Hotel Transylvania 3, Summer Vacation](#)**

6:00pm - 9:00pm -- Sand Point Park. FREE with FREE popcorn. Show up before the movie to enjoy games, popcorn, and your choice of food trucks!

**July 4 -- [Red White and Boom Over North Brevard](#)**

7:00pm - 10:00pm -- Sand Point Park. A free, fun-filled, family-oriented evening with live entertainment, food and activities. Ends with a spectacular fireworks display.

If you no longer wish to receive the Community Newsletter or you would like to start receiving the newsletters, please e-mail. You may forward this e-mail to friends and family who would be interested in attending the meeting and/or interested in receiving future newsletters.

Regards,  
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