## Bellamar

Punta Mita Living



## Pam's Vision Re-Emerges

We hired new landscapers – when the old ones stopped showing up for work. The new landscapers will charge us the same amount we were paying previously, but have guaranteed us weekly service, and all the products they use (fertilizers, fumigation, etc.) are included.

When Irving, Isaac, and Melissa met with Francia – our contact – she was impressive on her knowledge of plants, their growth patterns, fertilizer requirements, and best way to trim to get desirable shapes.

Dave and Melissa observed as they begin the work to trim back the jungle we grew over the summer. Francia runs her crew like a Sargent determined to take a hill. She was incredibly picky. They trimmed the hedge outside unit 1, and after it was all done, she made the crew go back and do it again. The picture doesn't quite do it justice – but no longer is the hedge a big solid blob – the fern like plants now emerge from the lower hedge plants with a lovely artistic look. This was probably what Pam envisioned when she designed the landscaping – but we've not seen for years.

**Tip**: Have a concern about a neighbor or their guests that you want addressed? <u>Please use this form</u>. Zen and the VC will be instantly notified so they can take appropriate action as needed.

## **Irving Insider Info**

Irving has been taking English classes. There is a marked difference this year in how much he is understanding of English. So even if you are fluent in Spanish – help him practice by speaking English with him this season!



## **Local Goings On**La Cruz Market Opens Store in Punta Mita

Love the Sunday market in La Cruz? Well, now we have our very own store carrying their products here in Punta Mita!

They carry the same fresh organic veggies, fresh breads, sausages, coffee, honey, jams, sauces, peanut butter, pastas, personal care, and handcrafts you find at the market. Plus a few more things you won't find at the market like organic meats and French style cheeses.

Open: Mon-Fri 9-5pm and Saturdays 10-2pm

Located: at the cross between Otilio Montaño 13b and 5 de Febrero streets (next to the basket ball court)

https://maps.app.goo.gl/QQ7q9WG6RZ4oReA97





Today's Myth: The total Eclipse in Mazatlan this year won't be visible in Puerto Vallarta.

On April 8<sup>th</sup> of 2024 there will be a total eclipse in Mazatlán! In Puerto Vallarta the eclipse will be partial - but still over 95%.

The eclipse will start at shortly before 11 AM and be at its peak around noon local time in Puerto Vallarta. If you decide to travel to Mazatlán to see the total eclipse, make those reservations early as its sure to be popular. And remember that Mazatlán is one hour earlier than us.

And don't forget you need special glasses to watch an eclipse and not damage your eyes. If you're here, check in with Melissa - she bought a pack of 30 of them

