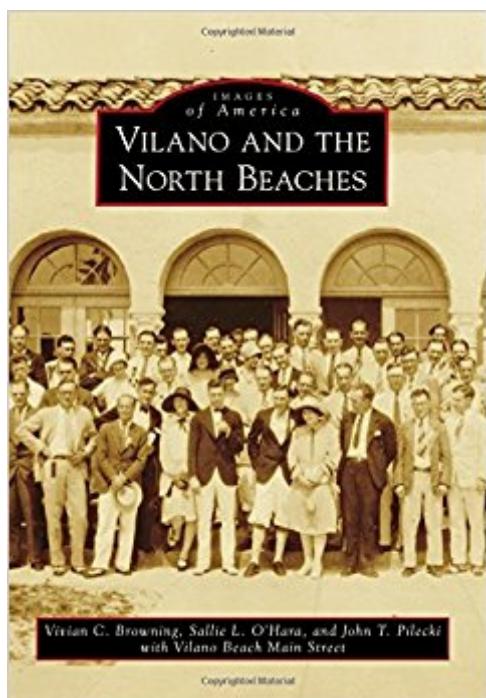


The book was found

Vilano And The North Beaches (Images Of America)



Synopsis

Vilano and the North Beaches are perhaps most known as small, eclectic beach communities within sight of St. Augustine, the nation's oldest city. For centuries, people have flocked to this coastal playground by horse-drawn trolley, ferry, and more recently Florida's Coastal Highway, State Road A1A. They came for recreation, jobs, and sunny weather in the late 1800s, when Henry Flagler attracted Northerners to his "new and novel" hotels. Visitors were excited to learn the ocean was just across the bay. Tourism provided jobs for settlers, like the Minorcan, Usina, and Capo families, offering fun excursions. Nowhere else were horse-drawn trolleys delivering beachgoers across sand dunes to the sea. Like Ponce de León, who was smitten with the pristine beaches, the area's story is one of developing the land along an isolated coastline. Road and bridge construction after World War II encouraged migration as well as visitors to the beaches, fish camps, and Art Deco motor courts. This nostalgic 1950s look remains today, attracting those curious about the region's multicultural history.

Book Information

Series: Images of America

Paperback: 128 pages

Publisher: Arcadia Publishing (July 13, 2015)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 1467114359

ISBN-13: 978-1467114356

Product Dimensions: 6.5 x 0.3 x 9.2 inches

Shipping Weight: 11.2 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 4.5 out of 5 stars 2 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #1,576,790 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #75 in Books > Travel > Specialty Travel > Beaches #3185 in Books > Travel > Pictorial #4391 in Books > Arts & Photography > Photography & Video > History

Customer Reviews

Vilano Beach Main Street leaders Vivian C. Browning, Sallie L. O'Hara, and John T. Pilecki present these images, compiled from local residents and area archives, as a glimpse into the intriguing past of Vilano and the North Beaches.

Good local history

This book's collection of photographs is a treasure. It is unique, educational and enlightening. At first reading, I question some of the introductory "history." If there is a second edition, I would like some of the claims made to be source verified. Overall, it is an obvious labor of love and sheds light on a rich life and lifestyle of one of Florida's lesser-known neighborhoods.

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Vilano and the North Beaches (Images of America) North Carolina Beaches: A Visit to National Seashores, State Parks, Ferries, Public Beaches, Wildlife Refuges, Historic Sites, Lighthouses, Boat Ramps and Docks, Museums, and Neotectonics of North America: Decade Map Volume to Accompany the Neotectonic Maps, Part of the Continent-Scale Maps of North America (Geology of North America) Along the Cape Fear (Images of America: North Carolina) (Images of America (Arcadia Publishing)) Beaches of Nova Scotia: Discovering the secrets of some of the province's most beautiful beaches The Elusive Beaches Of Eleuthera ~ eBook Edition: Your Guide to the Hidden Beaches of this Bahamas Out-Island including Harbour Island (Geezer Guides Travel 1) Tampa Bay's Gulf Beaches: Fabulous 1950's and 1960's (FL) (Images of America) Sarasota County Islands and Beaches (Images of America) Route 66 in Springfield (Images of America) (Images of America (Arcadia Publishing)) Adventuring Along the Southeast Coast: The Low Country, Beaches, and Barrier Islands of North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia (Sierra Club Adventure Travel Guides) North Carolina Beaches The Ascent of Denali: A Narrative of the First Complete Ascent of the Highest Peak in North America (Mount McKinley : a Narrative of the First Complete Ascent of the Highest Peak in North America) Around The Globe - Must See Places in North America: North America Travel Guide for Kids (Children's Explore the World Books) The Invasion Within: The Contest of Cultures in Colonial North America (Cultural Origins of North America) Veterinary Clinics of North America: Small Animal Practice: Current Issues in Cardiology, September 2004, 34:5 (Veterinary Clinics of North America, 34:5 September 2004) THE Veterinary Clinics of North America - Small Animal Practice - Gastroenterology (THE Veterinary Clinics of North America, Volume 13 #3) Lost In North Korea: A true story of how a photographer smuggled images from North Korea. Wilmington, North Carolina: Including its History, Bellamy Mansion, the USS North Carolina, the North Carolina Azalea Festival, Independence Mall, and More The Beaches Are Moving: The Drowning of America's Shoreline (Living with the Shore) Against the Tide: The Battle for America's Beaches

[Contact Us](#)

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help