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City of Ormond Beach

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Fleet Operations... one of the Best in North America!

The City's Fleet Operations within the Public Works Department was recognized as one of the Best 100 Fleets in North America, **ranking 19th out of 100!** for 2014. In 2013, the first year the City applied for this recognition, Fleet Operations ranked 94th out of 100.

The Best 100 Fleets recognition/competition began 10 years ago and an estimated 38,000 government organizations are eligible to apply which include federal, state, county, municipal, special districts, school boards, and publicly owned utility companies. A panel of judges, consisting of seasoned Fleet Managers with decades of experience, review and score the applications. The competition allows fleets to gauge their operations against other local governments and private fleets.

Over the last year, the City's Fleet Operations has provided major accomplishments. One is becoming a GM warranty provider allowing us to perform repairs in house and bill GM directly for it creating a possible source of revenue for the City. We were also able to improve the status of vehicles that are out of service for less than a day from 87.64% to 94.79%. The industry benchmark is 85%-90%.

We have installed LED lighting in the shop, motion detectors throughout, and an automatic thermostat all of which greatly reduce energy consumption. For the services we provide, we have created surveys for feedback which are hung from the rear view mirror in the vehicle following service. The survey explains what service the vehicle had and who performed the service. The survey allows staff to know where improvements need to be made and what we are doing well. The surveys are returned in a mailbox at our fleet facility and remain anonymous.



From left: Chris Ridley, Danny McIlrath, Facundo Tassara, Chris Jarrell and Jim Street.

The Best 100 Fleets were announced on April 9th in Minneapolis at the NAFA Institute and Expo, the largest fleet conference in the country, and will be published in Governing Magazine. Please visit <http://the100bestfleets.com/> for more information.

Ormond CAP Cadets Win Southeast Region Championship



From left: Cadet Tech. Sgt. Corey Spitz, Cadet Sr. Master Sgt. Devon Giles, Cadet Airman 1st Class Andrew Weiker, Cadet Chief Master Sgt. Grace Regittko

The Ormond Beach Civil Air Patrol (CAP) Cadet Color Guard Team represented Florida and competed successfully against teams from three other states and won seven trophies, including first place overall, at the 2014 Civil Air Patrol Southeast Region Cadet Competition held last weekend at Maxwell Air Force Base in Alabama.

The Ormond Beach cadets, acting as the Florida Wing Color Guard Team since their victory at the state competition earlier this year, won first place in the "Mile Run," "In-Ranks Inspection," "Indoor Drill," "Outdoor Drill," "Panel Quiz" and "Written Test" categories, and second place in the "Standard Drill" category. In the "Overall" category, the Florida Wing team took the first place trophy. Under the leadership of 1st Lt. Andrea Giles and 1st Lt. Kevin DeMarco, the cadets practiced drills, underwent physical training and intensive academic preparation at least 10 hours each week and spent two weekends of highly focused training at Patrick Air Force Base in preparation to compete at the regional level. The Florida Wing and now Southeast Region Color Guard Team is: Cadet Chief Master Sgt. Grace Regittko, Cadet Senior Master Sgt.

Devon Giles (Team Leader), Cadet Master Sgt. Matthew Dye, Cadet Technical Sgt. Corey Spitz and Cadet Airman First Class Andrew Weiker. As a result of their victory at the regional competition, the Ormond Beach cadets will serve the entire CAP Southeast Region at the 2014 Southeast Region

Conference in Atlanta, Georgia. The team will also help train other cadets at the CAP Honor Guard Academy in Tennessee, and the Color Guard Academy at Patrick Air Force Base.



From left: First Lt. Andrea Giles, Cadet Master Sgt. Matthew Dye, Cadet Sr. Master Sgt. Devon Giles, Cadet Technical Sgt. Corey Spitz, Cadet Airman 1st Class Andrew Weiker, Cadet Chief Master Sgt. Grace Regittko, First Lt. Kevin DeMarco

The Ormond Beach Composite Squadron thanks the City of Ormond Beach for unwavering support of the CAP Cadet Program, and in particular, Capt. Bill Giles, Ormond Beach Fire Department, for his dedication to assisting and supporting the color guard team. The squadron also thanks the CAP members, family members and friends who travelled to Maxwell Air

Force Base to encourage and support the team, including Col. Henry Irizarry, Florida Wing Commander; Lt. Col. Margarita Mesones, Florida Wing Chief of Staff; and Lt. Col. Joseph Wisniewski, Ormond Beach Squadron Commander.

Girl Scouts Tour City Hall

On Tuesday, April 8, Mrs. Lori Partington and her group of Girl Scouts toured City Hall. To the delight of the girls, Commissioner Bill Partington joined the group.

Their tour guide was City Manager Joyce Shanahan who took them around City Hall to visit the various departments. Ms. Shanahan explained the purpose of each department and their responsibilities. The girls visited the Commission Chambers to see where Commission meetings are held.



They sat at the dais and got a bird's eye view of what it's like for the Commission to look out at the audience when they make their important decisions on City business.



The highlight of the tour was when they had the opportunity to see up close a fire truck and the D.A.R.E. car. They enjoyed chatting with the police officer and firefighters on what they do to help citizens.

Parents Day at Gymnastics and Cheer Center

On the last day of their February/March session at the Ormond Beach Gymnastics Center, parents were invited into the gym for a little demonstration of all the skills the children had mastered during the session. Proud parents, grandparents and students alike were very happy to take part in this special day of photo opportunity and celebration.



The April/May session has begun and many have chosen to continue their classes. If you would like to learn more about what the Ormond Beach Gymnastics Center has to offer, please call the Leisure Services Department at (386) 676-3250.



Region 5 YDC Participants Join Forces on Community Project

Ormond Beach PAL's Youth Directors Council assisted at the State of Florida Association of Police Athletic Leagues (SFAPAL) State Basketball Tournament this past weekend. Hosted again this year by New Smyrna Beach PAL, the tournament took place in three gyms, Babe James Community Center, the First Baptist Church gym and New Smyrna Beach High School. The tournament was an opportunity for PAL teams from all over Florida to compete for the Championship.

YDC youth from both New Smyrna Beach PAL and Ormond Beach PAL joined together to promote the Florida PAL license plate drive during these tournaments. Commitments from purchasers for twenty license plates per organization are required to be eligible to attend the annual conference. Youth were set up at all three gyms and later helped in cleaning the gyms and the parks around the gyms.

Ormond Beach PAL has been the only YDC in State PAL's Region 5 for many years and was happy to welcome New Smyrna Beach's YDC participants. They are all looking forward to working together on future community projects with a true sense of teamwork and a touch of friendly spirited competitiveness.



Future Forensic Experts Study DNA Models

Forensic Science has become a prime field of interest to many and is a terrific tool for enhancing math and science skills in our youth. Ormond Beach PAL's Science on Patrol (SOP) after school tutoring program is in its sixth week at Ormond Beach Middle School.

Science Instructor Deborah Linn, with the help of Ormond Beach Police Department Evidence Crime Scene Technician Victoria Lancaster and Evidence Crime Scene Custodian Marylyn Dance assisted the students in investigating a mock crime scene. They lifted fingerprints, discovered and tested an unknown substance found on scene and studied and created a candy DNA model.

Education about DNA, Deoxyribonucleic Acid, will continue as the young crime scene experts extract DNA samples from a strawberry and a banana. Ms. Lancaster also showed them how to chemically process for latent prints by using ninhydrin on paper. Our SOP future forensic experts are enjoying their experiences while enhancing their math and science skills.



Camp Expo

In conjunction with Movies on the Halifax, Camp Expo kicked off registration for summer City camps. The Expo included information on all the camps offered throughout Leisure Services. The Casements Enviro Camp is offered to children ages six to nine years focusing on nature and recycling. Camp T-Rec was also present, offering daily camp for special needs children. City staff provided details about the Summer Connection Day camp held at the South Ormond Neighborhood Center. Theatre camps will be providing drama and music as the focus for their summer programs at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center. Summer Sports Clinics are offering baseball, coed volleyball, basketball, coed golf and softball clinics. In addition to camp registration information, the facility Coordinators provided various games and activities for the children to enjoy before the movie.



Following camp registration, spectators watched "Flight of the Navigator." The first 100 moviegoers were presented with their very own "Phelon Survival Kit." It was a lovely evening for families to be outdoors and to learn about all the fun offerings for the summer!



A Wonderful Weekend in the Neighborhood

What a great weekend at the South Ormond Neighborhood Center! The temperatures finally rose enough for the kids to catch some sunshine and sprinkles at the Splash Pad. Others enjoyed a barbeque on the grounds under the warm, spring skies. Family and friends gathered to celebrate a 70th birthday party at the Center on Saturday evening.

The Bruins 10th and 11th grade teams traveled to the Spring Classic at Disney's Wide World of Sports Saturday and Sunday to take second place in their respective divisions which qualifies

them for Nationals. With the encouragement and guidance of their families and coaches, the boys are putting forth a tremendous team effort. We look forward to hearing more about their successes. **Congratulations guys!**



PAC Carpet Replacement



The carpet at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center was replaced during the first two weeks of April in the box office, PAC main lobby, and in the auditorium. The new carpet looks beautiful and is a tremendous enhancement to our guest experience.



Building Maintenance

Each week, the Leisure Services Building Maintenance staff makes weekly inspections of the airfield runway, taxiway lighting and directional signage at the airport. They also check the City vehicles for preventative maintenance and equipment as necessary. The City's electronic gates are checked for safety and preventative maintenance. The fountains at the Performing Arts Center, Bailey Riverbridge, Arroyo Park, Riviera Park, Hospital Park, Fortunato Park and City Hall are checked and necessary maintenance is performed. Weekly inspections are also done on the water wheel and sump pumps at The Casements. Air conditioning units and ice machines are inspected and maintained at all the City's facilities.



Staff is also responsible for maintaining the City's many buildings in tip top shape which, through a very organized work order system, keeps them on track with the continuous requests that come their way. When emergencies arise, such as this leaking water heater in the men's restroom at the lobby of the Performing Arts Center last week, staff is right on it with the repairs. Staff works very well together and always knows what their priorities are, which is why they are always able to keep a very positive attitude and get the job done quickly and efficiently.



Florida Licensing on Wheels

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles "Florida Licensing On Wheels" (FLOW) mobile unit will be at City Hall on Tuesday, April 22nd, from 10:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m.

FLOW is a standalone mobile office with technology to provide most motorists' needs. It provides drivers license/ID card change of address, renewals, replacements, and renewals and replacements of vehicle registration and disabled parking permits, as well as other needs. The only thing FLOW does not provide is for the drivers' license road test.

Before visiting, please go to www.gathergoget.com to learn about licensing and ID requirements and make sure you have everything you need when you visit FLOW so you don't have to make a second trip. You can also contact the Florida Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles office at 850-617-2000.

Little Darlin's On Tour

Lucky 7 Promotions is proud to present "Little Darlins On Tour" with three of Central Florida's premier oldies, doo wop, and rock and roll groups, The Casinos, The Royal Guardsmen, and The Dukes in concert at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center on Thursday, April 17th at 7:00 p.m.

Headlining the show, The Casinos, originally from Cincinnati, Ohio, now based in Central Florida, will perform with lead singer Ken Brady. The Casinos are best known for their signature hit "Then You Can Tell Me Be Goodbye," which reached #6 on the Billboard charts in 1967 and was voted as one of the top one hundred love songs of all time. The Casinos will wow you with their fantastic vocal harmonies which have made them one of the most popular vocal groups spanning a career of almost five decades.

The Royal Guardsmen, who hail from Ocala, Florida, recorded their smash hit "Snoopy Versus The Red Baron," which reached #2 on the Billboard charts and stayed in the top hundred for twelve weeks in 1967. During this past Christmas season, another Royal Guardsmen hit, "Snoopy's Christmas" was the #2 most downloaded song on the internet.

The Dukes, the dynamic duo of Doo Wop, will open the show. The Dukes have become the house band at Old Town in Kissimmee, and have been performing there at the cruise in car show on a weekly basis for the past thirteen years.

Tickets are \$28.00 VIP reserved and \$20.00 reserved and available online at the City of Ormond Beach website www.ormondbeach.org and at the Performing Arts Center Box Office located at 399 N. US Hwy 1. The Box Office is open Tuesday through Friday from Noon until 5:00 p.m., and two hours prior to every show. Tickets can also be ordered over the telephone by calling the Box Office at 386-676-3375. Visa and MasterCard are accepted.



Little Darlin's On Tour

Ken Brady's Casinos
"Then You Can Tell Me Goodbye"

The Royal Guardsmen
"Snoopy vs. The Red Baron"

The Dukes
"Keepin' The Oldies Alive"

April 17, 2014 7:00 PM
\$28.00 VIP Reserved
\$20 Reserved

Purchase Tickets Online at www.ormondbeach.org

ORMOND BEACH PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

399 North US 1
Ormond Beach, FL
386-676-3375

Earth Day

This year, Tuesday, April 22nd, marks the forty-fourth anniversary of the first Earth Day. On Thursday, April 24th, the City of Ormond Beach will be holding its 22nd annual Picnic on the Plaza at City Hall, 22 South Beach Street, from 11:00 a.m. until 2:00 p.m. in celebration of Earth Day. More than one billion people in 190 countries celebrate Earth Day. Below are some of the booths/exhibits which will provide a wealth of information and some great giveaways.

Shred Pros is offering **FREE** shredding services in front of City Hall near the flag pole. In order to serve everyone who wants to take advantage of this service, please limit your shredding materials to 20 Letter Bankers' Boxes (1.0-1.2 cu.ft.) or 10 Legal Bankers' Boxes (2.0-2.4 cu.ft.) per visitor. You can bring your materials in plastic bags but they cannot be included in the material to shred. Please do not include garbage, plastic bags, hard drives, or batteries in your shred materials. You may include material with paper products, such as paperclips, staples, binder clips, spiral notebooks, hanging files, pendal files, check books, and credit cards. You can physically watch your confidential material being destroyed on a screen on the side of the truck.

State of Florida, Volusia Soil & Water Conservation District will have a booth and USDA assistance information for agricultural growers.

Labrador Retriever Rescue of Florida will have dog biscuit giveaways, brochures, and adoptable Labs.

Five O' Clock Charley will perform live country music.

Leisure Services will provide information about summer camp and other leisure programs.

Planning Department will have useful information about energy conservation and emergency preparedness, and giveaways for children and adults. They will also have a cell phone collection box for old/unused working cell phones.

Publix will have reusable bags, reusable bag key chains, and children's coloring pages.

Finance Department will have a water meter demonstration, toilet dye packs, and water conservation tips.

Support Services will be demonstrating City apps, have applications available to citizens interested in volunteering, as well as giveaways.

Halifax Humane Society will have literature about animal welfare, their programs and services. They will also have some of their furry friends with them.

Ormond Beach Lions Club will have diabetes screening and information regarding diabetes awareness.

Solar Fit (pool heating) will have handouts and giveaways.

H.E.L.P. Animals will demonstrate oxygen fire rescue masks for pets and will have a variety of items to purchase along with giveaways.

Volusia County Solid Waste will have a display of recycled materials.

Steve's Pickle Place will have samples of their delicious pickles.

Wayne's Solar will have solar information as well as coupons.

Volusia/Flagler Turtle Patrol will have turtle information, educational guides and activity papers for children.

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Earth Day

Garden Club of Ormond Beach will offer gardening advice and give away small flowering plants.

Storm Water and the **Water Plant** will have information available.

Greg Lewis Enterprises will provide concessions.

The City of Ormond Beach invites you to come and join our Earth Day celebration. Come have lunch, listen to some great music by Five O'Clock Charley, get some great advice and information, and learn about being Earth-friendly!





City of Ormond Beach
EARTH DAY 2014



"Picnic on the Plaza"
April 24, 2014
1:00am til 2:00 pm




PLEASE COME AND JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL EARTH DAY CELEBRATION! THERE WILL BE PLENTY OF EXCITING EXHIBITS AND ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY GIVEAWAYS. THE CELEBRATION WILL BE HELD ON THE PLAZA AT CITY HALL, 22 S. BEACH STREET. FOOD & DRINKS WILL BE SOLD BY A LOCAL VENDOR. YOU COULD BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH, OR JUST COME TO VISIT! THERE WILL BE DOOR PRIZE DRAWINGS, AND TONS OF VALUABLE INFORMATION.
DON'T MISS THE FUN!

Public Safety Awareness Day

The event will be held at
The Casements
Saturday, May 10
10 am to 2 pm



City Hall and all non-emergency facilities will be closed on Friday, April 18, for the Good Friday Holiday.

There will be no Weekly Review next week.

Regular office hours will resume on Monday, April 21.



Weekly Police Stats

Calls for Service - 1,601 Arrests – 21
Citations Issued - 138
Reports Written - 131 Traffic Stops - 200



Weekly Fire Operations Stats

138 INCIDENTS
81 - EMS 6 - Motor Vehicle Accidents
3 - Fires 6 - Fire Alarms
39 - Public Assists 3 - Hazardous

Public Works in ACTION



Sidewalk repairs on SR40



Tree debris removal on Division Ave.



Public Works in ACTION



Asphalt repair after utility work on Northbrook Lane



Removal of dead palm tree on Hand Avenue



Camp T-Rec

A Partnership with
The Cities of Port Orange and Ormond Beach

Day camp for children ages 7-19 in the Special Needs Community
who have cognitive, physical, developmental, mental or emotional challenges

Registration Kick-Off
Saturday, May 17, 2014

(Registration Deadline is June 13, 2014)

PLEASE BRING YOUR MOST CURRENT IEP

So that we may meet the physical, educational and social needs of your child

Camp is located at:

Nova Community Center
440 N Nova Road
Ormond Beach



Camp dates and time:

Session 1: June 23-July 11
Session 2: July 14-Aug 1
No Camp on July 4
8:30 am-2:30 pm

CAMP T. REC REGISTRATION FEES per 3-week session:
Residents of Ormond Beach and Port Orange~ \$220.00
Non Resident Rate ~ \$331.00

Field trips & transportation from pick up points provided & included in registration fees

Registration limited to 12 at each site ~ wait list available

Baseball Soccer Field Trips Basketball Tennis Cheerleading Swimming
Bowling Music Kick-ball Dodgeball Games Scavenger Hunt
Arts & Crafts Races Social Skills Story Telling Theater Gardening

Port Orange Gymnasium/
Parks and Rec. Office
1000 City Center Circle
9am—11 am
Info: Peter Ferreira
(386) 506-5864

Nova Community Center
440 N. Nova Road
Ormond Beach
1:00-3:00 pm
Info: Lori Koplin
(386) 676-3252



2014 Summer Sports Clinics

by Coach Gerry Pitchford

Registration is taking place *now* and will continue until clinics are filled.

Residents - \$52.00 *per Clinic* ❖ Non-residents - \$78.00 *per Clinic*

Baseball Clinic

June 16 – 19 (Maximum 30)
Boys ages 9 - 14 (as of 4/30/14)
9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Nova Fields, 440 N Nova Road



Coed Golf Clinic

July 21 – 25 (Maximum 20)
Boys & Girls ages 10 - 15 (as of 4/30/14)
9:00 am - Noon
Ormond Beach Sports Complex



Coed Volleyball Clinic

August 11 - 14 (Maximum 30)
Boys & Girls ages 9 – 14 (as of 4/30/14)
9:00 am – Noon
Nova Gymnasium
440 N Nova Road



Baseball/Softball

“Power” Hitting Clinic

July 14 – 18 (Maximum 25)
Boys & Girls ages 9 - 14 (as of 4/30/14)
9:00 am - Noon
Nova Fields
440 N Nova Road



Basketball Clinic

August 4, 6 - 8 (Maximum 30)
Boys & Girls ages 9 - 14 (as of 4/30/14)
9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Nova Gymnasium
440 N Nova Road



For more information contact
Gerry Pitchford at 676-3280 or
email: Pitchford@ormondbeach.org

Hours:
Mon. – Thurs.
7:30 am - 4:30 pm
Friday
7:30 am - 3:00 pm

Register at the Leisure Services Office
399 N US 1, Ormond Beach, FL 32174



City of Ormond Beach Leisure Services Department Summer Programming

Summer Connection Day Camp ~ Mon. - Fri. 8:00 - 5:00 Ages 6-13 (as of 9/1/14)

Registration packets for both sessions of Summer Connection Day Camps will be available to download online beginning Friday, April 4th at the City's website www.ormondbeach.org and available for pick-up at the Registration Office, 399 N US 1, Ormond Beach. 676-3250 Completed packets to be returned to the Registration Office starting Monday, April 14th; registration will be first-come, first-served, until camp is filled.

Camp Location: South Ormond Neighborhood Center
176 Division Avenue
Ormond Beach, FL (100 children)

June 16 thru July 11	\$200 City Residents	\$300 Non-City Residents for 4 weeks
July 14 thru Aug. 8	\$200 City Residents	\$300 Non-City Residents for 4 weeks

Coed Summer Sports Clinics - \$52 Residents; \$78 Nonresidents - per Clinic

Registration continues until filled. Register at Leisure Services Office, 399 N US 1, Ormond Beach or online
All ages are as of 4/30/14

<u>Baseball Clinic</u>	6/16 - 19	9:00 am-1:00pm	Nova Community Park	Max. 30	Ages 9-14
<u>BB/SB Hitting Clinic</u>	7/14 - 18	9:00 am-12:00pm	Nova Community Park	Max. 25	Ages 9-14
<u>Golf Clinic</u>	7/21 - 25	9:00 am-12:00pm	OB Sports Complex	Max. 20	Ages 10-15
<u>Coed Volleyball Clinic</u>	8/11 - 14	9:00 am-12:00pm	Nova Gymnasium	Max. 30	Ages 9-14
<u>Basketball Clinic</u>	8/4, 8/6 - 8/8	9:00am-1:00pm	Nova Gymnasium	Max. 30	Ages 9-14

Enviro-Camp at The Casements - \$97.00 Per Week

Registration begins April 4, 2014 at The Casements, 25 Riverside Dr., Ormond Beach 676-3216
Enviro Camp is created for elementary school children, ages 6-9. Each week explores a different theme: history, our oceans, environmental awareness and discovery through experiments. Camp meets Monday through Friday from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm. Activities are enhanced through presentations by experts in their field.

Enrollment is limited and camp fills on a first-come, first-served basis.

Amazing Gees.....July 7 - 11
Just as the name implies, we explore the diverse world of science. Each day brings a new area of exploration and hands-on, safe experiments. We go to the beach, learn about weather from a meteorologist, make a solar oven and shoot off a rocket propelled by soda.

Environ Explorers.....July 14 - 18
Let's take a closer look at our surroundings and learn about recycling, butterflies, the pesky mosquito and have some gardening fun with the Ormond Beach Garden Club. Have you ever tried kayaking? Let's go to the beach and try it with skilled kayakers.



Time Travelers.....July 21 - 25
We live in a city rich in fascinating stories and famous people. Knowledgeable guides will take us to historic places. We'll learn about the science of archeology, travel through our solar system and imagine the planet when the dinosaurs ruled.

Under the Sea.....July 28 - Aug 1
Learn about the manatee, turtles and marine life in our city by the sea. A seasoned fisherman will help us catch and release fish on the Halifax River. We'll adopt our very own turtle nest, visit it and discover the wonders of these creatures that nest on our beaches.

Summer Art Camp - \$120.00 per week, including all supplies. June 9th - July 18th

For information & to register, contact Pat Spano. Email: pat@patspalette.com

CMT Summer Music Theatre and Dance Camps are held each summer at the Performing Arts Center

For more information visit their website: www.cmtworkshop.org or email jsinnyc@yahoo.com