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City of Ormond Beach

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Commission Supports Cancer Awareness



From Left: Commissioner Stowers, Commissioner Kent, Mayor Kelley, Commissioner Boehm, Commissioner Partington

On Tuesday, October 7th, those who attended the City Commission meeting saw that the City showed its support for Breast Cancer Awareness month. Outside the Commission Chambers, they saw the dolphin fountain transformed to pink. Inside, the Commission sported pink shirts. The Mayor also read a pro-

clamation supporting awareness of this disease and proclaimed October 17 as Breast Cancer Awareness Day.

When caught early, treatments work best and survival rates increase. This is why all women and men should be familiar with the risk factors and symptoms of this disease. The Commission salutes the women and men who dedicate themselves to the prevention, detection, and treatment of breast cancer; and show their support to every individual and every family struggling with this disease, and remember those that were lost.

The American Cancer Society's estimates for breast cancer in the U.S. for 2014 are:

- About 232,670 new cases of invasive breast cancer will be diagnosed in women.
- About 62,570 new cases of carcinoma in situ (CIS) will be diagnosed (CIS is non-invasive and is the earliest form of breast cancer).
- About 40,000 women will die from breast cancer.

Breast cancer is the second leading cause of cancer death in women, exceeded only by lung cancer. The chance that breast cancer will be responsible for a woman's death is about 1 in 36 (about 3%). Death rates from breast cancer have been declining since about 1989, with larger decreases in women younger than 50. These decreases are believed to be the result of earlier detection through screening and increased awareness, as well as improved treatment. At this time there are more than 2.8 million breast cancer survivors in the United States. (This includes women still being treated and those who have completed treatment.)

The Mayor and Commissioners encourage all residents to join with them to increase awareness of this disease.



City Goes Digital

The days when architects and engineers delivered rolls and rolls of paper to the Planning Department are numbered.

The City's Planning Department was recently approved by the City Commission to launch a program that allows design professionals to file their site, building and construction plans online to obtain building permits. That means no longer must design professionals drive from Orlando, Jacksonville, or even in Volusia County to the City to file plans for review and approval by the City. "The new system is part of a continuous quality improvement effort to streamline the development process without sacrificing quality," said Ric Goss, Planning Director.



Affected departments and divisions had the first of many meetings to discuss electronic plan review and how it would work. Design professionals who want plans reviewed and approved must apply for a permit and then an invitation is provided to the firm to upload the plans through the City's portal. The plans are reviewed given the current business process or workflow and comments are noted directly on the plans and the plans are then downloaded by the design professional for corrections.

New and renovated buildings generally go through a two-step sequential approval process. First, the site plan is reviewed and approved by the City. Once the site plan is approved, then building plans are reviewed and approved.

Savings in terms of time and materials are expected to be derived by the design professional and the City respectively. Printing of plans for submittal by the design professional is eliminated and review time will be quicker, saving money in terms of review time. For the City, the City saves money in terms of file storage and makes available more review time that otherwise would be needed for paper.

The electronic plan review is part of a revamp of the development review process that started in 2007. The goal: Increase value to allow developers to obtain permits faster and at less expense while quality of review is not sacrificed.



Girl Scout Time Capsule



In recognition of the 100th anniversary of Girl Scouting, the Sunrise Service Unit, comprised of Ormond Beach, Daytona and Holly Hill scouts, held a ceremony to place a time capsule in The Casements on Thursday, October 2, 2014, at 7:00pm.

An enthusiastic crowd of approximately 200(!) scouts, was present for the dedication and reception. Deputy Mayor Bill Partington read the "proclamation" at the dedication.

The time capsule, which was hand-painted by Girl Scout leader Wendy Crouch, contains scouting memorabilia from six events in six counties.



This artistic time capsule will be on display in The Casements until March of 2050, when it will be opened.

Challenger Soccer

After all the rain and practicing for two weeks inside, the Challenger Soccer team was excited to be out on the soccer fields at the Ormond Beach Sports Complex. They were able to enjoy the cool weather while practicing their favorite drills. The scrimmage was exciting because they were able to use the skills learned while inside in a wider space with more room to run. Challenger Basketball is the next sport on the schedule with the first practice on October 28.



Sports at the Sports Complex

City Youth Flag Football started games this week, Monday through Friday, at the Sports Complex. Games are held at 5:45, 6:45, and 7:45 nightly. Fifteen teams are playing this season, which is two more than last year.

The City Coed Adult Softball Fall Season continued games this week. Their games are held 6:20, 7:30, and 8:40 p.m. Monday through Wednesday. Eleven teams are signed up this season which will run through early November.



BODYBUILDING COMPETITION



The National Gym Association Florida State Naturals Bodybuilding Competition was held at the Ormond Beach Performing Arts Center on Saturday, October 4th. The competition included both men and women.

Male natural bodybuilders competed in divisions including novice, masters, and physique. Female natural bodybuilders competed in bikini and fitness divisions. Each competitor was judged on muscular development and posing skill before a panel of professional bodybuilding judges.

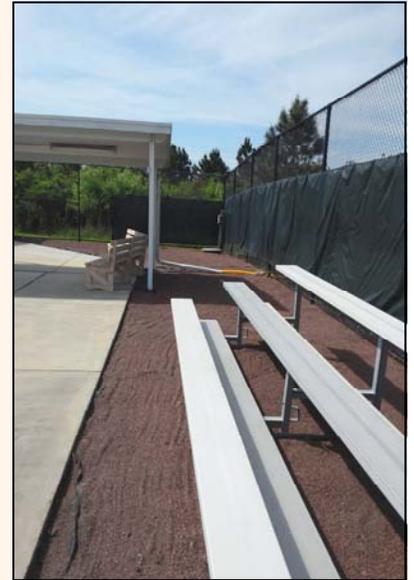
All of the competitors enjoyed the applause of the audience as they received their awards.

Shuffleboard Season

The fall shuffleboard season is upon us and Field Maintenance staff completed their fall cleaning in time for the October 1st opening day of shuffleboard.



Weeding, cleaning, blowing, sweeping and ridding of wasps were a few of the items done. Also, the wind-screen was repaired and re-attached. The shuffleboard now has a new sidewalk and new parking spots to better accommodate shuffleboard participants and onlookers.



Riverbend Academy Volleyball Team

The Riverbend Academy Volleyball team used the Nova Community Center as a home for their fall 2014 season. During the months of September and October, they held weekly home games against their competitors. As always, the team is playing hard and providing a tough competition to the opposing team.





Greek Cooking Class

On Wednesday, October 1, The Casements was filled with delicious aromas and scents of Greek cooking. Elaine Pitenis demonstrated a full Greek meal to a group of cooking enthusiasts.

Elaine holds classes in the roomy kitchen frequently. An added bonus to joining her classes is

the opportunity to take home a hearty sampling of all the dishes.

For more information on this class, please contact Elaine at 386-677-2733.



Ormond Memorial Art Museum Greenhouse

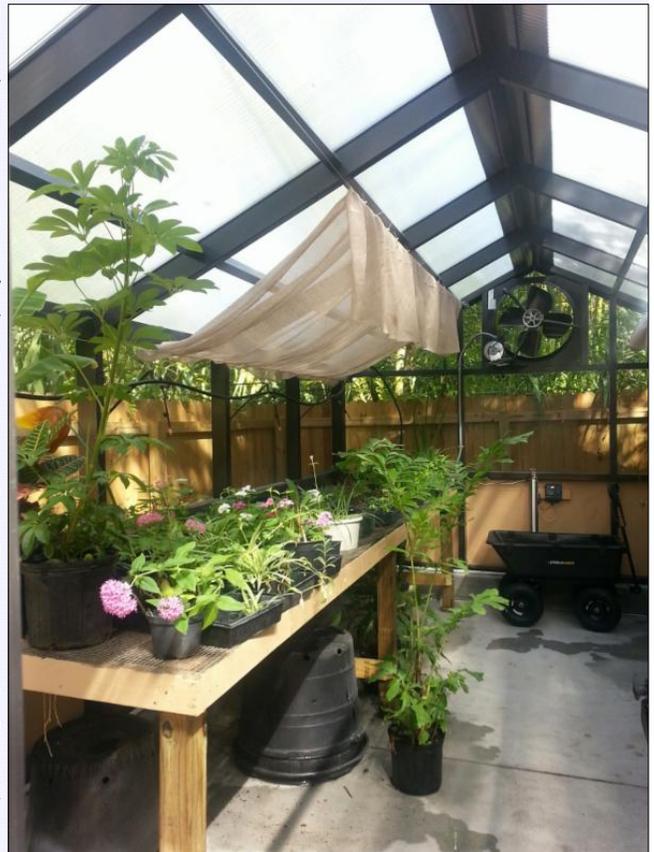
The members of the Garden Club of the Halifax Country have once again shown a dedication to the Memorial Gardens by spearheading and funding a project to rebuild its greenhouse in partnership with the City of Ormond Beach.

The previous greenhouse had not been able to be used in ten years because of its condition. The Garden Club and project leader Lori Tolland, worked with the City to construct a state of the art new facility that can be used for propagating plants and in their children's environmental programs.

The new facility has a concrete floor, aluminum framing and a polycarbonite roof. As beautiful as it is, it is designed TO NOT BE SEEN! It sits on the site of the former greenhouse which citizens may have walked by and never noticed. It is in the center of the garden across from the gazebo, but it shielded by a wooden fence covered with plants.

The Art Museum would like to express their sincere thanks to the Garden Club of the Halifax Country, Lori Tolland, the City of Ormond Beach and A Certified Screens. Additional support was provided by Anne and Locke Burt and Giles Electric Company.

Other Garden Club of the Halifax Country projects include moving and refurbishing the historic Emmons Cottage to the Gardens, building Sandy's Garden in memory of Sandra Baird and conducting their annual Nature's Art Box education program for children in the cottage.



WE MAKE IT HERE!

Manufacturing plays a significant role in the county's economy. It provides substantial paying jobs with benefits. The Volusia County Economic Development Q1 2014 report stated that the average wage in manufacturing is now \$52,860. Manufacturing has a skilled labor shortage. Manufacturers are doing everything they can to change the misperceptions people have that manufacturing does not exist in the USA, let alone Ormond Beach and Volusia County. Governor Scott proclaimed October 2014 as Manufacturing Month and throughout Florida and the Nation, manufacturing, its impact and its career opportunities, is being celebrated.

What We Make Here – products you will recognize and there are many more...

Deep drawn metal enclosures at **Hudson Technologies**

Carbon dioxide sensors, meters and monitors at **CO2meter.com**

Disposable medical devices, such as blood bags, at **Command Medical Products**

Sun tan lotion and personal care products at **Energizer Personal Care**

Hubcaps at **Florida Production Engineering, Inc.**

Biological cabinets at **GERMFREE Laboratories, Inc.**

Foam and insulation for the roofing industry at **Imperial Foam and Insulation Mfg., Inc.**

Metal hose and braid, metallic expansion joints, bellows, and automotive products at **Microflex, Inc.**

Electrical Connectors at **Thomas and Betts Corporation**

Facts About Manufacturing in Volusia County

Did you know:

- Based on employment, the manufacturing sector represents about 7% of the market with over 450 manufacturers in Volusia County. The average local manufacturer employs 21 people. Large employers have several hundred and there is an occasional one-two man shop.
- We have major players in the world-wide arena: Teledyne Oil and Gas helped close the 2010 oil spill in the Gulf of Mexico; Hudson Technologies sends products into space; and Sparton Electronics products helps locate black flight boxes from ocean floors.
- The manufacturing sector's average wage is \$52,860 resulting in a total manufacturing payroll of close to \$400 million per year. Employee pay rates average \$20/hour which is a 12% change over last year's average. Forty-nine (49) Florida counties have lower average manufacturing wages. Volusia ranks 10th of the 67 Florida counties in total number of manufacturing jobs.
- The number of local manufacturing jobs is growing at approximately 3% per year, which is greater than the state average for job growth. The number of jobs added to manufacturing places Volusia in 4th place among all 67 counties in Florida for 2013-2014.
- The number of employees in manufacturing is, currently, 10% greater than in construction, financial activities and wholesale trade. Skilled machinists, CNC operators, welders, quality engineers are needed right now and in the future.

VMA, the area's 34 year old manufacturing alliance, serves manufacturers in Volusia, Flagler and surrounding counties. Please visit their website www.VMAonline.com for more information on manufacturing and its history.



WEEKLY PARKS MAINTENANCE

Parks Maintenance staff was kept busy once again this week with trimming low hanging limbs at Central Park III, cutting back overgrowth and removing storm debris at Riverbend Nature Park. Spraying for weeds in workout stations in parks citywide, forming three park bench slabs for concrete pour, removing graffiti from the pier at Riviera Park, citywide safety inspections of parks and equipment and repairing missing pickets at Ames Park were some of the other tasks that took place this week.



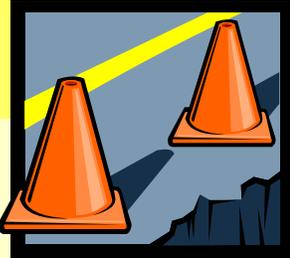
Weekly Police Stats

Calls for Service - 1,926 Arrests – 27
 Citations Issued - 88
 Reports Written - 148 Traffic Stops - 201



Weekly Fire Operations Stats

123 INCIDENTS
 62 - EMS 10 - Motor Vehicle Accidents
 3 - Fires 5 - Fire Alarms
 42 - Public Assists 1 - Hazardous



McIntosh Road Closure Notice

McIntosh Road will be closed from Cumberland Avenue to Sanchez Avenue on Monday, October 13, 2014, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. to allow for FPL to complete the installation of a concrete pole being installed as a part of its current hardening project.

Once completed, this roadway segment will be opened and traffic will resume; please use designated detours. If you have any questions regarding this closure, please contact the City of Ormond Beach Engineering Division at 386-676-3269.

Movies on the Halifax



On **Friday, November 7th, 2014**, at 6:00 p.m., the City's Leisure Services Department and The Casements Guild will present "Happy Feet" in Rockefeller Gardens.

Bring a lawn chair or a blanket and come out and enjoy the movie with your friends and family! Refreshments for purchase will be available.

Moving Rating: "Happy Feet" is a PG rated movie. Parental guidance is suggested as some material may not be suitable for children.

FLOW Mobile

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles "Florida Licensing On Wheels" (FLOW) mobile unit will be at City Hall on Tuesday, October 14th, 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.

FLOW brings services to the local communities offering a convenience to citizens while saving them time and gas.

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.



Youth Basketball Registrations

The City of Ormond Beach Leisure Services Department is taking registrations for the following youth basketball programs:

BOYS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Registration is open through November 7th for boys 7 through 15 years of age (age as of September 1, 2014).

Residents \$65.00 (proof of residency required)
Nonresidents \$100.00



The season will run from November 17, 2014 through late February 2015.

Skill assessment dates and times will print out on the registration receipt at time of registration. If your child is registered prior to October 31st he will be enrolled in a free pre-season basketball clinic to be held on November 1st.

COED BASKETBALL TRAINING LEAGUE

Registration is open from October 13th through November 4th, or upon reaching a maximum of 25 participants, for boys and girls 6 and 7 years of age (age as of September 1, 2014). The Training League will meet on Mondays & Wednesdays, November 3rd – 19th and December 1st – 17th, from 4:00-5:00 p.m. at the Nova Community Center Gymnasium.

Residents \$56.50 (proof of residency required)
Nonresidents \$85.00

GIRLS YOUTH BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Registration is open through November 10th for girls 7 through 15 years of age (age as of September 1, 2014).

Residents \$63.00 (proof of residency required)
Nonresidents \$95.00

Team practices will begin November 18th and game season will begin December 8th.

Mandatory pre-season training/skill assessment dates and times will print out on the registration receipt. Your child must be registered to participate and must make at least one night of the training/skill assessment before being placed on a team.



Registration will take place at the City of Ormond Beach Leisure Services Department Registration Office, 399 N US 1. Office hours are Monday thru Thursday 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. and Friday 7:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Registrations can also be done online at www.ormondbeach.org if you have completed a Leisure Services Department General Information/Release and Waiver of Liability form this calendar year.

Please contact the Registration Office at 386-676-3250 should you have any questions.

Public Works in ACTION



Tree Removal on Rio Pinar Dr.



And at Colina Place



Public Works in ACTION



Right-of-Way trimming

Bostrom Lane & Hand Ave.



Salvador Pl. & Flormond Ave.



Rosewood Ave. & N. Ridgewood Ave.



Public Works in ACTION



Installation of pedestrian barrier at Prince of Peace for Octoberfest



Road repair at Sports Complex with recycled concrete



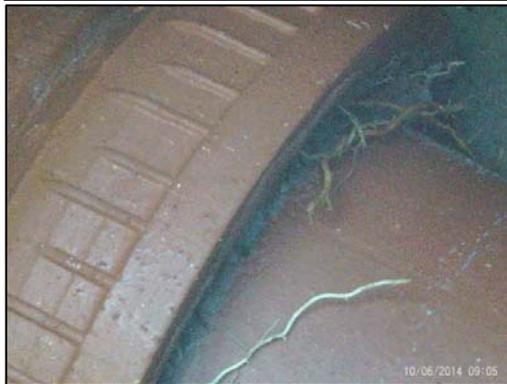
Public Works in ACTION



Air release valve installed to Bennett Lane pump station



Road undermined and repaired at Old Mill Run due to roots in pipe





Save the Date!

Annual Christmas Gala

Friday 12/5 6pm-9pm

House lighting, arrival of Santa and Mr. Rockefeller
(\$5 at the door)

Saturday 12/6 10am-4pm

Wine & More event 5-7pm

(tickets on sale now, \$20, prior purchase required)

Sunday 12/7 12-4pm

Holiday Tea 1st seating 1pm; 2nd Seating 3pm

(tickets on sale now, \$20, prior purchase required)

Holidays at The Casements

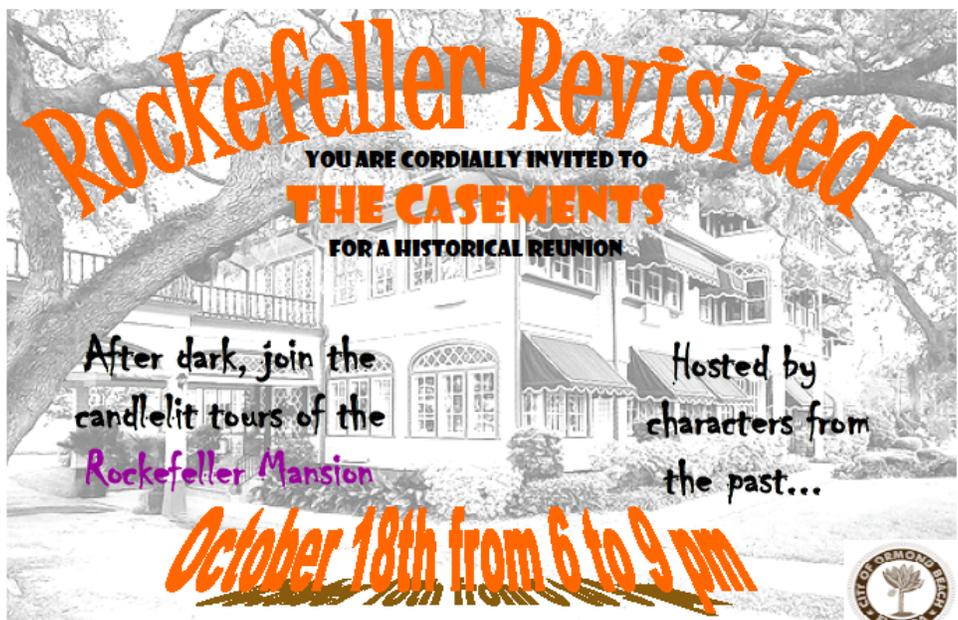
Thursday, December 18, 6pm-8pm (free event)

Santa's Breakfast

Saturday, December 20 8-11am

(tickets on sale November 1, \$5, prior purchase required)

For any questions, please call The Casements at 386-676-3216.



Rockefeller Revisited
 YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED TO
THE CASEMENTS
 FOR A HISTORICAL REUNION

After dark, join the candlelit tours of the Rockefeller Mansion
 Hosted by characters from the past...

October 18th from 6 to 9 pm

ADULTS \$5.00 - CHILDREN UNDER 12 FREE
 25 RIVERSIDE DRIVE., ORMOND BEACH PHONE 386.676.3216
 WE RECOMMEND PURCHASING TICKETS EARLY, AS THEY SELL QUICKLY!



Department Of Leisure Services

Veterans Day Celebration
 Monday, November 10, 2014
 Ormond Beach Senior Center, 351 Andrews Street
 5:30pm - 7:00pm



Dinner & Entertainment ~ \$7.00
Veterans FREE!
 Reservations Required, Limited Seating

Ticket Reservations:
 Monday thru Thursday, 1pm ~ 4pm
 October 20th ~ November 6th
 (or until the event is sold-out)

Community Events
 Senior Center
 351 Andrews Street
 676-3241



Brought to you with honor from the Leisure Services Department