



**Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services  
CHARLES H. BRONSON, Commissioner**

**Important Brevard County Hard Clam License Information  
2010 - 2011  
October 2009**

- The Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services and the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission announce the schedule and locations for the first round of the required educational seminars for the Brevard County hard clam license for license year 2010-2011. Proof of attendance at one such seminar per license year is required before any Brevard County hard clam license can be renewed. A second round of the educational seminars will be scheduled in the spring of 2010. Announcements of all seminars are available from Darlene Snider (321) 984-4890.
- The Brevard County Hard Clam (KL) license is a 1 (one) year license. You must attend one Educational Seminar per license year.
- The Brevard County hard clam license educational seminars are scheduled at the following locations:

**Brevard County Agriculture Center**  
3695 Lake Drive  
Cocoa, Florida 32926

**Brevard Community College**  
Palm Bay Campus  
250 Community College Parkway  
Palm Bay, Florida 32909

- Again for 2010-2011 license year, the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services is hosting the first round of the required educational seminars scheduled as follows:

DATE	TIME	LOCATION
11-13-2009	4 pm-6 pm	Brevard County Agricultural Center
11-14-2009	9 am-11 am	Brevard Community College, Palm Bay Campus

- There will not be a test of the seminar, but you must complete it and get a certificate of completion before you can apply for renewal of the Brevard County hard clam license.
- You must also hold a current/valid commercial saltwater products license with an RS endorsement to harvest clams in Brevard County.
- There is no change in the Brevard County Hard Clam License renewal procedures.
- The fees for the Brevard County Clamming license (KL) are:
  - \$100 – Resident
  - \$400 – Non Resident
  - \$400 – Late fee beginning August 1

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- Please arrive at the seminar 15 minutes early for registration. Seating is limited and will be available on a first come-first serve basis. You must be on time. No one will be admitted after the seminar begins.
- Please bring your Brevard County hard clam license (if applicable), your current/valid commercial saltwater products license, and a photo identification card (Example: a valid drivers license) to the educational seminar.
- The Brevard County hard clam license can be renewed or obtained by mailing a KL application, check or money order (made payable to FWC) to the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Commercial Saltwater Licensing Office, in Tallahassee. Please do not send Cash. Renewal applications submitted after July 31st will be assessed a late fee of \$400.
- Persons lawfully harvesting from shellfish or aquaculture leases are not required to have the Brevard County hard clam license while harvesting from such leases.
- If you have any questions regarding licensing, you may call the Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission, Licensing Office in Tallahassee at (850) 487-3122.
- If you have any questions regarding the educational seminar, call the Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, Palm Bay Office at (321) 984-4890.