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# City of Ormond Beach

AUGUST 19, 2016

## All About Amphibians



On Saturday, August 13, between 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m., the Environmental Discovery Center held two educational classes that gave students the ability to explore and learn about various specimens in the amphibian family.



The event, led by Joanna McKasy, City employee and Environmental Discovery Center volunteer, included a short video, a slide show and a number of hands-on activities that gave both children and adults a look into the amphibian world.

The participants also took part in an activity that determined the differences between amphibians and reptiles. They also had the opportunity to observe live amphibians and reptiles, which included frogs, salamanders and the Environmental Discovery Center's own residents, Ginger and Fred, the Red Bellied Cooters and Mitchel, the Red Rat Snake. Once the class was over, the participants had the opportunity to explore the outside of the EDC to look for any signs of amphibians. Everyone had a lot of fun exploring the amphibian world!



# Mommy & Me

You can feel the energy and hear the laughs and giggles as you enter the Ormond Beach Gymnastics Center on Wednesday and Thursday mornings during the Mommy & Me classes. It's not just the toddlers who are enjoying themselves; the moms are having a blast seeing the smiles on the faces of their little ones as they stretch, roll and tumble.



The class is great way for moms to spend time with their tots as they assist them with stretching and expanding their basic coordination skills.

The class is offered Wednesday or Thursday mornings from 10:30 to 11:30 a.m. for boys and girls aged 18 months through 2 years old. Currently, the Thursday morning class is full.

If you would like more information about the Mommy & Me class, or any other classes offered at the Ormond Beach Gymnastics Center, please call Coach George at (386) 676-3282.

# Summer Volleyball Ends

The 2016 Summer Volleyball Program finished up its eight-week season recently. Skills and scrimmages were held twice a week on Tuesday and Thursday from 6:00 to 7:45 p.m. Fifty-five participants attended, our biggest summer group ever in 24 years of the program!



It was exciting for eleven of the girls who made their high school team for this year. The last night of the session consisted of final games, t-shirts were handed out and awards were presented.

The fall volleyball season starts September 7th. Please stop by the Leisure Services Office at 399 N. US Highway 1 if you are interested in signing up.



# Team Effort at Sanchez Park

When City staff was made aware of a boater who, a few days previously, had their boat trailer entangled in tree roots in the water at Sanchez Park, they acted quickly to remedy the situation.

After Parks Supervisor Rick Howell checked the site, he called in the “big guns” to help. The Storm-water crew arrived with the Gradall and removed an exposed tree stump from the boat launch.

The problem was quickly resolved with a little teamwork from all involved.



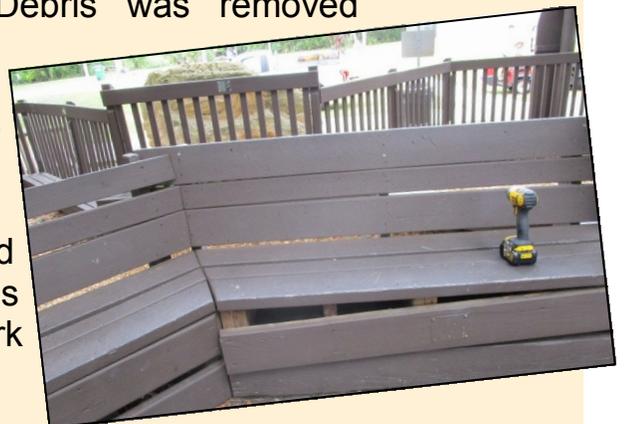
## PARKS



The Leisure Services Parks staff repaired the basketball nets at Osceola Elementary school. Signs were posted at all parks listing the new phone number for park reservations and park rules.

Inspections and repairs were made at Magic Forest Playground. A new barbecue grill was installed at Sanchez Park. Debris was removed from Rockefeller Gardens with the assistance of the Streets Division.

As usual, citywide safety inspections were performed of all parks and equipment and weekly inspections were done of parks facilities for reservations. All park reservations were posted at various facilities.



# FLOW Mobile

The Florida Department of Highway Safety and Motor Vehicles "Florida Licensing On Wheels" (FLOW) mobile unit will be at City Hall, 22 South Beach Street, on Tuesday, August 23, 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](http://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.



## Weekly Police Stats

Calls for Service - 1,376    Arrests - 47  
 Citations Issued - 1,376  
 Reports Written - 145    Traffic Stops - 160



## Weekly Fire Operations Stats

**158 INCIDENTS**  
 82 - EMS    10 - Motor Vehicle Accidents  
 3 - Fires    4 - Fire Alarms  
 56 - Public Assists    3 - Hazardous

# Public Works in ACTION



## Sidewalk repair on Spring Meadows...



# Public Works in ACTION



## And on Hernandez Ave.



## Seawall repair on Sterling Circle



# Public Works in ACTION



## Trimming walkways citywide



## Trimming on Shady Branch Trail



# Public Works in ACTION



## Clean up of fallen limb on Pine Valley Circle





## Free Paternity Workshop Ormond Beach

(Your Rights as a Non-Married Parent)

Community Legal Services of Mid-Florida (CLSMF) is partnering with the City of Ormond Beach to offer free quarterly workshops to interested individuals. During these workshops, a specific legal topic will be presented by a pro bono attorney followed by a generic question and answer period. Workshop topics will change each quarter.

### Workshop Information

**Date:** September 1, 2016

**Time:** 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

**Location:**

Ormond Beach City Hall  
Conference Room 103  
22 South Beach Street  
Ormond Beach, FL

### Please note:

- Workshops are available on a first come basis.
- If anyone attending would like to meet with a pro bono attorney to receive legal advice *specific to their situation*, they will need to indicate this on the sign-in sheet upon arrival and an intake will need to be completed to establish eligibility for services.



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