

Welcome Wednesday News

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**Welcome Wednesday is
cancelled on December 28th
and January 4th. From our
District family to yours, we
wish you a safe & enjoyable
holiday!**

CDD Orientation

Please join us each Thursday at 10:00am at the District office located at 984 Old Mill Run to learn about how the Districts operate and other important community information. For additional information, please contact us at (352) 753-4508.

**** CDD Orientation is cancelled on December 22nd & 29th**



The following facility will be closed or have scheduled maintenance:

⇒ **Softball Complex Closures**

The Buffalo Glen, Knudson, Saddlebrook and Soaring Eagle Softball Complexes will be closed for maintenance until December 24th.

⇒ **Mulberry Dog Park**

The Mulberry Dog Park will be closed until December 23rd for maintenance.

⇒ **Saddlebrook Village Recreation Center**

The Saddlebrook Village Recreation Center, swimming pool, and picnic pavilion will be closed for renovations beginning January 2017 through early summer. The outdoor courts will remain open during this time. Please stay tuned to www.DistrictGov.org and future Welcome Wednesdays for additional information!

⇒ **Chatham Bocce Courts**

The Chatham Bocce Courts will be closed to replace the rails and scoreboards December 19th through December 22nd.

⇒ **Savannah Center Shuffleboard Courts**

The Savannah Center Shuffleboard Courts will be closed for resurfacing January 17th through February 5th.

⇒ **Allamanda Shuffleboard Courts**

The Allamanda Shuffleboard Courts will be closed for resurfacing January 3rd through January 9th.

⇒ **Lake Miona Recreation Center**

The Lake Miona Recreation Center will be closed for quarterly maintenance on January 7th.

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Property Management

Savannah Center Box Office Window

Pardon Our Dust! Construction for a box office window in the lobby of the Savannah Center should be complete on January 9, 2017!



Information Provided By SECO Energy

The decorative street and area light posts in The Villages are not designed to carry additional weight. Leaning a ladder on the posts or attaching holiday décor is a safety hazard. Please refrain from decorating the light posts and remove any existing décor.



A Message From...



Safety Reminders for the Holidays

Community Watch will be working around the clock throughout the holidays. We will be at full staffing levels in all phases of our operation: patrol, gate attendants, dispatch and gate ops.

A couple of safety reminders:

- If you will be away for the holidays, Community Watch offers a house check program for your consideration. For a small fee, a CW patrol driver will walk the perimeter of your home 3 times per week. If anything is not as it should be, we will contact you, your neighbor, or law enforcement if necessary. At the very least, have a neighbor keep an eye on your home while you are away.
- Indoor lights on timers are a great way to give the impression that someone is home.
- Cancel paper delivers or have your neighbor pick up your papers from the driveway.
- Track the delivery of your packages to be delivered to your home. Don't leave your packages sitting on your front doorstep for very long.

If you are having guests for the holidays that may be unfamiliar with The Villages, let them know that they can get assistance in the form of "word map directions" from any of the 21 manned gates. The attendants at the manned gates also have word map directions to neighborhoods behind unmanned gates. For additional information, please contact Community Watch at (352) 753-0550.



A Message From...

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LAKE SUMTER LINE





Just
\$5.00
Per Passenger
Per Cruise

**Boat tours with
Santa
Friday, December 23**

5 tours – 3p.m., 3:30p.m., 4p.m.,
4:30p.m., 5p.m.

A special holiday story will be told, with special treats for the kids. Drinks & holiday cookies will follow the cruise.

- Tickets available at any regional recreation center beginning Dec. 8 at 8:30a.m.
- First-come, first-served!
- Weather and lake conditions permitting.
- 16 passengers per tour.
- For more information call 751-7110.

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Holiday Recreation Center Closings

Saturday, December 24 - Fitness Clubs close at 1pm; Recreation Centers close at 6pm

Sunday, December 25 - Closed

Monday, December 26- Recreation Offices Closed, RSRs 8am-12pm at La Hacienda, Lake Miona & Eisenhower; Fitness Clubs Open 6:30am-8pm

Saturday, December 31- Resident Lifestyle Groups end at 1pm; Centers open as usual 7am-10pm

Sunday, January 1 - Closed

Monday, January 2 - Recreation Offices Closed, RSRs 8am-12pm at La Hacienda, Lake Miona & Eisenhower; Fitness Clubs Open 6:30am-8pm. The recreation centers, outdoor facilities, swimming pools and the Silver Lake and Saddlebrook Billiards halls will be open for your enjoyment.

The following sites are available for Guest ID cards & Executive Trail Fee Services during the holidays:

December 26 / January 2 - 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. La Hacienda, Lake Miona, Eisenhower

Guest ID card & Executive Trail Fee services will not be available Sunday, December 25, 2016 & Sunday, January 1, 2017. Regular services will resume Tuesday, January 3, 2017. For further information stop by or call your nearest Regional Recreation Center or call 674-1800.

Mark Your Calendar!!

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3.1 Mile (5K) Fun Run • 8:00a.m.

Saturday, Jan. 14

Second race of the Running of
the Squares 5K Series

- Medals awarded to all finishers
- Awards for first 3 finishers in each age group
- Awards for first 3 team finishers
 - Award for largest team



Register Now

Pre-registration until January 11.

Call 753-1716 for more information. Get more details and download the registration form at www.DistrictGov.org.

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Amenity Authority Committee

The January 11, 2017 meeting for the Amenity Authority Committee will be held at **6:00pm** at the Savannah Center. This evening meeting will replace their normally scheduled 9:00am meeting. They will resume their normally scheduled meeting time on February 8, 2017 at 9:00am.

Mark Your Calendar!



Community Development Districts

MEETING SCHEDULE: FISCAL YEAR 2016-2017

Wednesday before 2nd Friday of the Month

Meetings held at Savannah Center, Ashley Wilkes Room

AAC: 9:00 a.m.

Meetings held at the District Office

VCCDD: 2:00 p.m. VCDD No. 11: 3:00 p.m.

October 12, 2016 April 12, 2017

November 9, 2016 May 10, 2017

December 7, 2016 June 7, 2017

(AAC will meet at 6 p.m.) January 11, 2017 July 12, 2017

February 8, 2017 August 9, 2017

March 8, 2017 September 6, 2017

Thursday before 2nd Friday of the Month

Meetings held at the District Office

District 7: 8:00 a.m. District 12: 10:00 a.m.

October 13, 2016 April 13, 2017

November 10, 2016 May 11, 2017

December 8, 2016 June 8, 2017

January 12, 2017 July 13, 2017

February 9, 2017 August 10, 2017

March 9, 2017 September 7, 2017

2ND Friday of the Month

Meetings held at the District Office

VCDD No. 1: 8:00 a.m. VCDD No. 2: 9:30 a.m. VCDD No. 3: 11:00 a.m.

Meetings held at Savannah Center, Ashley Wilkes Room

VCDD No. 4: 1:30 p.m.

October 14, 2016 April 14, 2017

November 14, 2016* May 12, 2017

December 9, 2016 June 9, 2017

January 13, 2017 July 14, 2017

February 10, 2017 August 11, 2017

March 10, 2017 September 8, 2017

Thursday before the 3rd Friday of the Month

Meetings held at the District Office

NSCUDD: 8:30 a.m.

SLCDD: 10:00 a.m. BCDD: 11:30 a.m.

VCDD No. 9: 1:30 p.m. VCDD No. 10: 3:00 p.m.

October 20, 2016 April 20, 2017

November 17, 2016 May 18, 2017

December 15, 2016 June 1, 2017** (NSCUDD will meet 6/15/17)

January 19, 2017 July 20, 2017 (NSCUDD will meet 7/6/17)

February 16, 2017 August 17, 2017

March 16, 2017 August 31, 2017** (NSCUDD will meet 9/14/2017)

3rd Friday of the Month

Meetings held at the District Office

VCDD No. 5: 8:00 a.m. VCDD No. 6: 9:30 a.m. VCDD No. 8: 11:30 a.m.

October 21, 2016 April 21, 2017

November 18, 2016 May 19, 2017

December 16, 2016 June 2, 2017**

January 20, 2017 July 21, 2017

February 17, 2017 August 18, 2017

March 17, 2017 September 1, 2017**

*Date changed due to the Veterans Day Holiday

**Date changed to meet State budgetary deadlines

Revised: October 24, 2016

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Holiday Closures and Cancellations

The District Customer Service Center and all District Administrative offices will be closed on Monday, December 26, 2016 and Monday, January 2, 2017 for the holidays. In addition, please note the following holiday schedule information:

- Welcome Wednesday is cancelled on Wednesday, December 28th and Wednesday, January 4th
- CDD Orientation is cancelled on Thursday, December 22nd and Thursday, December 29th
- If you live in the Sumter County, Marion County or Fruitland Park portions of The Villages, your sanitation collection schedule will not be impacted by the holidays
- If you live in the Lady Lake portion of The Villages, please contact Waste Management at (352) 787-4416 for information on your sanitation collection. If you live in Lake County, please contact Lake County Solid Waste at (352) 343-3776.

For additional information, please contact the Customer Service Center at (352) 753-4508. From our District family to yours, we wish you a safe and enjoyable holiday!

