

Hogeye Disc Golf Course  
opened under sunny skies  
on Wednesday, January 17



## DISTRICT WEEKLY BULLETIN

JANUARY 18, 2024

**The Villages®**  
Community Development Districts

**Winter Recreation Social Leagues**  
League registration continues through  
January 24, 2024 at all At Your Service  
Centers. The full schedule of offerings  
can found on the District website or  
stop by a Recreation Center for a  
brochure.

**Spring Craft Show**  
Showcase your homemade crafts at the  
Spring Craft Show. The deadline to  
apply is Thursday, February 15, 2024.  
Residents of The Villages ONLY

### Satellite Offices New Hours of Operation

Effective January 1, 2024,  
District Customer Service  
Satellite Offices are open 8  
am-12 pm and 1 pm-5 pm  
Monday through Friday.  
Please contact Customer  
Service at 352-753-4508 for  
any questions.



# Sumter County Amnesty Day

Saturday, January 20, 2024 8 AM to 2 PM

Lake Okahumpka Park, 6085 E SR 44, Wildwood, FL 34785

## Sumter County Residents Only

### What to Bring:

Automotive Fluids and batteries, cleaners, fertilizers, fluorescent lamps and Mercury containing devices, fungicides, gas (old gas & old gas cans), herbicides, paint removers and thinners, latex & oil based paints, household electronics (TVs, VCRs, computers, etc.), pesticides, pool chemicals, propane tanks (25 lbs), solvents, smoke detectors, rechargeable household batteries, wood preservatives.

### What NOT to Bring:

Biological/Infectious waste, empty paint cans, explosives, tires, radioactive waste

**For more information, visit Sumter County website at [Sumter County Gov Amnesty Day](#)**

## HOW TO PACKAGE AND TRANSPORT CHEMICALS

Do NOT mix chemicals together.

Keep products in original labeled containers if possible.

Place containers into cardboard boxes to prevent breakage.

Place leaky containers in clear plastic bag and transport in box with newspaper.

Put boxes in trunk or back of vehicle away from passengers.



## e-Billing AVAILABLE

e-Billing is available for your monthly water, trash and amenity bill! By signing up for e-Bill, we will no longer send you a monthly paper statement. To utilize e-Billing, please visit [DistrictGov.org](https://DistrictGov.org) and click on the “Sign up for e-Billing” quick link. After signing up, a confirmation email will be sent to you within 7 business days. If you have questions or concerns, please email [Utilities@DistrictGov.org](mailto:Utilities@DistrictGov.org) or call Utility Billing at 352-750-0000.

### Peak Participation Program

Each center and activity have pre-determined attendance/participation capacities set by the Recreation & Parks Department who takes into consideration the activity content and social distancing depending on the room where the activity is held. Valid Villages ID cards or guest ID cards with photo ID are required. When residents are waiting, guest use may be restricted due to space available to accommodate resident demand. ID scanners will be in use; please hold your own card. These procedures ensure a safe and enjoyable experience for all. Visit the District website / Recreation Department for more information.

### Peak Participation Guidelines

## HOW DO I FIND MY DECLARATION OF RESTRICTIONS?

Please click on link below to visit [DistrictGov.org](https://DistrictGov.org) . information is provided by County in which you reside.

[Declaration of Restrictions](#)

## Current Executive Golf Course Closures

Hill Top Executive Golf Course-Closed for renovation until further notice.

Belmont Executive Golf Course-Closed for renovation until further notice.

Palmetto Executive Golf Course – Closed until further notice for a greens collar renovation project.

Heron Executive Golf Course – The Heron Executive Golf course will close starting January 2, 2024 until further notice. This closure is part of an approved capital improvement project for improving the drainage on the golf course.



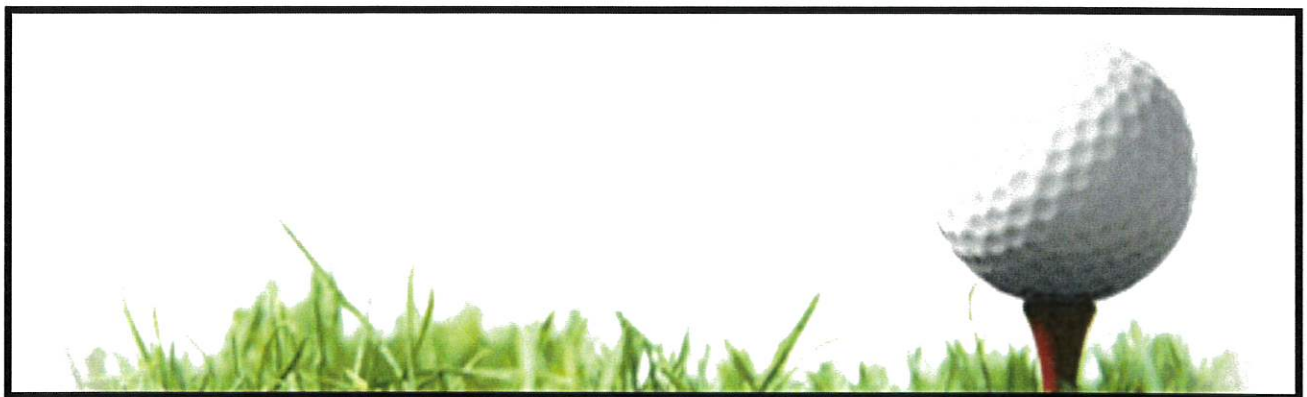
# Frost Delays in The Villages

Golfers who ignore frost delays will not see immediate damage. The proof generally comes 48-72 hours later as the plant leaves turn brown and die. The result is a thinning of the putting surface and a weakening of the plant. The greens in turn become more susceptible to disease and weeds. While it may not appear to be much of an issue if a foursome begins play early on frost covered greens, consider the number of footprints that may occur on any given hole by one person is approximately 60.

As golf enthusiasts Superintendents do not like to delay play, but they are more concerned about turf damage and the quality if conditions for the golfer. Frost also creates a hardship on a golf facility's staff as all course preparations are put to a halt until thawing occurs. Golf carts can cause considerable damage, therefore personnel cannot maneuver around the course to mow, change cup positions, collect range balls, etc.

## Key points:

- Frost is basically frozen dew that has crystallized on the grass, making it hard and brittle. A grass blade is actually 90 percent water, therefore it also freezes.
- Walking on frost-covered greens causes the plant to break and cell walls to rupture, thereby losing its ability to function normally.
- When damaged, the putting surface weakens and becomes more susceptible to disease and weeds.
- One foursome can leave several hundred footprints on each green, causing extensive damage.
- A short delay while the frost melts can preserve the quality of the greens and prevent needless repairs.



# FACILITY CLOSURES

**January 18, 2024**

**Southside Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Adult Pool**

Closed on Friday, January 19th

**Tierra Del Sol Recreation Adult Pool**

Closed until further notice

**Mulberry Grove Dog Park**

Closed Monday, January 22nd through Friday, January 26th

**Laurel Manor Recreation Sports Pool**

Closed Friday, January 5th through Friday, February 16th

**Coconut Cove Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool**

Closed Friday, January 5th through Friday, February 16th

**Coconut Cove Recreation Tennis Courts**

Closed until further notice

**Sterling Heights Recreation Tennis Courts**

Closed Monday, January 15th through Sunday, January 28th

**Burnsed Recreation Tennis Courts**

Closed until further notice

**Eisenhower Recreation Platform Tennis Court #1**

Closed until further notice

**Rohan Recreation Pickleball Court Pod A**

Closed until further notice

**Rohan Recreation Platform Tennis Courts**

Closed until further notice



## GATE ATTENDANT SUBSTITUTES

# HIRING EVENT

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 23 | 9AM & 12PM**

**ROHAN RECREATION 850 Kristine Way**

- ✓ Must work a minimum of 8 shifts/month including midnights
- ✓ Able to work any gate in The Villages community (consider drive time)
- ✓ On call, no set schedule, no guaranteed hours
- ✓ Stand and greet residents/guests for up to 6 hours at a time
- ✓ Work outside in varying elements
- ✓ Same-day information sessions & interviews
- ✓ Bring a resume or work history & 2-3 professional references
- ✓ Review job description & complete application online prior to hiring event



## Part-Time Gate Subs

**\$13/hour**

*(\$1 shift differential for overnight shifts)*

### 6-hour shifts

*(must be available for all)*

- Midnight – 6am
- 6am – noon
- Noon – 6pm
- 6pm – midnight

**The Villages**

Community Development Districts

**FOR MORE INFORMATION: 352-750-8201 | [DistrictGov.org](http://DistrictGov.org) > Quick Links > Employment Opportunities**

**Irrigation Flushing prevents the accumulation of small particles and build-up, which can lead to plugging issues in our irrigation system. This service continues in Districts 5-8 and you will see the Jacobs team opening fire hydrants and flushing irrigation lines only into the roadway. This maintenance work will not have any effects on your drinking water quality nor pressure.**

**Work hours will be from 8 am to 5 pm.**

**The safety of residents and contractor personnel is of the utmost importance. We are requesting everyone to abide by all barricades and warning signs and to avoid the active work area for anything other than access to your property. Information will be updated regularly on the District's website on when you can expect to see the Jacobs team in action in your area. If you have any questions or would like additional information, please contact District Utilities at 352-753-4022.**

**A tentative schedule of impacted areas in the upcoming week:**

**NO SCHEDULED FLUSHING THIS WEEK**

**[Click Here To View Flushing Zones Map](#)**



# JOIN OUR TEAM

Hospitality | Stewardship| Innovation & Creativity | Hard Work

## Current Open Positions

### COMMUNITY WATCH

Patrol Driver 11 - Blue 0000-0800 \*  
Patrol Driver 16 - Red 1600-2400 Tag Team \*  
Gate Attendant - Sanibel Red, 1200-1800  
Seasonal thru March \*  
Gate Attendant - Bonnybrook, Blue 1800-2400 \*  
Gate Attendant - Sanibel Red 1200-1800 \*  
Gate Attendant - Boone Red 1800-2300 Tag Team \*

### GOLF OPERATIONS

Facility Inventory Associate-Lopez Legacy \*  
Facility Inventory Associate-Evans Prairie\*  
Outside Staff-Palmer Legends \*  
Outside Staff-Glenview Golf\*  
Outside Staff-Belle Glade\*  
Range Associate \*  
Golf Shop Sales Associate-Sarasota\*  
Golf Shop Sales Associate\*  
Golf Shop Sales Associate-Belle Glade\*  
Golf Shop Sales Associate-Bonifay\*  
Cleaner-Mallory Hill\*

### PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Supervisor Infrastructure

### CUSTOMER SERVICE

Communications Coordinator

### FINANCE

Senior Accountant  
Staff Accountant I-General Ledger  
Bond & Special Assessments Technician  
Accounting Tech. Intern (Temporary)\*

\* Part time position



Scan QR code to apply online or visit  
[DistrictGov.org>Departments>Human Resources](https://DistrictGov.org/Departments/HumanResources)



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