



Wha' Cha' Don't Know

Employee Newsletter

January 26, 2017



THIS JUST IN... The W. T. Bland Public Library is one of five libraries nationwide to be awarded the inaugural Young Adults Write Now endowment from the Horror Writers Association.

The Library will be launching an exciting Dreadful Teen Writing Program later this spring, with collaboration from area writers and instructors.

Mount Dora Library Association Board member Pat Price and Adult Librarian Cathy Lunday applied for the grant last fall and are ecstatic about the news!

The City of Mount Dora, Parks & Recreation Department and the Lakes & Hills Garden Club joined together for their yearly celebration of Florida Arbor Day by planting a tree! The Lakes & Hills Garden Club selected and donated a Lagerstroemia Indica, Watermelon Red Crape Myrtle, to be planted at the Martin Luther King Center.



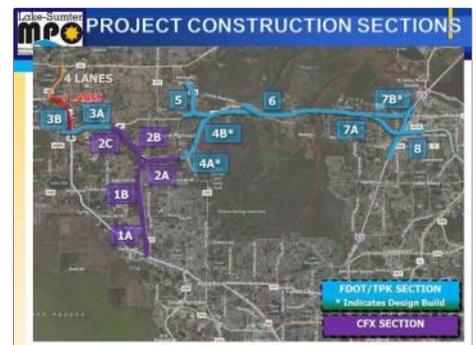
The ribbon cutting ceremony was held on Friday, January 20th at noon and was well attended.



Highlights from the January 17, 2017 City Council meeting.

- Swearing in of the 2017 Honorary Canine Mayor and Vice-Mayor.
- Economic Development presentation by Little John Engineering Associates, an S&ME Company.
- Wekiva Parkway update.
- Approval of an agreement with the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) for Wekiva 3A and 3B utility work.
- Approval of an annexation fee waiver.
- Approval of a legislative lobbyist contract with Peebles & Smith.

Agenda packet and audio are available on our website.





UPCOMING EVENTS

DeadFest

January 28, 11 AM - 4 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Mahjong

January 30 & February 6, 7 - 9 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Genealogy

January 31 & February 8, 10:30 AM - 12 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Citizenship Class

January 31, 5:45 - 7:45 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Play Scrabble!

February 1 & 8, 10 AM - 12 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Beginning iPad & iPhone

February 1 & 7, 10:30 AM - 12 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Classic Film

February 1, 7 - 9 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Computer 101

February 2, 10:30 AM - 12 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Basic Kindle

February 7, 2 - 3:30 PM
@ W.T. Bland Library

Windows 10

February 9, 10:30 AM - 12 PM

Mount Dora Art Festival

February 4-5, 2017
Downtown



For a complete list of events, please visit our website!

January 27 - February 9, 2017

Birthday Wishes

We wish the following
Employees a very happy birthday!

Bob Brekelbaum	1/28
Darrell Hylton	1/29
Cathy Wegner	1/31
Jason Levy	2/2
Bonnie Davis	2/6

Happy Workiversary

Congratulations to the following
employees on their City anniversaries!

Michael Dickson	1/30/2006
Marie Shelton	1/30/2013
Rose Laquaglia Folan	1/31/2011
Ivy Severance	2/4/2008
Mark Peterson	2/8/2016
Conor Deering	2/9/2015
Patricia Dando	2/9/2016



Congratulations Jill Santos and family
on your new addition!

Austin Ray Santos finally arrived into
the world on January 14th at 5:15pm
weighing in at 8 lbs. 3 oz.

INSTEAD OF Ctrl + Alt + Delete, TRY...



LOCKS THE COMPUTER



Lieutenant Ken Hinman is proud to announce his daughter Savannah graduated from Navy Bootcamp on January 13th. She is now at Fort Sam Houston in San Antonio, TX, attending "A" school. Congratulations! GO NAVY!

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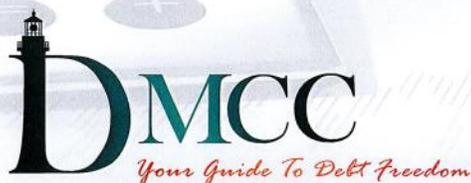
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Student Loan Document Prep ²	\$119	\$149
Online Homebuyer Course	\$30	\$40
Reverse Mortgage Counseling	\$100	\$125
Bankruptcy Counseling Certificates	\$40	\$50
Bankruptcy Education Certificates	\$20	\$25

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MDPD's Chili Cook Off Champion, **Officer Angie Smith**, injured herself while chasing a felony suspect. Angie has been unable to compete in the recent and upcoming chili cook-offs. Angie, we wish you a speedy recovery!

In the meantime...**Sergeant Adam Helfant** was called from the bench. The MDPD chili team continues to carry the torch until Angie is able to return.



Officer Mike Garcia  **Officer Ivy Severance**

MDPD won **1st place for the best decorated booth** at the Crime Line Chili Cook-off.



Speaking of HOT competitions...

The **Police** and **Fire** Department will go spoon to spoon this Saturday at the MDCA Chili Cook-Off.

Who makes better chili???
Stop by and find out!

MILNER-ROSENWALD ACADEMY

The Northeast Community Head Start School received a fresh coat of paint.



When the original school for Mount Dora's black children burned in 1922, Mamie Lee Gilbert and Lula Butler spearheaded the drive for a new school.

Seed money was obtained from the Rosenwald Foundation, founded in 1913 by philanthropist Julius Rosenwald, to support rural black school construction in the South.



Matching funds came from Reverend Duncan Milner, a winter resident of Mount Dora concerned with racial injustice. The school was completed in 1926 and provided an education for black children until 1955 when a new building was built. The building currently houses a Head Start program and is listed of the National Register of Historic Places.



4th Annual Kayakathon 2017

Save the date - Saturday, April 15th

\$25, including t-shirt & free drink coupons

Check out the "Tavares Kayakathon" Facebook page for more information or to view previous photos and videos.



Pre-K Story Time

Thursdays 10:30 am

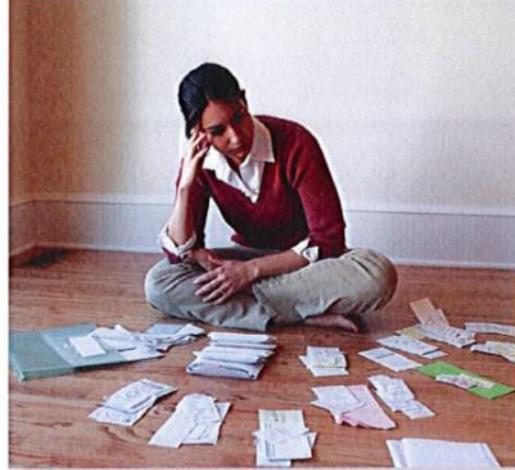
Stay & play with age appropriate educational toys and activities.



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How to Pay Off and Prevent Debt

Don't let debt weigh you down. You need a plan to pay it down wisely and in a way that doesn't negatively impact your other financial goals.



Mark Huston ICMA-RC

CERTIFIED FINANCIAL PLANNER™

The City of Mount Dora is Pleased to Sponsor This Valuable Financial Education Seminar

Date: February 15, 2017

Location: Mount Dora City Hall, Boardroom
510 N. Baker St., Mount Dora, FL 32757

TIMES: 10AM & 1PM

Two sessions are being offered for your scheduling convenience. The topics and material will be the same at both sessions.

Valuable workbooks and materials will be provided to help you eliminate debt and remain debt free.

Your local ICMA-RC representative is Patty Nichols. Please email her with questions or inquiries related to your ICMA-RC account : pnichols@icmarc.org

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- Tested to military standards (MIL-STD 810G) to survive multiple drops and impact.
- Scratch resistant screen protector with balanced acoustic sound porting that provides superior audio.
- 2-year warranty (see Pelican website for details).



STILL LOOKING FOR:

Helen Pounders is still looking for a twin size bed in good to great condition for her son. Prefers memory foam or gel memory foam .

Please email or call Helen at the library.

2 STOOL CHAIRS, \$50 HEIGHT IS 24"

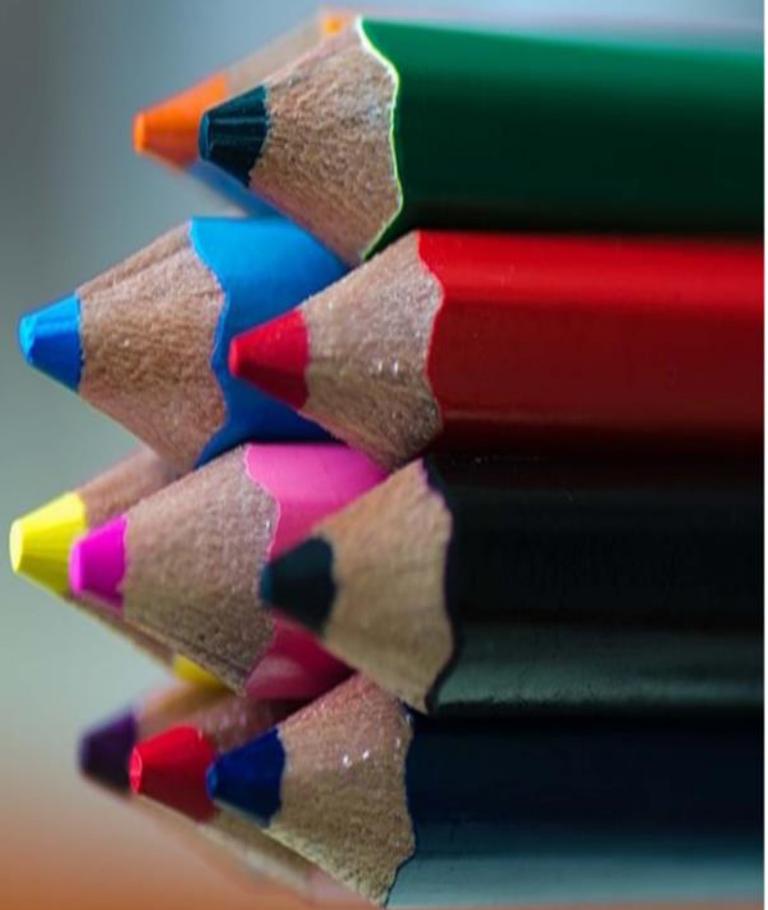


CALL HELEN POUNDERS
AT THE LIBRARY.



Starting in the 2017-18 school year, you'll have more choices for your child's education!

The revision of Florida Statute 1002.31 directs each school district to develop a controlled open enrollment plan that allows parents from any school district in the state to enroll their child into any public school that has not reached capacity.



Learn more about Educational Choice in Lake at www.lake.k12.fl.us/educationalchoice

ENROLLMENT BEGINS FEB. 1

The library has an awesome lineup of events...

new! Mount Dora

Genealogy Group

Curious about your family tree? Join Mount Dora's NEW Genealogy Group and share your stories, learn from the pro's and make new friends.



Presentation for first meeting:

"Building a solid family tree one ancestor at a time"
 Tuesday, January 31, 2017 – 10:30am to noon

No registration required; coffee and refreshments served!

Backyard Beekeeping: To Bee or Not To Bee



Our pollinator friends are in trouble. Learn how you can help bees and have fun at the same time!

Benefits of bees * Planting for bees * Beekeeping 101
 How-to's for nucs, splits and swarms
 Honey tasting and door prizes!
Saturday, February 11, 2017, 10:30am to noon
No registration required. Adults, teens, & tweens welcome.
 Lunsford Learning Pavilion (if weather permits) or Community Room



iPad & iPhone Photos

Use your own iPad and/or iPhone and learn how to:

- Take, edit, and store photographs
- Use all the features of **Photos**
- Create a **Slideshow** from images on your device

Class is held on the first Tuesday of each month.

REGISTER ONLINE for this class at mylakelibrary.org. Select Programs & Events, then Event Calendar and Locations (W.T. Bland Public Library). **Questions? Call us! (352) 735-7180 (option 5)**



Make your own Brochure

Using Microsoft Word, learn how to create a brochure for your club or business. You'll leave this class understanding how to insert appealing content and graphic design into a brochure you create.

Familiarity with Microsoft Word is required.

Tuesday, February 28, 2017 – 2:30 PM to 4:00 PM

REGISTER ONLINE for this class at mylakelibrary.org. Select Programs & Events, then Event Calendar, then Location (W.T. Bland Public Library). **Questions? Call us! (352) 735-7180 (option 5)**

AARP TAX AIDE

Beginning Wed., February 1st - Thurs., April 13th

Free Tax Preparation Service

Appointments may be made starting **Wednesday, February 1st** by calling **352-735-5936**

HOURS: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday: 10:00 AM to 2:30 PM
Wednesday: 1:00 PM to 5:30 PM

Must bring photo ID. Social Security cards required for everyone to be listed on the tax returns. Bring all tax documents, including health insurance forms 1095 A, 1095 B or 1095 C.

Very important this year: Bring last year's return.

Direct Deposit or Withdrawal requires seeing a check for routing and account numbers.



Build a Home

	JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH
Income 1-15	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Income 16-EOM	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Expenditures 1-15	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Expenditures 16-EOM	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

in Excel

Learn how to use Excel budget templates to track your personal income and expenses in a spreadsheet format. Get organized in 2017!

Friday, February 17, 2017

2:30 PM to 4:00 PM

Registration is required

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Valentine Make & Take

Friday, February 3rd
from 2:00 – 4:30 pm

Make and take Valentine cards
& crafts for yourself
or someone special.
(For ages 12 & under)

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Classic Film



Enjoy free popcorn and curated classic films every second and fourth Wednesday of the month. The program starts at 7:00 PM, with a brief synopsis of what makes it a classic film (pre-1970), followed by a traditional movie cartoon before the feature.

Titles are subject to change; contact the Circulation Desk.



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MOUNT DORA POLICE

The Mount Dora Police Department

Is currently accepting applications for the Citizens Police Academy

Spring Session 17-001

Starting Date: Wednesday, February 22, 2017

Time: 6:00 P.M.

Location: Mount Dora Headquarters

1300 N. Donnelly Street

Class Coordinator: Ofc. Ivy Severance 352-735-7196

severancei@cityofmoundora.com



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Northeast Community Neighborhood Watch Meeting



Monday, January 30th

6:30 pm

Bethel Free Methodist Church

303 Jackson Ave, Mount Dora

Guest Speaker: Lake County State Attorney

James Argento

Come meet your neighbors

Informative

Find out what's going on

In your neighborhood

The neighborhood watch program is about bringing a neighborhood together by increasing awareness of what is going on around you and helping your police department continue to enhance your family's safety and quality of life, by protecting life and property.

For additional information contact Ofc. Ivy Severance (352)735-7196
or at severancei@cityofmounddora.com