



City of DeBary Newsletter

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Presenting "ASCO" DeBary's new K9



Pictured above are Sheriff's Office Deputy Persio Genao and ASCO - DeBary's new K9.

The City's former K9, DeBary K9 BRIT was medically retired on June 6, 2009 having suffered an injury during training. Many thanks to all the organizations and individuals who held fundraisers and generously donated to purchase a new K9 partner for the Volusia County Sheriff's Office and the City of DeBary. Asco is a purebred German Shepherd and is 2 1/2 years old.

DeBary Enters Fire Services Agreement with Orange City



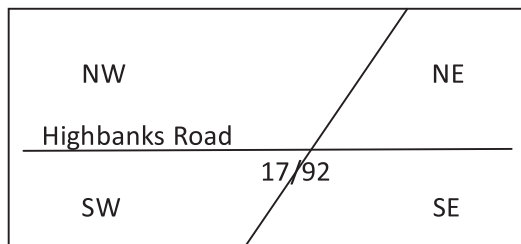
As of November 6, 2009, the interlocal agreement between the cities of Orange City and DeBary for provision of municipal fires services by Orange City to the City of DeBary went into effect. The agreement shall continue in effect until September 30, 2012, the date of signature by the parties notwithstanding, unless earlier terminated. The parties may, by mutual agreement, renew this Agreement upon the same or modified terms. Orange City shall provide two fully equipped and staffed fire stations: *DeBary Station* located at 93 S. Hwy 17/2 and *Orange City Station* at 743 Harley Strickland Blvd.

3rd Annual CHRISTMAS Lighting Display Contest

If you plan to decorate your home with lights or a display, you may want to enter the City's CHRISTMAS Lighting Display Contest. Entry forms are available at DeBary City Hall on Weekdays from 8:30 AM to 5 PM.

By Friday, November 27th, please fax entry forms to DeBary Parks and Recreation at Fax (386) 668-9743 or mail forms to City of DeBary Parks and Recreation Department, 16 Colomba Road, DeBary, Florida 32713.

Judging will take place December 1st through December 10th for Winners of 1st, 2nd, and 3rd Place for NE, NW, SE, and SW quadrants of the City.



WATCH CITY COUNCIL MEETINGS "LIVE"

See debary.org for meeting agendas/minutes. To view City Council meetings LIVE and to view the City Council meeting archives, 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 DeBary City Hall located at 16 Colomba Road.

PUBLIC NOTICE – 2010 CENSUS

The 2010 Census has now begun and the City of DeBary wants you to know how to determine that it is in fact a federal census employee at your door on or on the phone so that you can feel confident in answering their questions. Here is some very important information for you to be aware of as the 2010 Census workers begin their door-to-door canvassing.

1. Census workers will carry a badge, a handheld device, a Census Bureau canvas bag, and a confidentiality notice. **PLEASE ASK THEM FOR THEIR BADGE AND IDENTIFICATION BEFORE TALKING TO THEM.**
2. Census workers will NOT ask for social security numbers, bank account numbers, credit card numbers, or any specific account information.
3. Census workers will NOT solicit for donations - do not give anyone any money.
4. Census Workers will NOT contact you by email - do not respond by email to anyone claiming to be with the US Census.
5. Census Workers will NOT ask to come into your homes and you should not invite them.

Your response to the 2010 Census is very important to the financial future of our City, so please take the time to answer Census questions. We strongly encourage you to use the information above for your protection.

DeBary Parks and Recreation

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

3 – v s – 3 BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Ages 10 – 14 Co-ed

Elementary & Middle School Students Only

► **Registration: December 7 through 18**

DeBary City Hall, 16 Colomba Road

Weekdays 8:30 AM - 5:00 PM

\$40 per child

Games: January 23 through March 13

Saturday mornings at Bill Keller Park

► **Meet and Greet** at 10 AM on January 9

at Bill Keller Basketball Courts, 338 ½ Colomba Road

MOVIES in the Morning

Florence K. Little Town Hall, 12 Colomba Road

Last Wednesday of every month F R E E

9 AM to Noon - for Adults over 30

December 30 thru September 29 No registration needed.

Movies will begin between 9:15 AM and 9:30 AM

Please come to Town Hall by 9 AM.

Movies from 1950's & 1980's rated PG-R.

Movies will be rented from Blockbuster or Netflix.

Bagels/refreshments will be available to attendees.

Please contact DeBary Parks and Recreation Dept. at

(386) 668-2040 for movie titles.

PILATES CLASSES Classes are for anyone over the age of 10.

Registration: Ongoing – DeBary City Hall, 16 Colomba Road 8:30 AM to 5 PM Cost per class: \$8.00

If signing up on site, please arrive 1/2 Hour prior to class start time.

Classes will be held at Florence K. Little Town Hall located at 12 Colomba Rd.

Session I (6 classes) Tuesdays 6 – 7 PM from December 1 to January 5.

Session II (6 classes) Fridays 8 – 9 AM from December 4 to January 22. No classes on December 25 or on January 1.

For more information, call Lauren Sylvester of Pilates 407-443-1102 or

DeBary Parks and Recreation Department (386) 668-2040.

DeBary's 2009 CHRISTMAS PARADE

Sunday, December 13th beginning at 3 PM

Theme of the Parade is "Christmas Memories."

The Parade Route is Spring Vista Drive, heading north along South Highway 17/92 and ending at Poinsettia Drive.

Bring your family and friends and come watch the City's Christmas Parade with the Grand Marshal, the Deltona High Blue Brigade Band, Bahia Shriners, the Sheriff's office, and many more. Santa will arrive with the DeBary Fire Department. Entries will be judged on originality, theme and overall appearance. ♦Entry forms at City Hall. Submit by December 1st. ♦Trophies will be presented to 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place winners in each of the following categories: Adult Civic - Youth Civic - School - Adult/Youth - Commercial. Contact DeBary Parks & Recreation Dept. for further information (386) 668-2040.

ANNUAL TOY DRIVE "CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS"

by DeBary Civic Association and the City of DeBary

December 18th is the **Last Day** to drop off New toys and gifts for boys and girls ages 2 to 14. Toys, gifts or donations can be dropped off at Florence K. Little Town Hall, 12 Colomba Road, in the front foyer on Weekdays 9 AM to 5 PM. Town Hall is located just behind the Fire Station.

To put your children on the "*CHRISTMAS FOR KIDS*" list to receive toys and gifts, call Sharon or Kim at (386) 479-3997. For further information on the Toy Drive, please call Sharon or Kim at (386) 668-2886.



DeBary Hall Historic Site Sunrise Blvd.

**Old-Fashioned Holiday Celebration Beginning
Thanksgiving Week Through New Year's Day**



Enter the Spirit of the Holiday Season with a Tour of DeBary Hall and let your senses marvel as the Mansion comes alive with the signs, sounds and smells of a Victorian Christmas. Each room of the mansion will be decorated with a different tree in Victorian theme. Seasonal artworks will be on display at the Stable. Come and enjoy this Christmas celebration of a bygone era. **Tour Hours are Tuesdays through Saturdays 10 AM to 4 PM. Sunday Hours are Noon to 4 PM.** Tours are \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors, \$2 for children 3 – 12. For more information, call (386) 668-3840 or (386) 736-5953.

GATEWAY CENTER FOR THE ARTS - 880 North Highway 17/92

2nd Annual Children's Christmas Workshop December 9 4:00 to 5:30 PM

On early school release Wednesday, December 9th, students ages 6 – 12 are invited to attend this fun Workshop to make Christmas Tree puppets and other Holiday projects. All materials will be provided. The Workshop includes Seasonal Snacks for the children.

Cost is \$10 for one child and \$8 for siblings. Spaces for these workshops fill quickly, so please call the Center at (386) 668-5553 early to reserve your child's space.

"The Nutcracker Ballet"

7 PM Saturday, Dec.12 2 PM Sunday, Dec.13

GCA and Academy Center for the Arts will present the classical ballet, "*The Nutcracker*". This is a shortened version and is designed especially for the very young and young-at-heart and is guaranteed to be a delightful inauguration to the Holiday Season. A Sugar Plum Tea will follow the ballet. Refreshments will be served. Children can have photos taken with the Sugar Plum Fairy.

Tickets \$15 in advance. \$12 for members, \$18 at the door. Call the Center at (386) 668-5553.

SENIORS ICE CREAM SOCIAL

Monday, December 14 Noon to 3 PM Florence K. Little Town Hall 12 Colomba Road

Enjoy an afternoon of door prizes, games, cards, music and lots of Ice Cream! Interesting speakers add to our 50+ Gatherings. The Social is FREE and no reservations are needed. Bring a friend and plan on making new friends. The 50+ Crowd meets every Monday from Noon to 3 PM. This year-round event is **Free** and no reservations are needed. Please call DeBary Parks and Recreation at (386) 668-2040 if you have any questions.

WASTE PRO HOLIDAY PICKUP SCHEDULE

- ▶ ▶ Yard Waste, Recycling & Garbage collections normally scheduled for Friday, December 25th will be picked up **Saturday, December 26th**.
- ▶ ▶ Collections scheduled for Friday, January 1st will be picked up **Saturday, January 2nd**.

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.**

Citizen Observer Program

Are you interested in volunteering your time to help control crime and keep Volusia County a safe place to live, work and play? If you are, the Volusia County Sheriff's Office is recruiting new volunteers who want to take an active role in working to help stop crime in our community by serving in the Citizen Observer Program (C.O.P.)

The unarmed mobile patrols keep a sharp eye for any suspicious activity and notify lawmen through radios in their vehicles that are used to contact a base station operator. The base station operator then contacts the Sheriff's Communications Center, where Deputies are dispatched for response if necessary.

C.O.P. members may find themselves performing many of the following activities: Homeland Security - Traffic Control - Assisting at Emergencies - Performing House Watches - Fingerprinting children - Distributing Vials of Life – Setting up radar speed-measuring trailers - logistical support – Speaking to Neighborhood Watch groups.

Anyone wishing to become a C.O.P. volunteer must apply for membership and undergo a complete background check, including a drug screen, photograph and a fingerprint check. Upon satisfactory completion of the entry process, each candidate must complete 40 hours of basic training conducted by instructors with the Volusia County Sheriff's Office. When the candidates complete their training, they are issued uniforms and a photo identification card. The I.D. cards are renewed annually for all members who volunteer at least 120 hours per membership year. You may download an application for membership at www.volusia.org/sheriff/volunteer.htm or you may call Coordinator Tim Lamprey (386) 736-5961 or email tlamprey@vcsso.us.

FARMERS MARKET – Vendors wanted

OPEN Every Saturday 8:00 AM to 2 PM Gateway Center for the Arts Highway 17/92 & Saxon Blvd.

- Valued-priced Breads & Goods ● Gourmet Pasta ● Produce: Fresh Fruits and Vegetables ● Pet Supplies
- Plants & Shrubs ● Fresh Seafood ● Gourmet Coffee, Royal Scones, Cold Drinks & Snacks

For Information & Vendor inquiries, call Robert Rinaldo at 407-443-6965 or email rrinaldo@comcast.net.

KARATE CLASSES COMING TO DeBARY

The City of DeBary Parks and Recreation Department and Premier Martial Arts will be co-sponsoring two new programs in 2010! Look out for Youth Karate Classes (ages 7-12) and Adult Self-Defense Classes to be held at the Florence K. Little Town Hall! Further information will be made available via the website at a later date!



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