

SCHEDULED GAMES
APRIL 19 - 28

GO FOR THE **GOLD** IN 2024!

TheVillagesSeniorGames.com Registration Begins: THU, FEB 1

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The Villages
 Recreation & Parks

DISTRICT WEEKLY BULLETIN

FEBRUARY 29, 2024

Bricks can be purchased to commemorate U.S. Veterans, both past and present. Bricks are placed at the Veterans Memorial Park located near Spanish Springs Town Square, each Veterans Day – November 11th. All bricks must be purchased by March 29 this year to be included the November ceremony. All bricks purchased after March 29th will be included in the following year’s ceremony

[Memorial Brick Order Form](#)

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Pimlico Golf Course Closed on March 4

On Monday March 4, DPM Infrastructure will be starting a seal and stripe project for the Pimlico Recreation Center, which will prevent golf cart traffic from reaching the starter shack. On this day the Pimlico Golf Course will be closed in order to provide a route for golf cart traffic to reach the starter shack for Churchill Greens, which will remain open.

Golf cart traffic for Churchill Greens will come onto #9 Pimlico from Belvedere Blvd just south of the main entrance, signs will be placed at the Rec Center entrance as well as by #9 Pimlico to direct traffic. Golf cart traffic will be able to return to normal on Tuesday March 5th.



LEARN & GROW EXPO

FRIDAY, MARCH 22, 2024 | 10AM – 12PM
ROHAN RECREATION | 850 KRISTINE WAY



- Meet Instructors and learn more about 200+ course offerings
- Learn how to become a part of our dedicated team of 130 instructors
- Live course demonstrations and entertainment
- Enter drawing to WIN prizes

"Excellent instructor. Very knowledgeable and well prepared!"

"I enjoyed every minute of it and learned so much!"

REGISTRATION FOR COURSES OPENS:

RESIDENTS
MARCH 25 | 8:30AM

GENERAL PUBLIC
MARCH 29 | 8:30AM



Register for spring/summer courses online at TheEnrichmentAcademy.org or any **At Your Service** location.

NEW COURSES BEGIN APRIL 1, 2024!

352-674-1800 | TheEnrichmentAcademy.org | TheEnrichmentAcademy@DistrictGov.org



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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 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 or call Utility Billing at 352-750-0000.

Current Executive Golf Course Closures

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.

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

Bonita Pass and Redfish Run-Closed for rest and rehabilitation until further notice.

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352-753-4508

CustomerService@DistrictGov.org

Information Provided By Sumter County

Sumter County Residents Only: Household Electronics & Hazardous Waste Mobile Collection - Amnesty Day

Saturday, April 6, 2024 — 8 AM to 2 PM

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

What to bring:		
Automotive fluids and batteries	Herbicides	Propane Tanks (25 lbs)
Cleaners	Paint removers and thinners	Solvents
Fertilizers	Latex & oil based paints	Smoke detectors
Fluorescent lamps and Mercury containing devices	Household electronics (TVs, VCRs, computers, etc.)	Rechargeable household batteries
Fungicides	Pesticides	Wood Preservatives
Gas (old gas & old gas cans)	Pool Chemicals	

What not to bring:		
Biological/Infectious waste	Explosives	Radioactive waste
Empty paint cans	Tires	

HOW TO PACKAGE AND TRANSPORT CHEMICALS

1. Do NOT mix chemicals together.
2. Keep products in original labeled containers if possible.
3. Place containers into cardboard boxes to prevent breakage.
4. Place leaky container in clear plastic bag and transport in box with newspaper.
5. Put boxes in trunk or in back of vehicle away from passengers.

For more information, visit their website at <https://sumtercountyfl.gov/1236/Household-Electronics-Hazardous-Waste-Mo>.

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Community Development Districts

District 4

The Village Community Development District (VCDD) No. 4 Board will hold a Town Hall Meeting on Wednesday, March 13, 2024 at 6:30 p.m. at the Mulberry Grove Recreation Center.

The VCDD No. 4 Board invites residents to attend the Town Hall Meeting to provide input to your Board of Supervisors on District-related items and issues. The main topic of discussion will be the upcoming budget process.

If you have any questions please contact Jennifer Farlow, District Clerk, at (352) 751-3939.



VPSDDD Funding Mechanism Public Information Sessions

Monday, March 11, 2024 at
10:00 a.m. at Rohan
Recreation Center

Thursday, March 14,
2024 at 5:30 p.m. at
Laurel Manor Recreation
Center

Monday, March 25, 2024 at
2:00 p.m. at Ezell
Recreation Center

I BET YOU DIDN'T KNOW...

As we entertained friends during the week of Valentines Day, we had the opportunity to dine at multiple restaurants on several town squares. We had a variety of food, and all was excellent as well as the customer service at the restaurants we chose. Our friends commented on how nice it is to have all of this at our fingertips, and how friendly everyone was that they encountered while visiting. I commented that it is just one of the many perks of being a resident of The Villages. I stated how great it was to live and work here in the same community and that excellent customer service is the key to the success of everything you see here in The Villages. Our friends have a real attachment to Lake Sumter Landing as do I, as they love walking on the boardwalk by the water. While my husband and I hustle and bustle every day we always have time to go out and enjoy the music at the squares and the dining available to us, we always enjoy our friends visits as it gives us the ability to see things through their eyes and it reminds us of how lucky we are to live and work in The Villages. As the week came to an end and they had to return to their hometown, as they left, they said you are truly living the dream. How appropriate as that is exactly what my husband and I say every day. I encourage you to take time to go out and dine at the local restaurants on the town squares and enjoy the complimentary musical entertainment as well.

**Tamara Hyder, Executive Assistant to the District Manager
and Resident of The Villages**



Please click on
link below for
2024
Sanitation
Schedules

[2024 Sanitation
Schedules](#)

The Recreation & Parks Department, in cooperation with many resident volunteers, has 3,500+ clubs and activities. To find the complete alpha listing including the club name, contact, their phone number, email address and website if applicable visit Districtgov.org, click on Recreation under Departments. On the left hand side of the recreation page click on the Resident Lifestyle Clubs and Contacts quick link. Once on the page hit control F and the search box will appear (Apple computers use Command F), type in any key word of your area of interest and you'll be taken to that listing. We encourage you to check with the prospective group about the group's expectations, membership requirements, dues and other fees, etc., prior to attending a club or activity.

Bond Payment Cut-Off Date-March 15, 2024

If you still have a Bond balance on your Villages home, you can continue to pay the Bond through the annual assessment on your County property tax bill, or you may choose to prepay the remaining Principal balance at any time. If you are interested in paying off your Bond in full, you will save half the interest for the year if we receive your payoff check before the end of business on Friday, March 15, 2024. You will also eliminate the annual Bond assessment on your November 2024 tax bill and avoid future interest payments.

Please contact the Bond office at 352-751-3900 to obtain your Bond payoff amount and instructions on how to submit your payment. Payments can be placed in the District Drop Boxes located at each Postal Station (up until March 11th) and the District Drop Box located outside the main office (until 5pm on March 15th.) Please call to schedule an appointment prior to visiting the office.

Please remember that even when the Bond is paid in full, there will continue to be an annual maintenance assessment on your County property tax bill which pays for ongoing costs to maintain the infrastructure of your District.

To view the details of your Bond, please click link below.

[Bond Amortization Schedules](#)

FACILITY CLOSURES

February 29, 2024

Brinson Perry Dog Park-Monday, February 19 through Monday, March 4

Burnsed Recreation Tennis Courts – closed until further notice

Burnsed Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool-Friday, March 1

Captiva Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities and Family Pool-Monday, March 4

Eisenhower Recreation Platform Tennis Court #1 - closed until further notice

Pimlico Recreation Indoor Facilities, Outdoor Facilities, and Family Pool- Monday, March 4

Rio Grande Recreation Air Gun Facility-Monday, March 11

Rohan Recreation Pickleball Court Pod A – closed until further notice

Rohan Recreation Platform Tennis Courts – closed until further notice

Savannah Recreation-Monday, March 4

Savannah Recreation Sports Pool-Monday, March 18 until further notice

Savannah Recreation Computer Lab-Friday, March 1 through Saturday, March 2 and Friday, March 8 through Saturday, March 9

SeaBreeze Indoor Facilities, Fit Club, Outdoor Facilities and Sports Pool – Wednesday, March 6

SeaBreeze Sports Pool - Friday, February 16 through Friday, March 29

HAVE AN EYE FOR GOOD *Design?*

- Do you love the aesthetic beauty and design of your community?
- Do you have experience in architecture, landscaping or reading site plans?
- Do you want to participate in keeping your community beautiful?

COME JOIN YOUR LOCAL ARCHITECTURAL REVIEW COMMITTEE AS A *Volunteer!*



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Community Standards

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:
Zone 71 Friday, March 1 through Tuesday, March 5
Zone 65 Wednesday, March 6 through Monday, March 11

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

JOIN OUR TEAM

Hospitality | Stewardship| Innovation & Creativity | Hard Work

Current Open Positions

GOLF OPERATIONS

Outside Staff-Bonifay*
Golf Shop Sales Associate-Bonifay*
Custom Club Shop Repair Associate-Sarasota
Golf Practice*
Outside Staff-Mallory*

PROPERTY MANAGEMENT

Supervisor-Construction
Staff Assistant

COMMUNITY WATCH

Sub. Gate Attendant-Part Time, On Call*

RECREATION & PARKS

Recreation Leader-Admin
Recreation Assistant-Fitness*
Recreation Assistant*

PUBLIC SAFETY

Firefighter/EMT
Firefighter/Paramedic

CUSTOMER SERVICE

Accounting Technician Prorations

FINANCE

Senior Accountant
Staff Accountant I-General Ledger
Accounting Tech. Intern (Temporary)*

* Part time position



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