City Manager's WEEK-IN-REVIEW

10/26/2018

in the Spotlight

Long Creek Sculpture Dedication

This week the City dedicated a beautiful new sculpture, *Tiff the Turtle*, at Long Creek Nature Preserve, part of the Palm Coast Arts Foundation Turtle Trail public community art project. The artist, Ron Lace, was on hand for the unveiling. Tiff's stained glass shell represents Ron's inspirational interpretation of the beautiful wildlife that are prevalent at the park. For more information, see the attached news release or stop by Long Creek Nature Preserve at 1050 Palm Harbor Pkwy to visit Tiff!

Tiff the Turtle, Sculpture Unveiling

2nd Firefighters Deployment to Panhandle

This week, the City deployed a 2nd Advanced Life Support (ALS) to Engine Company to the panhandle for another 7-day mission with Engine Strike Team 301, including crews from St. Johns County Fire Rescue, St. Augustine Fire Department and Clay County Fire Rescue. Crews will assist, as needed, in the Hurricane Michael devastated areas of the Florida panhandle. The 1st crew returned after working in Liberty County Florida, for Recovery Efforts. Follow the City's firefighting crew on the Fire Department's Facebook page at www.facebook.com/PalmCoastFire.

Firefighters Deployed to Florida Panhandle for Continued Rescue & Recovery

Announcements

Palm Coast Historical Society – Founder's Day
Saturday, October 27, 1pm to 3pm
Palm Coast Community Center

Tuesday, October 30, 7pm – 9pm and Wednesday, October 31, 7pm to 10pm
Fire Station 21 – 9 Corporate Drive

Nature/Fitness Walk for Mobility Week
Thursday, November 1, 8:30am – 10:30am
Palm Coast Community Center Trailhead
(Short Program and Refreshments inside the Community Center after the walk)

Thursday, November 22, 7:45am
Daytona State College

Next Week:

- *Tuesday, October 30, City Council Workshop, 9am, City Hall – Community Wing, 160 Lake Avenue*

Attachments

- Administrative Services & Economic Development Department Update
- BAC Update
- Public Works Department Update
- Community Development Department Update
- Fire Department Update
- Parks & Recreation Department Update
- Utility Department Update
- Humane Society Update

News Releases

- TIFF the Turtle Dedication
- Hall of Terror
- Thanksgiving Feet to Feast 5K (Nov. 22 event)
- road and lane closures
- Fall Break Camps (Nov. 19-21)
- Citizen's Academy graduates 24, including 11-year-old Christopher LaiGaie
- Learn about End-of-Life Care at next Coffee Series (Nov. 9)

ADMINSTRATIVE SERVICES & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT-Beau Falgout, Interim City Manager

Communications & Marketing

Registration opened for Birds of a Feather Fest (Feb. 7-10 event), and we are thrilled to announce that David Ringer of the National Audubon Society has confirmed as the 2019 keynote speaker. We already have our first registration! See the full schedule at www.birdingfest.com.

The Division was very excited to support this week's dedication of TIFF the Turtle, presented by the Palm Coast Arts Foundation, at Long Creek Nature Preserve. TIFF is the second loggerhead turtle on PCAF's Turtle Trail, and artist Ron Lace was inspired by the artwork of American Art Nouveau artist Louis Comfort Tiffany for this amazing piece. We are honored to have it at our park! Read the full news release below.

We're gearing up for two big events this week – Hall of Terror at Fire Station 21 (behind Kohl's) Tuesday and Wednesday nights and the Nature/Fitness Walk for Mobility Week on Thursday morning. We hope everyone will come out for both!

Prepare for an alien invasion at Hall of Terror – Palm Coast Fire Department has put together extra-terrestrial fright! The doors to the free haunted fire house will creak open from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday and 7-10 p.m. Wednesday. Admission is free. Recommended for ages 12+. See the full news release below.

You may have seen the news release last week, but we want to remind you of our free, guided Central Florida Mobility Week walk along with trail system beginning at 8:30 Thursday morning. After the walk we'll have a short program inside the Community Center featuring River to Sea Transportation Planning Organization (TPO) Bicycle & Pedestrian Coordinator Stephan Harris and healthy refreshments. Please sign up at www.parksandrec.fun/wellness and meet us at the Trailhead in the back yard of the Community Center.

Other releases/announcements that went out this week include Thanksgiving Feet to Feast 5K (Nov. 22 event); road and lane closures; Fall Break Camps (Nov. 19-21); Citizen's Academy graduates 24, including 11-year-old Christopher LaiGaie; and Learn about End-of-Life Care at next Coffee Series (Nov. 9). We staffed the dedication of Tiff the Turtle, a beautiful piece of public art from the Palm Coast Arts Foundation and its sponsors, and the special City Council meeting for city manager search.

Graphic design this week included design of the Parks Facilities guide, the Mobility Day trifold, and the BAC business startup guide. Posts were added to Facebook/Twitter/Instagram. This weeks' social media focus was for the upcoming Mobility Week event and promoting the Hall of Terror.

City Clerk

- Processed 9 public records requests.
- Processed 3 litigation documents.
- Prepared and processed 72 documents for recording.
- Prepared and posted 1 agenda to the Web.
- Processed 2 bonds.
- Completed 1 Proof of Life document for citizen.

Social Media
POST OF THE WEEK

Central Services Division

Purchasing

Status	Ref. #	Project
Pending	ITB-PW-19-15	Road Materials (Road Base, Stone, Shell and Rock) Master Price Agreement Contract
Pending	ITB-UT-19-16	Rehabilitation of Wastewater Structures (Manholes, Wetwells, and other Wastewater Structures)
Open	ITB-PW-19-13	Landscape Chemicals and Fertilizers
Open	RFSQ-CD-19-12	Professional Utility Engineering Services
Open	RFSQ-CD-19-02 / ITB-CD-19-02	Pump Station "D" Improvement
Evaluating	RFSQ-CD-18-49 / ITB-CD-18-49	Palm Coast City Hall Emergency Generator
Evaluating	RFS-IT-18-65	Request for Solutions (RFS) for City Wide Security Assessment and Master Plan
Evaluating	RFSQ-SW-18-10	Professional Stormwater and Environmental Engineering Services
Completed	RFSQ-CD-18-41	Design Services for Lehigh Trail Trailhead at Belle Terre Parkway
Completed	ITB-UT-18-52	Master Price Agmt for Specialized Coagulant Chemical (Total Organic Carbon Removal)
Completed	RFP-CD-18-68	Basin 9 (Pellicer Creek & Matanzas River) Freshwater Forested Wetland Mitigation Bank Credits
Completed	ITB-UT-18-72	Master Price Agreement Contract for Cleaning of three (3) Oxidation Ditches and two (2) Pump Stations at Waste Water Treatment Plant #1.
Completed	LOI-CD-18-69	Request for Letter of Interest (LOI) for Wastewater Treatment Plant # 1 to Blairsville Drive Force Main Improvements Engineering Services
Completed	ITB-UT-18-70	Master Services Agreement Contract for Liquid Lime Sludge (Calcium Oxide) removal, hauling and disposal from Water Treatment Plant #1.
Completed	ITB-PW-U-18-57	Sod Materials and Sod Installation
Completed	LOI-CD-18-66	Request for Letter of Interest (LOI) for Indian Trails Sports Complex Reclaimed Watermain Extension and Control System

Contracts Processed:

- ROADTEK, INC. – Service Agreement for Concrete Repair Services – RFP-PW-18-61 – 10/21/2018 – 10/20/2021
- ROADTEK, INC. – Service Agreement for Asphalt Repair Services – RFP-PW-18-63 – 10/21/2018 – 10/20/2021
- Polydyne Inc – Price Agreement for Liquid Polymer – ITB-UT-18-64 – 10/23/2018 – 10/22/2019
- Aquatic Management Plus, Inc. – Weed Control for the Freshwater Drainage System – RFP-CD-18-60 – 10/23/2018 – 10/22/2021
- PFM Asset Management LLC – Piggyback Contract for Investment Advisory Services – RFP# 2014-2015-015 – 10/23/2018 – 09/30/2019
- CDW-G – Piggyback Contract for Information Technology Solutions and Services – 2018011-11 – 10/20/2018 – 2/28/2023
- Environmental Operating Solutions Inc. / Micro-c – Piggyback Contract for Various Chemicals for Water and Wastewater Plants – #2017-24 – 10/20/2018 – 9/19/2019
- Wesco Turf, Inc. – Piggyback Contract for Automotive and Heavy Construction Equipment Replacement Parts and Service – IFB #7843 – 10/26/2018 – 06/30/2020
- Ariens Company – Piggyback Contract for purchase of ZTHD 48 Mower – RFP 062117 Contract #062117-ACO – 10/26/2018 – 08/18/2021
- Processed 3 Contract Renewals

BUSINESS ASSISTANCE CENTER

The Palm Coast Business Assistance Center
Services Provided by the SBDC at UCF

Located at City Hall
160 Lake Avenue
Palm Coast, Florida 32164
(386) 986-2499
www.PalmCoastBAC.com

BUSINESS CONSULTING

- This Week – 13 Consulting Sessions, 43 Consulting Hours
- Total for Month – 45 Consulting Sessions, 153 Consulting Hours

PALM COAST BAC IMPACT

- Economic Impact This Fiscal Year - $2,324,000
- Economic Impact to Date- $28 Million
- Return on Investment - $86 per Tax Dollar Invested

PUBLIC WORKS – Nestor Abreu, Director

Configuring lacrosse fields – ITSC

Repairing pedestrian bridge
Graham Swamp

Landscape maintenance
Town Center

Painting soccer fields
ITSC

Installing new trailhead posts– Long Creek

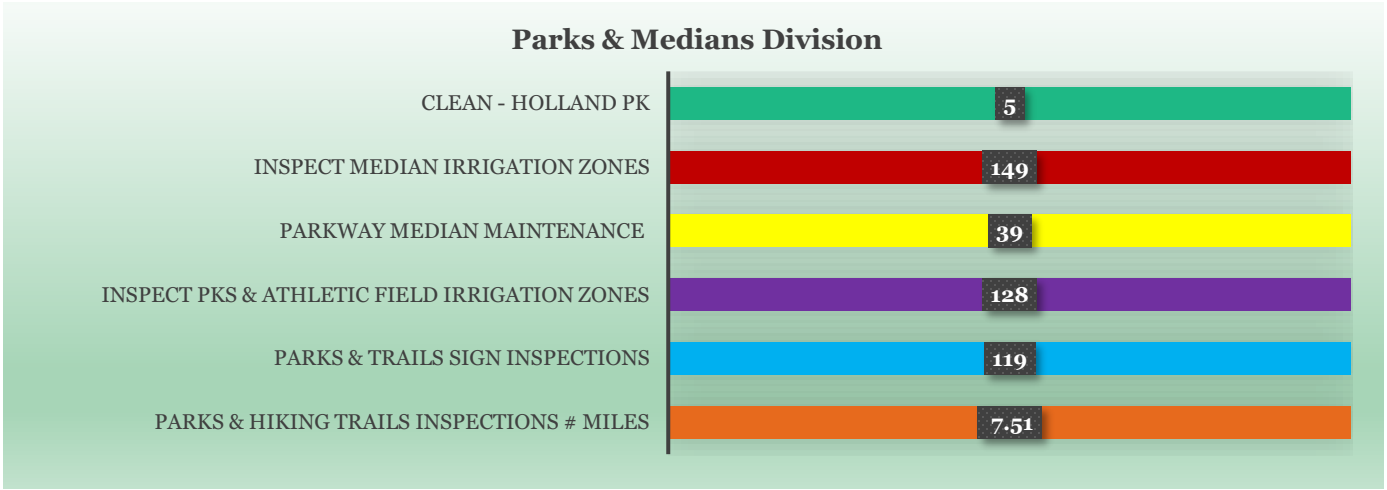
Hazardous tree removal – Long Creek

Painting lacrosse fields - ITSC

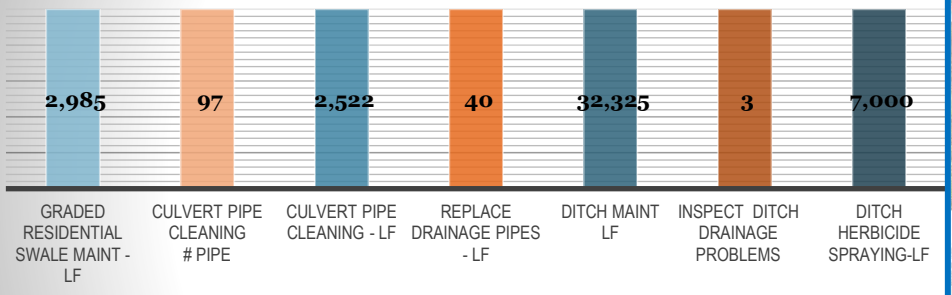
Repairing irrigation
Belle Terre

Relocating soccer goals - ITSC

Parks & Medians Division



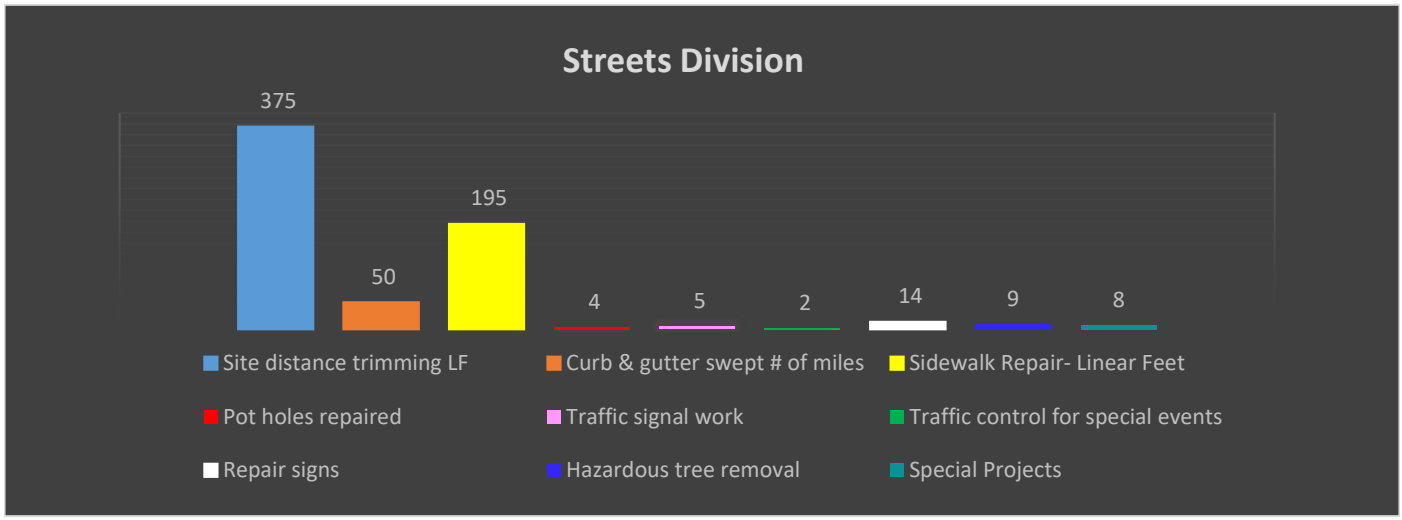
Stormwater Division



Installing new stormwater pipe
Folcroft Lane

Ditch maintenance
Buffalo Grove Drive

Swale grading
Big Horn Drive


Streets Division
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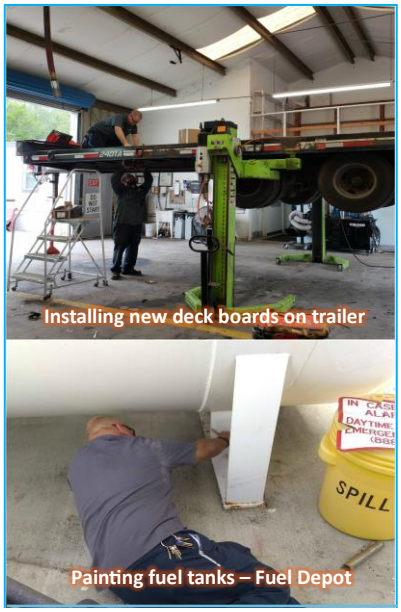
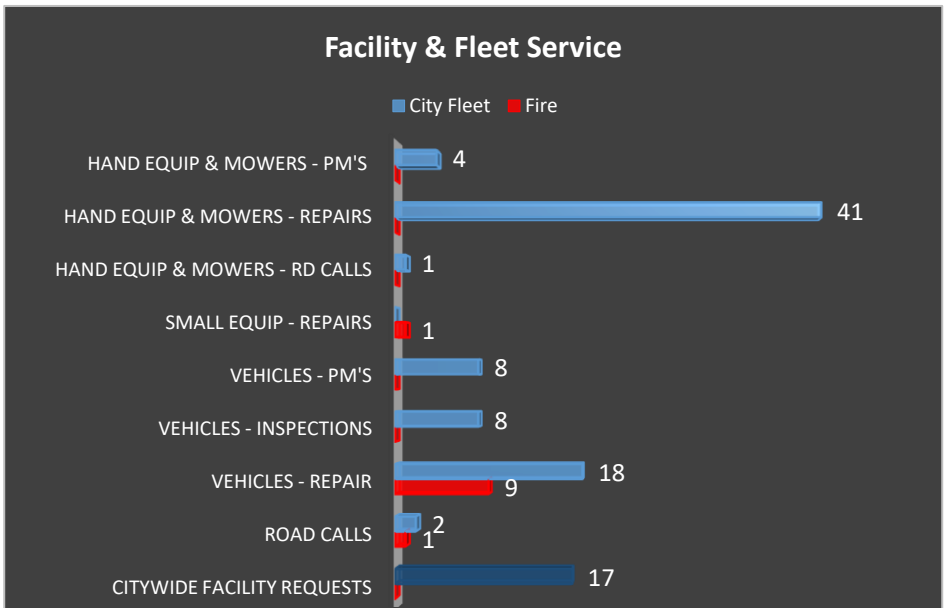
14
9
8
Site distance trimming LF
Curb & gutter swept # of miles
Sidewalk Repair- Linear Feet
Pot holes repaired
Traffic signal work
Traffic control for special events
Repair signs
Hazardous tree removal
Special Projects

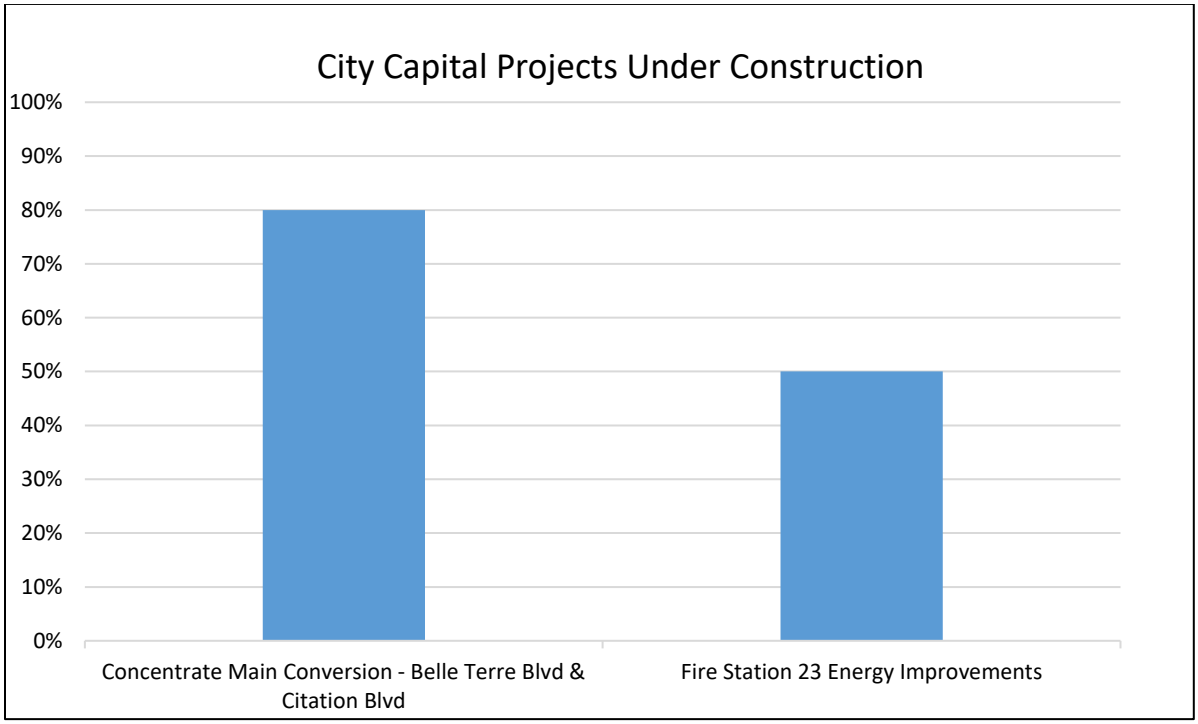
Hazardous tree removal – Palm Coast Parkway
Hazardous tree removal
Palm Coast Parkway
Installing new storage building – Fuel Depot
Repairing pathway
Palm Coast Parkway
Installing decorative turtle monument
Long Creek Nature Preserve
Hazardous tree removal
Pump Station 34
Installation of "No Motor Vehicles" sign – Long Creek

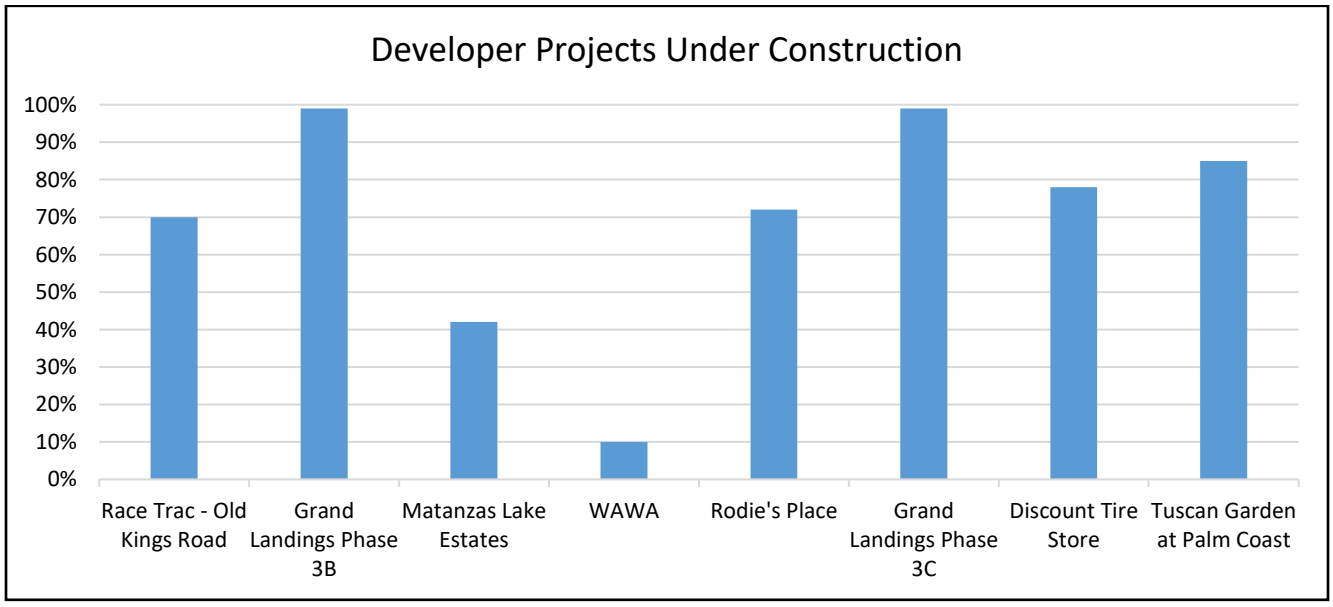

Installing new deck boards on trailer
Painting fuel tanks – Fuel Depot


Facility & Fleet Service
City Fleet
Fire
HAND EQUIP & MOWERS - PM'S
4
HAND EQUIP & MOWERS - REPAIRS
41
HAND EQUIP & MOWERS - RD CALLS
1
SMALL EQUIP - REPAIRS
1
VEHICLES - PM'S
8
VEHICLES - INSPECTIONS
8
VEHICLES - REPAIR
18
9
ROAD CALLS
2
1
CITYWIDE FACILITY REQUESTS
17

COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT – Stephen Flanagan, Director

DEVELOPMENT FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE CITY'S NATURAL RESOURCES, PUBLIC HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE.





Commercial Permits Applied			
2001 Waterside Pkwy	Awning-Pickle ball Courts	N And N Construction	$6,125
2 Village Pkwy N	Awning-Croquet Courts	N And N Construction	$6,125
4490 N US HWY 1 Bldg. J 101	Interior Renovations - Knuckle Sandwich Subs	Kehle Construction Inc	$2,500
60 Memorial Medical Pkwy	Interior Renovations/Flouro Equipment - Memorial Hospital Flagler	Batson-Cook Company	$270,000
Commercial Permits Issued			
2001 Waterside Pkwy	Commercial Fence/Black Chain-link Fence	S.E. Cline Construction Inc	$31,106
Occupancy Permits Issued			
222 St Joe Plaza Dr. SW 222	Tim's Vacuum Clinic Sales & Repair	Tim Hermann	
Development Applications			
Nonstatutory Lot Reconfiguration	67 , 65 Prince Eric Drive	Richard E. Drujon	
Preliminary Plat	Matanzas Cove Subdivision- 50 Single Family Residential Lots- 800' north of Matanzas Woods Pkwy. on Londonderry Dr.	Jerry K. Finley, P.E.	
Construction value improvements from October 1, 2018 to date			$25,864,018
Residential Single Family / Duplex Residences			20

Spotlight Projects

Turtle Installation at Long Creek Nature Preserve

The Palm Coast Art Foundation's second Turtle Trail sculpture "Tiff" was dedicated to the City and installed at Long Creek Nature Preserve. There was a dedication ceremony October 23rd where Tiff's sponsors, Beth & Fred Allen and Terri & Rafael Medina and Tiff's artist, Ron Lace were in attendance for the unveiling. Also in attendance were City Council members Robert Cuff and Vincent Lyon.

Turtle "Tiff" Installation @ Long Creek Nature Preserve

FIRE– Jerry Forte, Fire Chief

GUIDANCE

Tip of the Month:
October is Fire Prevention Month! Look. Listen. Learn. Be aware. Fire can happen anywhere. The National Fire Protection Association states that 4 out of 5 U.S. fire deaths occur in the home. Look, Listen, and Learn how you can prevent deadly fires.

http://bit.ly/FPW18a

Volunteer Intern
"Become a Volunteer"
http://www.palmcoastgov.com/government/fire/volunteer

Register for Basic First Aid & CPR or Healthcare Provider:
http://www.palmcoastgov.com/government/fire/cpr

COMMUNITY OUTREACH

Basic First Aid & CPR:

October 27th	No opening
November 17th	6 openings
December 22nd	12 openings

Healthcare Provider:

December 7th	7 openings

DEPARTMENT ACTIVITIES

Flagler Palm Coast High School students and Volunteer Firefighter Intern applicants have a total of 48 "Ride-Along" hours this week.

Hurricane Michael devastated the Florida Panhandle. This past Sunday, we deployed a second Advanced Life Support (ALS) to Engine Company as part of Engine Strike Team 301 including: St. Johns County Fire Rescue, St. Augustine Fire Department, and Clay County Fire Rescue. Crews were deplaned for a 7-day mission.

The Palm Coast Fire Department launched its official Facebook Page. You can visit the page at www.facebook.com/palmcoastfire.

Lieutenant James Neuenfeldt, Driver Engineer Chris Cottle, Firefighter-EMT Chris Strozier and Firefighter-Paramedic Mike LaGreca deployed to the Florida Panhandle for the recovery of Hurricane Michael

HIGHLIGHTS

Deployment to Panhandle…

For the last 7 days, Lieutenant Jon Kozloski, Driver Engineer Jeff Nunziato, Firefighter Travis Greco & Kalin Elizabeth Graham represented the Palm Coast Fire Department as part of Engine Strike Team 301.

The team was deployed to Liberty County Florida, for Hurricane Michael Recovery efforts.

Palm Coast Firefighters joined St. Augustine Fire Department, St. Johns County Fire Rescue and Clay County Fire Rescue as Strike Team 301 to the Florida Panhandle

Fire Department Exhibit

Starting October 24th -December 20th, the City of Palm Coast Historical Society and Museum proudly has the Palm Coast Fire Department on display. Stop by and check out the exhibit & history of the Palm Coast Fire Department.

Former Fire Chief M.C. Beadle is the keynote speaker at this year's Founders Day event. Our museum exhibit coincided with Founders Day.

Palm Coast Fire Department exhibit at the Historical Society Museum

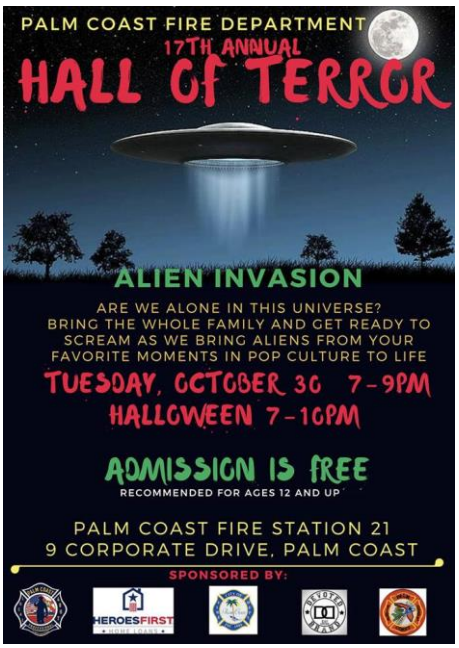
Hall of Terror

The Palm Coast Fire Department Hall of Terror starts next week!

Come check out Palm Coast's longest running Haunted House. This is a family-fun, free event.

October 30 - 7-9pm

October 31 - 7-10pm



Parks & Recreation – Alex Boyer, Director

We hosted our *American Red Cross Babysitting Class* on Oct. 20. Teens learned how to care for infants and children including making schedules, creating a safe environment, basic care, etc. At the end of the class, they are awarded with an official certification from American Red Cross that never expires.

Our *Musical Munchkins* enjoyed a special Halloween celebration. They dressed in costume and enjoyed some Halloween songs as well. Seniors learned about Internet and Security in our *Learn the Basics of Your Computer* Class. We will have one more session on Nov. 5 to discuss Basic Microsoft Word.

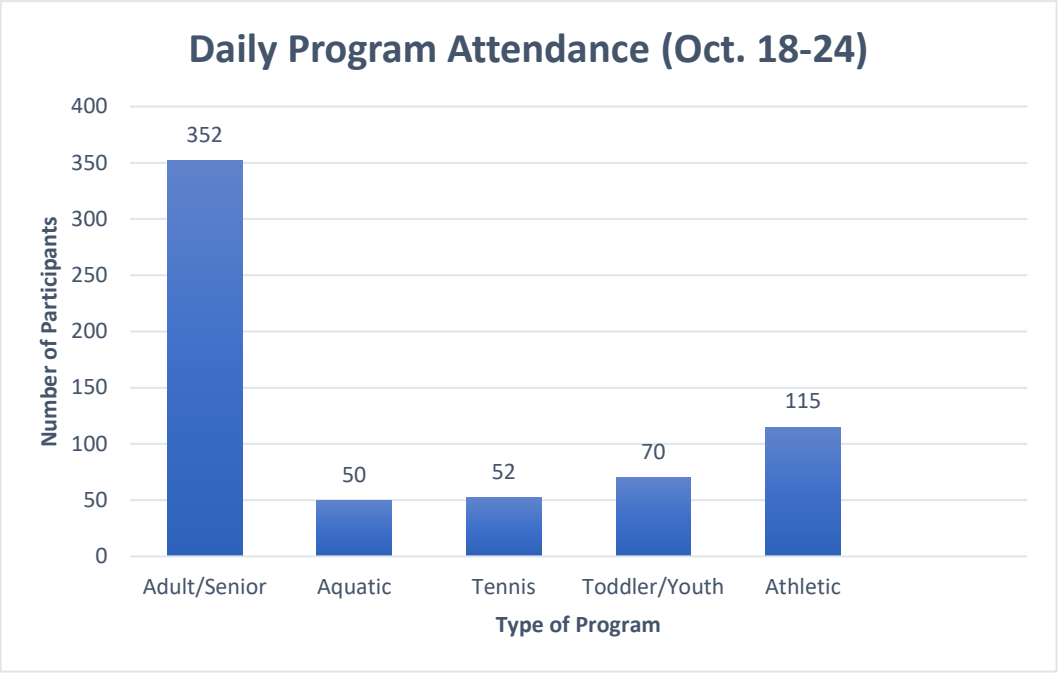
Our Recreation Supervisor of Marketing completed our Winter/Spring Activity Guide this week. It should be available digitally by next week. All winter/spring programs are now available for registration at www.parksandrec.fun.

Fall 2018 Activity Guide

http://www.palmcoastgov.com/recreation

Online Registration & Activities List

http://www.parksandrec.fun



Programs Offered this Week

Adult/Senior
Weekly Senior Social Programs
Line Dancing
Lunch N' Lecture
Learn the Basics of Your Computer

Health & Wellness
Better Balance through Tai Chi
Yoga for All & Gentle Yoga
Nature/Fitness Walk
REFIT Revolution Family Fitness
Family Kickball

Aquatics
Aqua Zumba
Water Aerobics

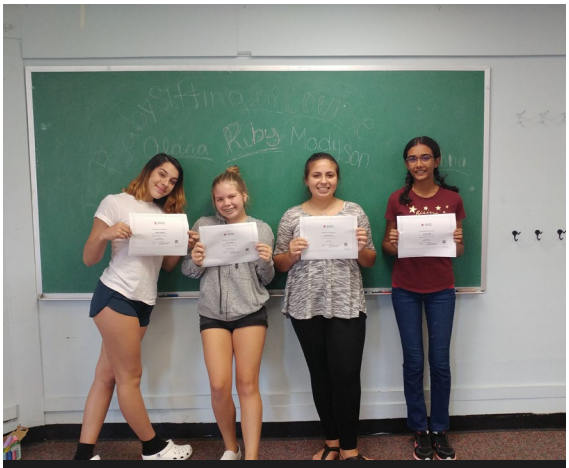
Athletics
Adult Open Gym Volleyball & Basketball
Pickleball (Open, Beginner's, & Ladder)
Cornhole Tournament

Tennis - Adults
Beginners, Cardio, Morning Blast,
Doubles Skills, & Round Robins

Tennis - Youth
Tennis Tots
Rallies (Rookie, Red, Orange, & Green)
Junior Development

Toddler/Youth/Teen
Musical Munchkins
Little Kickers Soccer
Awesome Alphabet Outing
Physical Recreation
Awesome Art for Young Minds
Palm Coast Shredders Mountain Biking
Palm Coast Apprentice Builders
American Red Cross Babysitting Class
Monday Funday
Playground Pals
Creepy Crawlies

Musical Munchkins – Halloween Edition


American Red Cross Babysitting Class

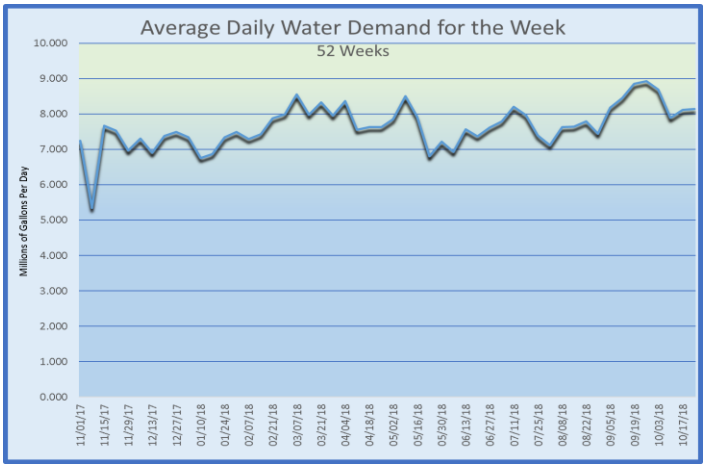
COMING UP

Oct. 29 – Florida Hospital Flagler Wellness Workshop
Nov. 2 – Freaky Friday & The Chill Zone
Nov. 9 - Coffee Series
Nov. 14 – Florida Hospital Flagler Wellness Screening
Nov. 14 - National Diabetes Day Awareness
Nov. 14 – Discover Trip: Festival of Trees
Nov. 16 – Lunch N' Lecture
Nov. 22 – Thanksgiving Feet to Feast 5K

Utility – Richard Adams, Director

10-25-2018

- Unidirectional flushing operation continued this week and section 33 was completed, which includes Rymfire Drive, Rickenbacker Drive and Royal Palms Parkway. The flushing operation continues next week beginning on Monday October 29th. Because of safety reasons, the flushing will cease on Halloween night Oct. 31st, but will continue on November 1st and November 2nd in Section 29.
- The average water demand for this week was 8.143 million gallons per day.
- The average wastewater flow for the week was 6.395 million gallons per day.
- Water Distribution crews installed 22 new water meters and 3 reuse meters.
- There are 250 new meter installations pending with 65 cleared and an average installation time of 4 weeks.
- Wastewater Operations installed 5 new PEP tanks and replaced 4 PEP tanks.
- There are 13 new PEP tanks pending and 6 PEP tank replacements pending. Currently all new tanks are being installed within 3 days of site ready.
- There were 38 calls after hours.
- Water Distribution crews repaired 10 water service lines, 4 manifolds, completed 11 meter pit adjustments/replacements, 6 water service line replacements and tested and repaired 246 backflow preventers.
- Wastewater crews installed 6 risers, replaced 26 PEP pumps, 1 PEP panel, 27 floats, 17 cleanout caps, 4 ball valves and boxes, 5 PEP pump assemblies and 11 PEP pump electric assemblies and repaired 3 service laterals. Also inspected via CCTV 1,200 feet of gravity sewer, 12 manholes and completed smoke testing of 56,324 feet of gravity sewer mains.
- On October 23rd, Water Treatment Plant #2 had PBM construction on-site to remove the damaged pump inside the oil-water separator. PBM installed the new pump and re-routed the discharge pipe above ground to reduce the need for confined space entry.
- On October 24th, staff from Water Distribution replaced a broken post hydrant with a new in ground brass flushing system. There were 7 homes issued a 2 day boil water notice.
- Completed road repair and raised manhole cover on Palm Leaf.
- Wastewater staff completed prepping Pump Station 22-1 (Wellington) for concrete work after rehabilitation.



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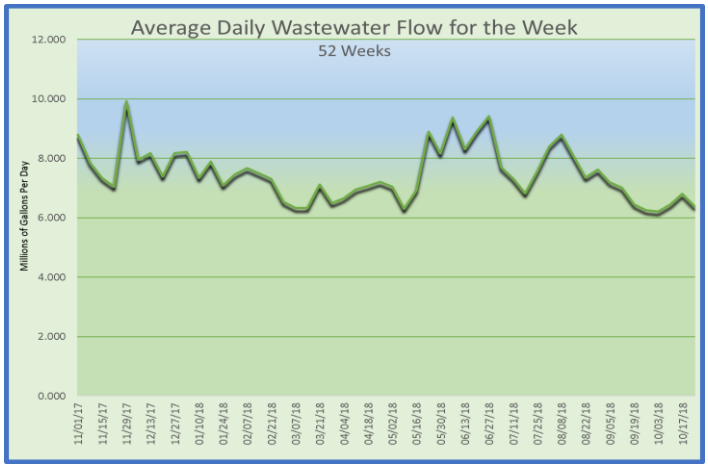
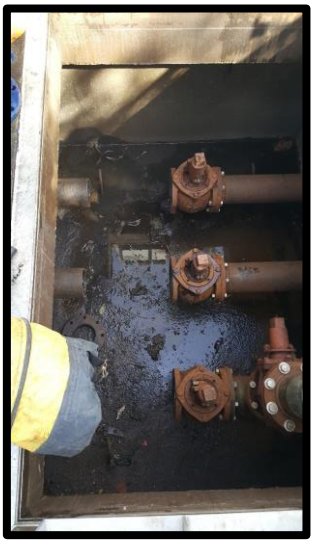


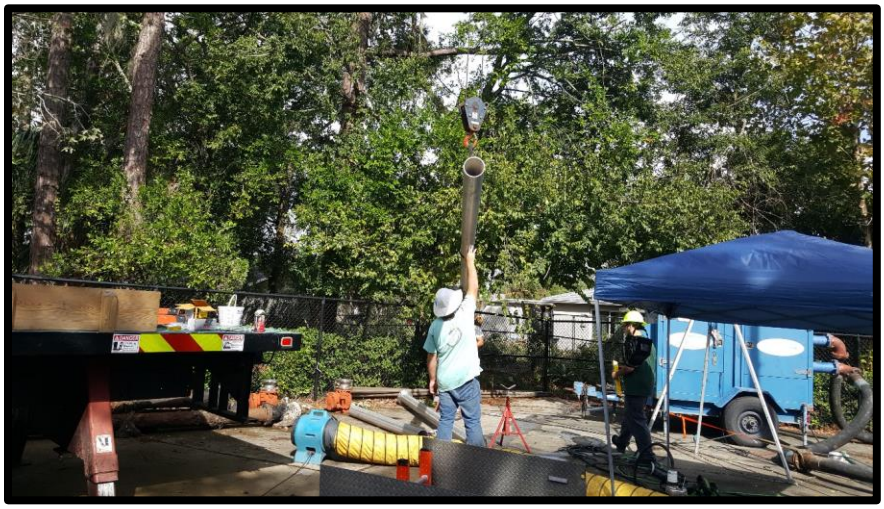
The average wastewater flow was 6.395 million gallons per day

HIGHLIGHTS WASTEWATER R & R WORK - PUMP STATION 'B' (FLORIDA PARK DR)

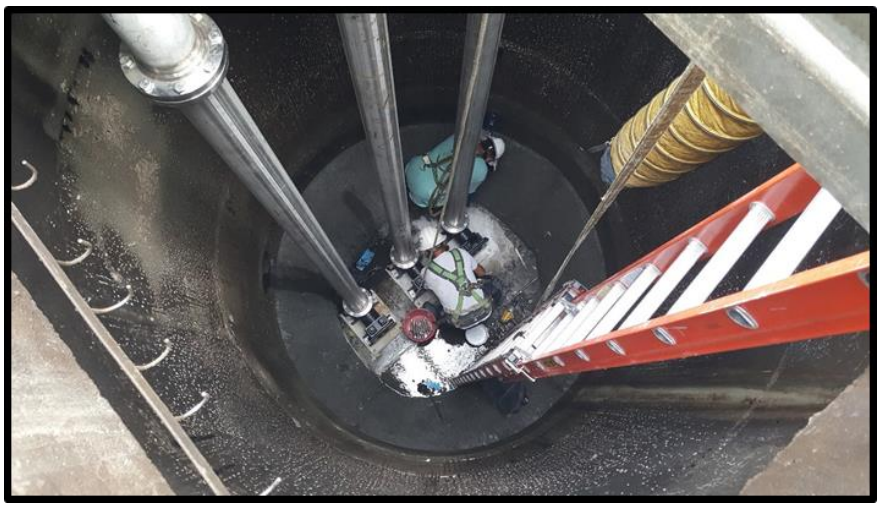


- Utility staff and the contractors worked a major rehabilitation of Pump Station B located near Holland Park on Florida Park Drive. The work being performed is part of scheduled R&R (Renewals and Replacements) for pump stations around the City of Palm Coast.

  This rehabilitation of this pump station included replacing of discharge piping and check valves



- Work starts with setting up bypass pumps. Due to the size of this station and the amount of flow it normally receives, it was necessary to use two bypass-pumps while the station was down for the rehab work.



- During installation of the new piping for the wet well, special attention gets paid to the area directly below where the pumps are attached. Any movement during the pumping process can cause cavitation and reduce the efficiency of the pump to properly remove water from the wetwell.

PHOTOS: The Palm Coast Arts Foundation unveiled TIFF the Turtle – the newest piece of Palm Coast's Art in Public Places – at Long Creek Nature Preserve on Tuesday. Pictured from left are artist Ron Lace (in the background) and sponsors Fred Allen, Rafael Medina, Terri Medina and Beth Allen.

I'm going to send you a second photo in a separate email. Let me know if you need more!

NEWS RELEASE – City of Palm Coast
Contact: Cindi Lane, Communications & Marketing Manager
386-986-3708; cell 386-214-4729
Oct. 26, 2018

Second Turtle Sculpture finds a home at Long Creek Nature Preserve

Palm Coast – Palm Coast's Long Creek Nature Preserve is a place where life slows down and speed doesn't matter – the most appropriate home for a second turtle sculpture in the Palm Coast Arts Foundation's new Turtle Trail public community art project.

At Tuesday's ceremony hosted by the Arts Foundation, TIFF the Turtle was added to The Turtle Trail at our City's treasured Long Creek Nature Preserve, 1050 Palm Harbor Pkwy., Palm Coast.

Sponsors Beth and Fred Allen and Terri and Rafael Medina, along with artist Ron Lace, proudly unveiled the beautiful loggerhead sea turtle to a crowd including community art supporters, Palm Coast Vice Mayor Robert Cuff, City Council Member Vincent Lyon and retired City Landscape Architect Bill Butler, who helped establish Palm Coast's Art in Public Places program and ran it for many years. Butler retired in October and, on Tuesday, he attended the unveiling with new City Landscape Architect Beth Dawson and her toddler son Finn.

TIFF's stained glass shell represents the artist's inspirational interpretation of the beautiful wildlife that is prevalent in the area. TIFF is inspired by American Art Nouveau artist Louis Comfort Tiffany (1848-1933), who is best known for his works in stained glass illustrating his ability to "paint" with glass.

Long Creek Nature Preserve is a nine-acre site in Palm Coast that offers fishing, kayaking, canoeing and a walking path in a tranquil, natural marsh-like setting on the east side of town. It is open seven days a week, so come see TIFF!

For more information on sponsoring one of PCAF's art turtles on The Turtle Trail, visit www.palmcoastartfoundation.com. You can also visit Turtle No. 1 – Claude – at the Arts Foundation outdoor stage at 1500 Central Ave. in Town Center.

For more information, please contact Palm Coast Communications & Marketing Manager Cindi Lane at clane@palmcoastgov.com and 386-986-3708.

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Prepare for an alien invasion at Palm Coast Hall of Terror on Oct. 30 & 31

Palm Coast – Prepare for an alien invasion at this year's Hall of Terror – the free, annual haunted fire house offered by the Palm Coast Fire Department!

The Department invites everyone to the 17th annual Hall of Terror on the evenings of Tuesday and Wednesday, Oct. 30 and 31. Doors creak open at Palm Coast Fire Station 21, 9 Corporate Drive, (behind Kohl's), from 7-9 p.m. Tuesday, Oct. 30, and 7-10 p.m. Wednesday, Oct. 31. Admission is free.

This year promises two nights of extra-terrestrial fright! The question "are we alone in the universe?" will be answered! Bring your friends and family and get ready to scream as we bring aliens from your favorite moments in pop culture to life.

This haunted house and show, with volunteer characters (many of whom are firefighters and other City employees), is recommended for ages 12 and older. No young children, please.

Hall of Terror is the longest-running Halloween attraction in the area. Enjoy theme-park quality scares that are absolutely free!

For more information about Hall of Terror, call the Fire Department at 386-986-2300.

PHOTO: Runner Adam Roseboom poses with Wishbone Jones – the Feet to Feast mascot – at the 2017 Thanksgiving Feet to Feast.

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A Palm Coast tradition: Thanksgiving Feet to Feast 5K Run/Walk is Nov. 22

Palm Coast – Get "Huffin' N Puffin' before all the Turkey N Stuffin'" at this year's Thanksgiving Feet to Feast 5K, presented by Palm Coast's Parks & Recreation on Thanksgiving morning, Thursday, Nov. 22. The race is sponsored by Florida Hospital Flagler and Palm Coast and the Flagler Beaches.

This event is a Thanksgiving Day tradition, taking runners and walkers along some of Palm Coast's most beautiful trails and walkways. The race will begin at 7:45 a.m. at the Flagler/Palm Coast Campus of Daytona State College, 3000 Palm Coast Pkwy SE, Palm Coast, and continue down and along the beautiful waterfront path on the Intracoastal Waterway and back through the tree-lined St. Joe Walkway. A free Kids Fun Run for ages 6 and younger will begin at 8:45 a.m.

It's time now to register, at www.palmcoastgov.com/FeettoFeast. Entry fees and registration deadlines are as follows:

- $25 early-bird registration – now through Nov. 12
- $35 regular registration – Nov. 13-21
- $40 day-of-race registration (cash or check only) – starting at 6:30 a.m. Nov. 22 at the Flagler/Palm Coast Campus of Daytona State College
- $20 for students K-12

Super-soft, long-sleeve T-shirts with the "Huffin' N Puffin' before all the Turkey N Stuffin'" slogan, as well as finisher medals for all participants, will be provided while supplies last. Prizes will be awarded to overall male and female winners with first-, second- and third-places also awarded in 15 age categories. Kids Fun Run participants will receive a ribbon.

Back by popular demand this year: a Thanksgiving-themed costume contest! Be sure to dress in your best Thanksgiving attire. Contest categories are cutest kid costume, best overall costume, best costumed couple, and best overall family costume. The Award Ceremony will begin immediately after the race. This includes race awards, as well as costume awards.

Packets can be picked up Nov. 19, 20 and 21 from 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Palm Coast Community Center, 305 Palm Coast Pkwy. NE, Palm Coast, and on the day of the race starting at 6:30 a.m. at the college.

Follow us to the Thanksgiving Fun! For more information, visit www.palmcoastgov.com/FeetToFeast or call Palm Coast Parks & Recreation at 386-986-2323.

Oct. 24, 2018

Temporary road closure: Pebble Beach Drive starting Friday, Oct. 26

Palm Coast – The City of Palm Coast Utility Department is planning a temporary road closure of Pebble Beach Drive, between 62 and 66 Pebble Beach, beginning Friday, Oct. 26, as it conducts an emergency sewer main repair.

Residents will be able to access their homes, but the road will be closed at that location and will be impassable. The Utility Department hopes to be able to reopen the road to traffic on Friday, Nov. 2.

The City of Palm Coast appreciates the patience and cooperation of residents and motorists during this important Utility project.

For more information, call Utility Systems Tech Lead Eric Serrano at 386-986-2372.

Oct. 26, 2018

Temporary road closure: Selborne Path on Oct. 29; Post Lane on Nov. 1

Palm Coast – The City of Palm Coast Public Works Department is planning two temporary road closures this week as it installs new drainage pipes.

From 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday, Oct. 29, the roadway in front of 14 Selborne Path will be closed for another day as the pipe replacement project is completed.

From 7:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Thursday, Nov. 1, the roadway in front of 14 Post Lane will be closed for a pipe replacement project.

Residents will have access to their homes, but the roads will be closed to through traffic at those location while the work is being done.

The City of Palm Coast appreciates the patience and cooperation of residents and motorists during these important drainage improvement projects.

For more information, call Customer Service at 386-986-2360.

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City of Palm Coast offers 2 Thanksgiving break camps for children, young teens

Palm Coast – Palm Coast Parks & Recreation is planning two fun camps to keep children and young teens entertained during the Thanksgiving break from school Monday through Wednesday, Nov. 19-21. Registration is required at least 48 hours in advance (while space available) at www.parksandrec.fun/camps.

The Fall Fun Camp for students in kindergarten through eighth grade will be filled with a variety of age-appropriate, themed activities such as arts and crafts, stories, recreational games and nature hikes. Camp runs 7:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. at Palm Coast Community Center, 305 Palm Coast Pkwy. NE., with extended care available 'til 6 p.m. Campers must bring their own lunch and snack each day. The cost is $25/day, plus $10 for extended care for the three days.

The Thanksgiving Break Tennis Camp, for youth ages 6-13, will use team games and activities to introduce campers to tennis and develop athletic skills while fostering a love for the sport. Camp will meet 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. at Belle Terre Park, 339 Parkview Drive, Palm Coast. Campers should come with athletic clothes and shoes, water bottle, sunscreen, lunch, snacks and drinks. The cost is $105 for the three-day camp, or $40/day. A sibling discount is available when the registrations for two or more siblings is done in the same transaction on the City's CivicRec registration system.

Palm Coast Parks & Recreation will also be offering its "Jack Frost-ivities" Holiday Break Camp and Tennis Winter Break Camp in December and January. Registration is now open for those camps, as well, at www.parksandrec.fun/camps.

For more information, call Palm Coast Parks & Recreation at 386-986-2323.

Graduation photo attached, along with a separate photo of graduates Christopher LaiGaie Jr., 11, and his mother, Miki LaiGaie. (The LaGiaies were a late to graduation due to an appointment and were not included in the group photo.)

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Palm Coast Citizen's Academy graduates 24 students in its 44th session

Palm Coast – Twenty-four Palm Coast residents graduated this month from the Palm Coast Citizen's Academy, including 11-year-old Christopher LaiGaie Jr. – the program's youngest ever graduate.

The Citizen's Academy is a comprehensive program designed to educate interested residents about the operation and workings of their City government. This fall's graduating class – the 44th in the program's history – spent five weeks learning about City departments and visiting City Hall, main Fire Station 25, Water Treatment Plant No. 3 and Wastewater Treatment Plant 2. The class also attended a Palm Coast City Council meeting together.

This session's graduates were Janet Baldwin, Mario Carmo, Kathleen Coleman, Linda Formisano, Nadja Hardy, Nicholas Krimm, Peggy Krimm, Christopher LaiGaie, Miki LaiGaie, Kim Manford, Sharon Mulvaney, Bill Nix, Jeanne Nix, Sheila Platt, Sherry Raffaele, Vinny Raffaele, Bill Shelly, Sue Shelly, Bob Schuch, Cathy Schuch, Deneese Taylor, Everet Taylor, Dianna Thackwell and Valerie Waine.

"The Citizen's Academy is one of the best ways to learn about our local government – about the City Council's goals for maintaining our high quality of life and well-run City services, for advancing our community's economic development and quality of life through new technology and innovation, and for understanding what goes into day-to-day operations of City government," said Palm Coast Mayor Milissa Holland. "We appreciate our Citizen's Academy graduates' interest and welcome them as the City's newest ambassadors."

The Citizen's Academy kicked off in September with an opening session titled, "Governing the City," providing background on Palm Coast's incorporation, City Charter, the Council-Manager form of government, and overall information about the City.

Participants in the Citizen's Academy received an overview on every City department and met City Council members, department directors and many other City employees. Interim City Manager Beau Falgout did a presentation on development projects – both public and private – currently under way in Palm Coast.

The Citizen's Academy meets once a week, usually on Monday evenings, for five straight weeks. The course is free and registration is limited to approximately 30 Palm Coast citizens per session.

Registration is now open for three sessions in 2019. Go to www.palmcoastgov.com and search for "Citizen's Academy."

For residents whose schedules don't allow for the in-person Citizen's Academy, the City also offers a Virtual Citizen's Academy. Visit www.palmcoastgov.com/vca. The Virtual Citizen's Academy includes an overview of the City government and separate modules on each of the City's departments.

For more information, contact Cindi Lane, Palm Coast Communications & Marketing Manager, at 386-986-3708 or clane@palmcoastgov.com.

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Learn the 'Facts and Myths about End-of-Life Care' at Coffee Series on Nov. 9

Palm Coast – Enjoy a good cup of coffee while enjoying two important, free presentations and meeting new friends and neighbors at the Palm Coast Parks & Recreation Coffee Series in November and December.

The monthly Coffee Series is sponsored by Florida Hospital Flagler, Parks & Rec's health and wellness event partner. It is held at the Palm Coast Community Center, 305 Palm Coast Pkwy. NE. The coffee and lecture are free, but pre-registration is required: www.parksandrec.fun/seniors.

On Friday, Nov. 9, from 9-10 a.m., learn about "Facts and Myths about End-of-Life Care" from Florida Hospital HospiceCare Director Rema Cole and HospiceCare Community Liaison Janice Moore. They'll discuss the facts and myths about end-of-life care. Attendees will learn about the options available for end-of-life care, how to identify the need for services, setting up five wishes for you and your loved ones and dispelling the myths and having open conversations about of end of life. Florida Hospital HospiceCare is the only faith-based and Joint Commission-accredited hospice in Volusia and Flagler counties.

On Friday, Dec. 7, from 9-10 a.m., Tammy Cornelius, the Cardiology Cath Lab Manager at Florida Hospital Flagler, will help you "Know Your Numbers. They Could Just Save Your Life." We know a lot of numbers by heart, but do you know the most critical numbers for your heart health? Cornelius will discuss heart health and the important numbers you need to know, as well as signs and symptoms of heart disease and peripheral vascular disease.

Please join us at the Community Center for these important topics. For more information, call Parks & Recreation at 386-986-2323.

Flagler Humane Society
CARING. COMMITTED. COUNTING ON YOUR HELP.

329 Cats | 76 Dogs | 2 Rabbits | 6 Guinea Pigs

Animals ready for homes

The winter season is quickly approaching, and that means holiday, quality time with the family, snowbirds, and cool weather. While Florida is one of the lucky states to not get drastically hit with shivering temperatures and consistent snowfall, this times of the year does bring along some environmental differences. A light jacket can easily be applied, or the heat can be turned up a notch in the house, but how does the winter season impact the family pets? Addressing one of the obvious precautions you can take during the cooler months in Florida in making sure your animals are not left outside. This is one of the most common mistakes a pet owner can make considering a lot of domesticated animals, especially cats, are considered "outdoor pets". Another thing to consider when it comes to "outdoor" pets is the fact that they can be commonly forgotten. Since this animal is not in view at all times, or their food and water bowls are out of sight, pet owners don't think about how their diet and exercise changes as it gets cooler out. **Donation Opportunities:** The *Flagler Humane Society Thrift Store* always accepts donations. They cannot take in any computers/printers or large appliances. Call 386-597-2839 and leave a message. Call for our new store location where we will soon be collecting donations.

"General Donations" can be dropped off anytime at your convenience. FHS appreciates all donations, especially those from our Wish List (available at flaglerhumanesociety.org/wish-list). You can also purchase items via the Amazon.com link on the FHS website and ship them directly to the shelter.

Outreach Adoption Events: Don't forget that FHS have volunteers and adoptable pets at Petco, PetSmart, PetSupermarket and Tractor Supply in Palm Coast. Stop by and see our adoptable pets!

Want to be a volunteer? Attend an orientation! Orientations are held at noon in the Humane Society education room every second Saturday of the month. Applications can be found on the FHS website.

Interested in fostering? Contact our adoption specialist at adopt@flaglerhumanesociety.org.

Adoption Specials: Check out the FHS Facebook for upcoming adoption specials. **Upcoming Fundraisers/Events:** See the FHS Website for information on our upcoming Putt for Paws Golf event. Be sure to check our website for information on the Yoga & a Movie event.

Offered Services: The Flagler Humane Society has a variety of *Subsidized Spay & Neuter Programs* for members of the community that need to have their pets or community pets sterilized. Please call FHS at 386-445-1814, email info@flaglerhumanesociety.org for questions.

FHS has a *Wellness Clinic* for minor veterinary issues. Call 386-445-1814 for Appointments. *Low Cost Vaccination Clinics* are held on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month from 1pm-3pm.

FHS also offers a *"Pet Food Pantry"* for those that are in need of assistance. Please call for more information.

To keep up with Flagler Humane Society happenings – visit us on the FHS Facebook/Twitter/Instagram/Website at www.flaglerhumanesociety.org, or via email at info@flaglerhumanesociety.org.

Pet of the Week

MURRAY

Murray is a 5 year old special gentleman in need of a loving home. He is already neutered, microchipped, and up to date on all vaccinations. He is a little dominate with dogs but could probably live with a submissive dog. He has been at the shelter since June.

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