

February 7, 2018 11:00 A.M.

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# Welcome Wednesday News



## **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.** 



The Villages® Community Development Districts Property Management

# The following facilities will be closed or have scheduled maintenance:

## ⇒ Sterling Heights Recreation Center

The Sterling Heights Recreation Center will be closed for quarterly cleaning on February 17th.

## ⇒ Canal Street Recreation Center

The Canal Street Recreation Center will be closed for quarterly maintenance on Saturday, February 17th.

## ⇒ Fish Hawk Recreation Center

The Fish Hawk Recreation Center will be closed for quarterly cleaning on Sunday, February 18th.

### ⇒ Rohan Recreation Center Sports Pool

The Sports Pool at the Rohan Regional Recreation Center is currently closed for maintenance.

### ⇒ Rohan Recreation Center

The Rohan Recreation Center will be closed for quarterly maintenance on Saturday, February 10th.



## What's Happening in Your District The Villages Community Development Districts District 9 Ribbon Curbing – Clifford Villas

Beginning on or about February 12, 2018, ribbon curbing will begin in Clifford Villas. This curbing will inhibit the growth of grass into the asphalt on the streets. Although only one side of the road will be closed at any given time, access to driveways MAY be impacted. The sections to be worked on will be marked with red chalk at least one day before the work begins. Work in front of any particular home will occur over a 3 day period and then work will move to the next section. Any inconvenience to any home site should be limited to a maximum of three days.

## All irrigation must be turned off the day before the work begins. Any water on the streets will cause unnecessary delays and expenses.

Please respect the areas that are secured by either cones or tape. Any damage caused by going through these areas will cause additional delays and expense, which may be charged to the homeowner.

Inclement weather can and will cause these dates to be changed.

While there may be some preliminary work done prior to the actual start date this should not impact your entry and exit from your homes.



The Castille Company will be parking vehicles in the visitor parking area during this installation. If you have any questions, need additional information, or have any special needs, please contact District Property Management at (352) 753-4022.







# Now accepting applications for the new speaker series!

The Enrichment Academy will debut a new speaker series beginning in April 2018. Speakers are invited to present and educate a crowd on leading-edge research, historical events, innovative techniques, emerging trends, or real-life experiences.

Visit www.DistrictGov.org for more information about how to become a speaker.

#### REGISTER ONLINE TODAY at www.DistrictGov.org

The Villages Senior Games continue to grow and provide fun, fellowship, fitness and competition for all Villages residents. The focus of The Villages Senior Games is not winning, but participating.

•Encouraging and promoting healthy lifestyles for Villages residents.

•Providing Villages residents with the opportunity to compete at the local, state and national levels.

•Providing Villages residents with an affordable and quality multi-sport festival they can call their own Games.

Senior Games 2018 will be held Monday, April 23, 2018 through Sunday, April 29, 2018. Brochures & registration information are available at all Recreation Centers or you can visit the Recreation page on Districtgov.org.



The Villages 😁 Recreation & Parks

352-674-1800







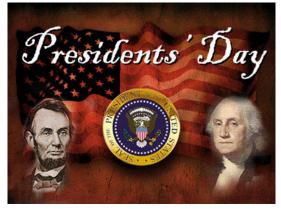
#### Running of the Squares— Spanish Springs

Registration is now open for the March 31st Running of the Square 5K at the Spanish Springs Town Square!

For information, please visit https:// runsignup.com/Race/FL/LadyLake/ RunningtheSquaresSpanishSprings

#### **Holiday Information**

The District Customer Service Center and all District administrative offices will be closed on Monday, February 19, 2018 in observance of Presidents' Day. We will resume normal business hours on Tuesday, February 20th. Sanitation and recycling collection will not be impacted.



## **Safety First!**



### **Community Development Districts**

The safety of residents and guests in The Villages is a high priority for your District Government. You can help do your part by adhering to the following rules and suggestions when travelling the community in your golf cart

- Obey all traffic laws, signs and signals
- Come to a complete stop at all stop signs / stop bars and proceed with caution when it is clear
- Do not exceed 20 mph in your golf cart
- Avoid distractions such as texting
- Pay attention to all signage indicating where golf carts can and cannot travel
- If you see something that needs attention on the multi-modal path, report it to Customer Service at (352) 753-4508

We encourage everyone to slow down and enjoy the ride! For additional information on golf cart safety or to view a helpful video, please visit www.DistrictGov.org.







## You're Invited to a Storm Water Management Workshop

FEBRUARY 26, 2018 • 3PM Rohan Recreation Center - 850 Kristine Way *or* March 2, 2018 • 3PM Savannah Center - 1545 Buena Vista Boulevard

FREE EVENT - TICKETS REQUIRED Tickets Available January 2, 2018 at all Box Office Locations and at www.TheVillagesEntertainment.com

Are you wondering how the Storm Water Systems work throughout The Villages Community?

Do you understand the source of your irrigation water?

Are you interested in environmental stewardship?

A staff and consultant team comprised of water resource engineers and environmental specialists will be available to address your questions. *The material at each workshop will be identical.* 

#### \*\*\* Tickets are no longer available for the workshop on February 26th

## Information Provided by...

The Villages® Community Development Districts Executive Golf

In a continuing effort to ensure the sustainability of Executive Golf Courses into the future, renovations and updates are continuing. Outside structural and landscape renovations are now complete at the Sunset Point Starter Facility. The upgrades include the removal of azaleas and replanting with split leaf philodendron. Burford hollies were added in the golf cart parking areas and the large oak trees were selectively thinned. Inside upgrades including kick plates on all doors and interior painting of the starter shack and restroom are scheduled to begin this month. These upgrades improve the function and aesthetics of this area for our golfing community.



The Villages® Community Development Districts District 2

Bill Schikora, a Supervisor from Village Community Development District No. 2 is hosting monthly Q&A meetings designed for residents of District 2. These meetings will be held on the 4th Tuesday of the month from 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. at the Santiago Recreation Center on Enrique Drive. The next meeting will be held on **February 27, 2018**.

\*\* Please note that the August session will be held on 8/28/2018 at Savannah Center and the October session will be held on 10/24/2018 at the Savannah Center.

## **Information Provided by...**

The Villages Community Development Districts District 4

## **District 4 - Q&A Meeting!**

In order to improve communications, each month residents have an opportunity to "chat" with a Supervisor of District 4. Residents are able to sit down together to discuss any topics they would like pertaining to District 4.

The purpose of the meetings is to provide residents with the opportunity to ask questions, get answers, share their concerns, offer suggestions and address rumors.

These "Q&A Meetings" provide an informal setting with no agenda, no scheduled speakers and no microphones.

- All meetings will be held in the Liberty Room at Mulberry Grove Recreation Center
- Meetings begin at 7:00 PM and end at 9:00 PM. (All residents are invited to attend the entire meeting to listen to other residents' questions, but each resident may arrive and depart on their own schedules.)
- Because residents choose the topics, each meeting will be different.

This month's meeting will be held on:

- **Monday, February 12th** Don Deakin, Supervisor and AAC Representative for District 4, will be the host for this meeting.
- **Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>** Jim Murphy, Supervisor and Past Chair for District 4, will be the host for this meeting.

For more information, call District 4 Supervisor Don Deakin at 750-5395; or send an Email to: <u>DRDeakin@aol.com</u> or <u>Don.Deakin@DistrictGov.org</u>

## Information Provided by Sumter County Sheriff's Office



# OPERATION MEDICINE CABINET

The Sumter County Sheriff's Office, in partnership with The Village Fire Rescue will be sponsoring Operation Medicine Cabinet. This will give Sumter County residents a chance to dispose of unused or expired prescriptions.

The event will be held on Saturday March 10th, 2018 at The Villages Winn Dixie Supermarket at 820 Old Camp Rd, The Villages, 32162.

Deputies and Firefighters will be on hand to retrieve the discarded medicines from 9am to 2pm.

Proper disposal prevents the medicine from being stolen or abused. Thrown into the garbage, pharmaceuticals can wind up leeching into the environment. Flushed down a toilet the medicines can contaminate groundwater supply. Disposing of unused or expired medicine will also keep children and grandchildren from getting into the prescriptions.

Operation Medicine Cabinet provides a safe way of destroying pharmaceuticals through incineration, to avoid polluting the environment. Help us keep medications from getting into the wrong hands or our water supply. Information Provided by the VHA

## **GOLF CART SAFETY CLINIC**

## YOU ARE INVITED

## WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 21

#### 9:00 AM

## SAVANNAH RECREATION CENTER

## **NOTE CHANGE OF LOCATION THIS MONTH**

### **ALL VILLAGERS WELCOME**

#### SAFETY TIPS

#### CART MAINTENANCE

#### **INSURANCE INFORMATION**

#### COME JOIN US FOR COFFEE AND GOLF CART DRIVING TIPS



#### **Information Provided by the VHA** The Villages Home Owners Association Presents a "FREE" COMMUNITY ELECTRONIC RECYCLING EVENT Saturday, February 24, 2018 9:00 AM - 2:00 PM Please bring all items to the drop off area in the parking lot of Publix at Lake Deaton Plaza **Items Accepted:** ✓ Video Game Systems/Consoles, Controllers ✓ Flat Screen Monitors Camera (Photo/Video Equipment) LCD & Plasma TV's Network Equipment (Routers, Modems, Servers, Computers (Desktops and Laptops) etc.) Computer components (Mice, Keyboards, ✓ Digital TV Boxes (TIVO, Direct TV, etc.) Speakers, External Drives, Cards, etc.) ✓ Main Frames, Servers, Docking Stations, Network ✓ Stereo Systems (Speakers, Amplifiers, etc.) Radios, Tape Players Hubs ✓ VCR's, DVD Players, Blu-Ray Players ✓ Chargers for Laptop Computers, Digital Cameras, ✓ Musical Equipment (Guitar/Bass Amplifiers & etc.) Effects, etc.) ✓ Printers, Fax Machines, Scanners and Copiers ✓ All Types of Wire, Cables, Cords, Connectors & ✓ Toner/Ink Cartridges (contained within equipment) Adapters or unit) Microwaves, Small Household Appliances ✓ Telephones, Cell Phones & Desk Phones (and ✓ Commercial Copiers telecom equipment) Fitness Equipment MP3 Players, Ipods, etc. ✓ Batteries, Uninterrupted Power Supplies (personal & PA Systems, Loud Speakers, etc. network) NO ALKALINE BATTERIES ACCEPTED! ✓ Electronic Circuit Boards and Components Please note that we DO NOT accept Hazardous Materials such as: HID or Fluorescent Light Bulbs, Liquids of any kind, Fuel-containing devices, Fluid-containing devices, Pressurized Tanks, Radioactive Materials, CRT TV's, CRT Monitors, Floppy Disks or CD's, Alkaline Batteries! Services are provided by MPact Services, LLC. For more information regarding this event and/or acceptable items, please contact: Matt McCarty @ 813-601-6221, mmccartv1029@email.com or visit our website @ www.mpactservicesusa.com

