



City of DeBary Newsletter

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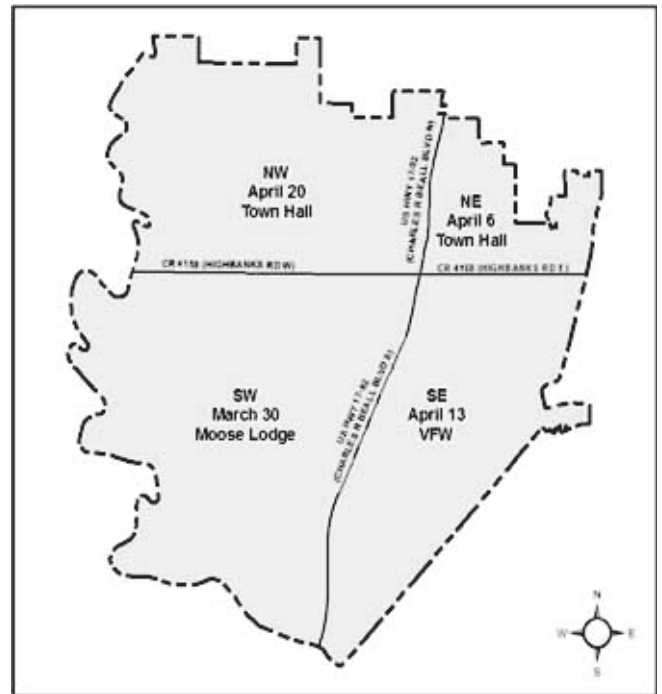
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AN INVITATION FROM MAYOR GARCIA TO ATTEND RESIDENT ROUNDTABLES

Mayor Garcia extends an invitation to all DeBary Residents and Business Owners serving DeBary to attend a Roundtable held specifically for your area. If you participate in the Roundtable, you will have the opportunity to express your opinion and make suggestions regarding how you see your City in the future. Your input will be the foundation of the City's Strategic Plan, e.g., infrastructure, financial areas, safety concerns, roadways, aesthetic improvement, economic issues, and historic preservation. All meetings will begin at 7 PM and end at approximately 9 PM. Please check the map for the boundaries for your area. No reservations are needed to attend a Roundtable. The Key to the Success and the Future of DeBary is You, the Residents. The Vision of the Strategic Plan can provide us a true guidance plan for projects and tax spending. It is a tool to be used with the Comprehensive Plan/Land Use Map leading to a brighter future. Do not allow this opportunity for your Voice to be heard pass you by. Let us come to the Roundtable and truly address the needs of Our Beloved DeBary.



New DeBary City Hall Grand Opening Ceremony

Saturday, March 21st
10 AM to Noon
16 Colomba Road



Bring your family and friends and join your Mayor, City Council and Staff to celebrate the Grand Opening and Dedication of our new City Hall. The Veterans of Foreign Wars DeBary Post #8093 Honor Guard will present the Flag followed by the Dedication Ceremony. Following the Dedication and a tour of the new Hall, please join us for a luncheon on the grill provided courtesy of Moose Lodge #655 with drinks courtesy of DeBary Walgreens. Please mark your calendar and come join us on this historic occasion. Our sincere thanks to our Sponsors: GAI Consultants, Inc., Hampton Inn, Moose Lodge #655, Professional Engineering Consultants, Inc., Shoemaker Construction, and DeBary Walgreens.

CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS

See debarry.org for meeting agendas/minutes. To view City Council meetings live and to view the archives of City Council meetings, see the website's Home Page Web Site Directory and select *City Council Meeting - Live Webcast*. Council meetings are held 1st and 3rd Wednesdays of each month at 7 PM at the new City Hall located at 16 Colomba Road.

From the Captain's Corner
Capt. Alan Osowski, VCSO

ALARM SYSTEMS

The purpose of the Volusia County Alarm Ordinance, Chapter 46 Emergency Services, Article IV, Alarm Systems is to place the responsibility on alarm users to prevent false alarms.

Prior to the installation or use of any type robbery or burglar alarm, the owner or manager of the premises shall furnish the Volusia County Sheriff's Office information regarding the full names, addresses, and phone numbers of at least 2 people who can be reached at all times and who are authorized to enter the premises and deactivate the alarm system. It shall be the responsibility of the owner or manager of the premises to notify the Sheriff's Office of any change in said information within 7 days thereof, including, but not limited to, the unavailability of any responder during any period of time.

Alarm Registration Cards are available at the Sheriff's Office located at 94 South US Highway 17/92 in DeBary. Tel. (386) 668-3830. (1) Failure to register alarm – Failure to turn off alarm within 30 minutes. \$25.00. (2) 3rd response to a false alarm within 6 months. \$50.00. (3) False alarms in excess of 2 within a 6-month period, where alarm user is required by law to have an alarm, \$100.00.

Visit the PET VET Cruiser (spay/neuter) For DeBary Residents Only
Tuesday, APRIL 28 **Wednesday, MAY 6**
Friday, MAY 22 **Thursday, JUNE 4**
9 AM to 4:30 PM Florence K. Little Town Hall, 12 Colomba Road

Volusia County's Pet Vet Cruiser is a state-of-the-art mobile veterinary clinic for pet owners, who qualify, to have their pets surgically sterilized. Pet Vet Cruiser follows the income requirements for the Florida Free Lunch program in use by public school systems in Florida and other community services to determine for which program an individual qualifies. Residents must show proof at the check-in desk on surgery day.

► Call the Appointment Line at 626-6643 to qualify.

A rabies vaccination will be given and a license issued for each animal that is not currently vaccinated and licensed. Proof of vaccination must be shown at the time of surgery if an animal is currently vaccinated.

Pet surgeries are performed in the morning. Drop off for pets is at 9 AM. Pets will be released to their owners the same afternoon. Call the appointment line at 626-6643 to schedule; this is a Deland number. Call-in times are between 10 AM to 3 PM Mondays through Fridays. When you call, please have the following information ready: Name, address, phone numbers, total household income, pet(s) name, sex, breed, color, age, weight and any allergy and/or vaccination history. If your pet does not have a current rabies vaccination, the cost is \$5.00 for a vaccination and a County of Volusia license.

► Please call 626-6643 if you cannot keep your appointment.

Weather Radios for Seniors (while supplies last)

Saturday, March 28
9 AM to Noon

DeBary City Hall
16 Colomba Road

Free Weather Radios will be available for DeBary residents who have the Senior Property Tax Exemption. The radios will be distributed from City Hall (16 Colomba Road) on Saturday, March 28th from 9 AM to Noon. In order to receive your free NOAA Weather Radio, residents must have identification showing their address as well as their property tax bill showing the tax exemption.

For information on the City's recreational activities, contact Parks & Recreation Coordinator Michelle. (386) 668-2040 or email mleach@debary.org

Father and Daughter Dance MARDI GRAS

DeBary Elementary School Students Only
Friday, March 27 Florence K. Little Town Hall
6-9 PM Tickets at City Hall - 1st come, 1st served!

PLAYGROUND PALS

An interactive 6-week program for 2 - 3 year olds and their parents

Registration Dates: April 13 thru 24th 2 pm to 5 pm
Florence K. Little Town Hall, 12 Colomba Road

► Story time, arts & crafts, physical games, snacks and playground time (with parents).

Fee: \$20 per child (snacks included) Bring Birth Certificate.

Program dates: Thursday May 7th through June 11th

Locations: Week 1-Gateway Park, Week 2-Power Park, Week 3-Bill Keller Park, Week 4-Gateway Park, Week 5-Eagles Nest Park and Week 6-Bill Keller Park.

DeBary Summer Camp

Summer Camp is an 8-week program.

Summer Camp is for children entering 1st Grade through entering 5th Grade

Registration Dates: May 4 thru May 29
Registration times will vary - Call Michelle at 668-2040
Florence K. Little Town Hall, 12 Colomba Road

Cost: \$60 per week - Space is limited

Camp location: Florence K. Little Town Hall

Dates - June 15 to August 7

Weekdays 7:30 AM - 5:30 PM

Activities will include field trips, indoor and outdoor sports, arts and crafts, movies, and more. Counselors are needed!

For additional information on Summer Camp, contact Parks & Recreation Coordinator Michelle. (386) 668-2040 or email mleach@debary.org

Mother and Son Dance LUAU

DeBary Elementary School Students Only
Friday, May 8 Florence K. Little Town Hall
6-9 PM Tickets at City Hall - 1st come, 1st served!

50+ CROWD Every Monday Noon to 3 PM

At the DeBary Civic Center, 38 South Shell Road

Free Free Free Free Free Free

Enjoy a free afternoon of cards, games, and music. No reservations are needed. Bring friends or meet new ones! It's a pleasant way to spend an afternoon.

Gateway Orchestra Presentation

Friday, March 20 Gateway Center for the Arts
8 PM 880 N. Highway 17/92

Conducted by Rick Dwyer, the Gateway Orchestra will perform "*Musical Movie Magic.*"

The Gateway Orchestra is always looking for new members. If you play an instrument at an intermediate or above level, please call Rick Dwyer at (386) 668-8106 or email to Rick Dwyer at rick@gatewayorchestra.com.

GARAGE SALE

**Veterans of Foreign Wars
DeBary Post 8093**

Saturday, March 21 DeBary Post 8093
8 AM to 2 PM 351 S. Highway 17/92

The DeBary Post, assisted by the Ladies Auxiliary, is hosting a gigantic garage sale. Please bring your donated items as soon as possible to the Post.

Tables are available for \$10 if you would rather sell your items instead of donating to the Post. For table reservations, Contact Janice Mears at either Cell (407)383-9999 or (407) 324-2078 or email Janm1957@aol.com

Hot dogs and drinks will be available for purchase. All donations go to the benefit of the Post.

DeBary VOLUNTEER FIREMEN'S PANCAKE BREAKFAST

Sunday, April 5
7:30 AM to 11:30 AM
Florence K. Little Town Hall
12 Colomba Road



All are welcome to attend a breakfast among friends. The DeBary Volunteer Firemen's Association invites you to attend their Pancake Breakfast of flapjacks, scrambled eggs, sausage patties, coffee and orange juice. Come on out and enjoy this breakfast cooked by your very own Volunteer Firefighters. Donations are appreciated and all donations collected are used to support the DeBary Volunteer Firemen's Association. Bring the entire family - Bring your friends and enjoy a relaxing breakfast.

Clean Up DeBary Day Hazardous Waste Collection Day

Saturday, April 4th
9 AM to 3 PM

Rain or Shine

Florence K. Little Town Hall
12 Colomba Road

Clean out your garage, shed, carport or yard, or pick up litter in your neighborhood. You may drop off your cleanup items beginning at 9 AM at Town Hall. Hazardous Material Collection includes paint, lawn & pool chemicals, batteries, pesticides, etc. For more information, please call the City's Safety Coordinator Alan Williamson (386) 668-2040 weekdays 8:30 AM - 5 PM. Tires, appliances, household garbage or yard waste are NOT included.

Reminder: A BURN BAN IS IN EFFECT

An outdoor burn ban is in effect in the City of DeBary until further notice. All outdoor burning is banned, unless authorized by the Florida Division of Forestry. As per the Volusia County Fire Services Director, the current drought condition constitutes atmospheric conditions and local circumstances such that outdoor fires, if not properly contained and controlled, could lead to wildfires that would pose a severe threat to residents and visitors.

Banned: Burning of yard trash, household paper products, bonfires, campfires, warming fires, and cooking fires. The only exception is outdoor cooking done with a contained gas or charcoal grill (excluding a fire pit).

The setting of fires to any brush or forest-covered land, unless authorized by the Florida Division of Forestry, shall constitute a violation of the law.

Needles and Diabetic-testing Strips

The Volusia County Health Department provides a sharps program for users of insulin and other injectable medications. Residents may drop off needles and diabetic testing strips in approved red sharps containers without charge at these Volusia County Health Department Environmental Health offices:

121 W. Rich Avenue, DeLand (386) 822-6250 or 3151 Howland Boulevard, Deltona (386) 789-7507

Sharps containers can be purchased in the Environmental Health offices. The cost is \$3 for a 1.5-quart container, or \$5 for an 8-quart container.

TRASH COLLECTION BEGINS AT 6 AM

Call Waste Pro at 1-800-640-6875 for delivery of *recycling bins* and for *Special Pickup* of A/C Units, Clothes Washers & Dryers, Freezers, Ranges, Refrigerators, Water Heaters and Dishwashers. Special Pickup days are now WEDNESDAYS.

BOOK SALE

By DeBary Public Library Association, Inc.

Saturday, May 9 9 AM to 3 PM
DeBary Public Library 200 N. Hwy. 17/92

DVD's, VHS's, and CD's will be for sale. Books will sell for no more than \$3. Profits will be used for children's Library programs and future library expansion. Sale will be in the Library auditorium.



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