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# City of Ormond Beach

NOVEMBER 4, 2011

## Rockefeller Revisited

On Saturday evening, October 29, approximately 300 visitors to The Casements stepped back in time as they enjoyed the second annual "Rockefeller Revisited" candlelit tour of the famous Rockefeller mansion. Guests enjoyed music on the lawn presented by Two Guys and a Horn, hot cider and ginger snaps, face painting courtesy of the Seabreeze High School Girls Tennis Team, and a storyteller. As they entered the mansion, visitors carried lanterns and were ushered throughout the house as they met the cast of characters from the Rockefeller era including Henry Ford, Harry Firestone, Barney Oldfield and John D. Rockefeller himself, played by Herb Boreck. As guests left the mansion, they received a bag of candy corn and a shiny dime.

The staff of The Casements and the entire Leisure Services Department would like to thank the Historical Society and the many volunteers and members of the community for making this such a successful event. If you have any suggestions for this event or future events, please feel free to contact The Casements staff at (386) 676-3216.



**Reminder  
Fall Back!  
Standard Time  
Begins**

**2 am Sunday  
November 6th**

**Turn Your  
Clocks Back  
1 Hour**



***Watering  
Restrictions***

As we set our clocks back one hour on November 6 with the return to Eastern Standard Time, it is also the time to reduce lawn and landscape irrigation to no more than one day a week.

The St. Johns River Water Management District's watering restrictions limit lawn watering to two designated days per week during daylight saving time which took effect on March 13, 2011.

Eastern Standard Time begins on November 6, and with the time change comes a seasonal change in the restrictions. Lawns need much less water in the cooler months because of winter dormancy. To reflect this reduced need, lawn watering will be limited to no more than one day per week until the return of daylight saving time. Homes with addresses that end in an odd number or have no address may water only on Saturdays, and homes with addresses that end in an even number may only water on Sundays. Nonresidential irrigation is allowed only on Tuesdays.

Watering is allowed only before 10 a.m. or after 4 p.m. year-round. Some exceptions to the restrictions apply. On March 11, 2012, when daylight saving time returns, landscape irrigation will return to the two days a week schedule.

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**Weekly Police Stats**

**Calls for Service - 1,494    Arrests - 12  
Citations Issued - 174  
Reports Written - 126    Traffic Stops - 196**



**Weekly Fire Operations Stats**

**115 INCIDENTS**  
**70 - EMS    6 - Motor Vehicle Accidents**  
**1 - Fires    2 - Fire Alarms**  
**33 - Public Assists    3 - Hazardous**



# 2011 Golfing for Youth Tournament

The Ormond Beach Police Athletic League (OBPAL) hosted the annual Golfing for Youth Tournament on Saturday, October 29, at the River Bend Golf Club. Fourteen (14) teams showed their community spirit through participation in OBPAL's largest fundraising event. The Golfing for Youth Tournament raised \$6,331.26 to support educational, athletic, cultural and recreational programs for at-risk youth in the Ormond Beach community. This event would not be possible without the support and help from our sponsors and volunteers.

Golfing for Youth was generously supported by the Ormond Beach community and received over \$13,000.00 in door prize and in-kind donations from area businesses. The Hole-in-One prize was a 2011 Sportster Harley Davidson Motorcycle sponsored by Bruce Rossmeyer's Daytona Harley Davidson. Hometown News, LAMAR Signs and V.I.P. printing were the tournament advertising sponsors and trophies were donated by Buttleman's Sports Center. We would like to thank the following businesses and individuals who sponsored the tournament. Our Gold Sponsors were Bright House Networks, Commissioner Bill Partington, Kalin Home Furnishings, Microflex Inc., Stephen Cortez, MD-Halifax OB/GYN, and Weather Guard, Inc. Our Silver Sponsors were Mercedes-Benz of Daytona, and Metra Electronics Corporation. Our Hole Sponsors were Bahama House, Barr & Associates Physical Therapy, Boehm, Brown, Fischer, Harwood, Kelly & Scheihing P.A., Cranshaw Brown, P.A., Discount Tires, Fox Mattress Makers, Keyes & Stange, CPA's, LLC, Michael Lambert, P.A., Mr. Greg Smith, Rockin' Ranch, and Total Comfort.

Even though the day started in a misty rain, everyone had a great time! Several players commented on how well the tournament went and asked to be called for participation in next year's tournament! They said it was fun and the prizes were awesome!





# *Outdoor AEDs Installed at Athletic Fields*

This week, Building Maintenance staff began mounting new outdoor Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) at the Ormond Beach athletic fields.

At the Sports Complex, installations were made at the softball quad, the Wendelstedt baseball fields and at the soccer fields. At Nova Community Park, one was installed at the baseball fields. The Department of Leisure Services recently purchased a total of ten (10) AEDs for the purpose of having one located at each outdoor athletic facility.

The remaining AEDs will soon be installed at the South Ormond Neighborhood Park, Champion Field #7 at the Sports Complex, the Shuffleboard Building, the Nova Community Center, and the Nova East Field.



# *South Ormond Neighborhood Center*

It's been another positive week at the South Ormond Neighborhood Center. The weather cooperated just enough to salvage some playground and picnic time. The splash pad was very slow but the wind did not discourage the tot-lot users. Basketball is still strong with the free-play numbers starting to pick back up. The adult league is wrapping up this week and youth basketball practice is starting. Pop Warner football is also practicing on the field under the lights. Tutoring and Jazzercise are still going strong each week at the Center.



## *INBF Florida State Naturals Bodybuilding*

The INBF (International Natural Bodybuilding Federation) Florida State Natural Bodybuilding Competition was held at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center on Saturday, October 29. The field of 40 competitors included both men and women in 17 different divisions including a wheelchair division. Natural bodybuilders are required to comply with regulations that prohibit the use of any type of performance enhancing drugs, and must submit to testing. Each competitor was judged on muscular development and posing skill before a panel of professional bodybuilding judges. Each competitor enjoyed the applause of the audience as they received their trophies.



# 28th Annual Senior Games

The 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Senior Games competition began Friday, October 21, with the “Kick Off Celebration” at the Ormond Beach Senior Center. Eighty (80) participants enjoyed a cookout lunch which included speeches from Mayor Ed Kelley, Leisure Services Director Robert Carolin, and Senior Games Chairman Dolph Veatch. The event showcased Diane Trask, “Certified Laugh Leader” from Bishop’s Glen and Jim Nelson, “The Entertainer.” The last nine years of the Senior Games were State Qualifying competitions. The games started on October 22 and ran through October 30. The games included swimming, golf, horseshoes, track and field, tennis, bowling and racquetball just to name a few. This year, the Senior Games competition came out in force with almost 300 participants in over 25 games. The games were played all over the Ormond Beach area from the Senior Center to track and field at Seabreeze High School, to our beautiful beaches.

Volunteers played an important role in the Senior Games. The Senior Games Board, the event managers, as well as many others that helped assist and support the games were comprised of all volunteers. In total, over 1,500 volunteer hours went into planning and running the games. City staff assisted the Senior Games Board all year and during the games.

This was another very successful year. We congratulate all the participants and look forward to seeing everyone next year.



# Ormond Beach Garden Club Monthly Meeting

On Wednesday, November 2, approximately 40 members of the Ormond Beach Garden Club attended their monthly meeting held in the Dance Room and Gallery of The Casements. The group is already preparing for their annual Sweetheart Tea which is held in February. Following the meeting and presentation, members were treated to a variety of culinary delights for lunch and an assortment of delicious desserts prepared by fellow members.



## *Walking with the Manager*

On **Thursday, November 10, from 8:30 a.m. until 9:30 a.m.**, "Walking with the Manager" will begin at the entrance to The Casements. From The Casements, the walk will go east on Casements Drive, then south on S. Halifax Drive, and then east on Mulberry and Byron Ellinor Drives to Fire Station 91 on A1A and then return to The Casements. The entire walk is approximately 2 miles.

The City's new Fire Chief, James Stables, will be the City Manager's "guest walker" and will answer questions from the group. Citizens are invited to join the City Manager and the Fire Chief for a walk, sharing their comments and suggestions.

Please put on your walking shoes and join us.



# Public Works in ACTION



## Asphalt Crew Installing Patch after a Stormdrain Line Repair on Lincoln Avenue



## Asphalt Repair on S. Beach Street at Mound Avenue after Water Department Repair



# Public Works in ACTION

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## Stormwater Crews Rehab Boat Ramp at Hammock Lane



# Public Works in ACTION

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## Stormwater Crews Unearth Missing Basin on Garden Lane



## Stormwater Crews Make Line Repair in Spring Meadows



# Fun Halloween Activities at Nova Community Center

Halloween week was busy for the Nova Community Center. The activity class celebrated Halloween on Thursday. The children came to class dressed up as their favorite characters like Buzz Lightyear, Spiderman, Minnie Mouse, and Tinkerbell. They tasted Witch's Brew and ate scary Halloween cupcakes, eyeballs, and spiders.

Friday brought the co-sponsored SPARC and City of Ormond Spooktacular Halloween party for people with special needs. More favorite characters and heroes, along with evil villains, enjoyed dinner and dancing. Everyone had a ghoulishly fun time.



# *Updates and Repairs at Central Park*

Last week, the boat launch at Central Park III received some much needed updates. Park Maintenance staff replaced all of the wooden timbers surrounding the parking area, made parking spaces for boats with trailers, and with help from the Stormwater Department, cleaned out the launching area of the park. (See photos on page 9.) Park users have expressed their gratitude to have the area renovated.

Additionally, the Labyrinth area in Central Park II was cleaned up from damage and debris from recent storms. Staff restaked trees that were leaning, trimmed palm trees and pressure cleaned the Labyrinth.

