



President's Corner



Greetings Friends and Neighbors:

I would like to take this time to say goodbye to Ron Wood, our former President, and introduce myself as your newly appointed President. I look forward to working with the remaining board you elected last December with the addition of Dave Wolverton, who is filling the position of Vice President.

I would like to address an ongoing problem of a few residents allowing their dogs to run loose and owners not picking up their pet's droppings. This issue has been brought to my attention by numerous residents, and also noted on the Nextdoor website. Please be courteous and respectful of your neighbors. Even if you feel you have complete control of your pet when walking him, it is county law that dogs be under direct control (*direct control means immediate, continuous physical control of an animal at all times such as by means of a fence, leash, cord or chain of such strength to restrain the animal*) when they are outside. It is also county law that owners pick up their dog's excreta. As a dog owner, I love my pets and do not want to see anything happen to them. And for your pet's safety, do not allow pets to run loose as there are rabid animals and coyotes that roam the area who could attack and infect your pet.

Hope everyone has a Safe and Happy 4th of July! I look forward to seeing you at our next HOA meeting on August 8th.

Bonnie Cabe

President, Fairway Oaks HOA

INDEPENDENCE DAY

HAPPY 4TH OF JULY !

A variety of 4th July events are planned throughout Pasco County and surrounding communities. Some of the events include –

Tampa Red, White and Blue Fest

Tuesday, July 4 - 5 p.m. - 9 p.m.

Cotanchobee Park, Tampa

Bring the entire family and wear your red, white and blue for an evening of pure entertainment by the Tampa Riverwalk in Channelside at Cotanchobee Park. There will be live music by the Riverwalk, a "Southern Hospitality" food court and exhibits from local artists, jewelers and craft designers. Admission is free.



Sparklebration 4:00 to 9:30pm July 4, 2017

A fun filled day celebrating our Patriotism.

Live entertainment with The Dennis Lee Show & Elvis in the house with Billy Lindsey!

Lots of Eating Contests, Skydivers, Kids Bounce Houses & Jumpers, Pony Rides & Petting Zoo, Games, & an AMAZING Fireworks Display...fun to be had by all!

Gates open at 4:00pm

Pasco County Fairgrounds

36722 State Road 52

Dade City, Florida 33525

Admission: \$5 (12 and under free)

Parking: \$5

Festival seating - Chairs & blankets welcome

NO personal fireworks, pets, alcohol, food items or coolers



PASCO COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION PRESENTS

SPARKLEBRATION

A 4th of July Festival & Fireworks Celebration

TUESDAY, JULY 4TH

PASCO COUNTY FAIRGROUNDS
36722 State Road 52
DADE CITY | 352.567.6678

TICKET INFORMATION
ADMISSION: \$5.00 | PARKING: \$5.00
KIDS: FREE (AGES 12 & Under)

- Fireworks Approx. 9:15 PM by Zambelli (Time is subject to change)
- Kids Bounce Houses
- Children's Activities
- Watermelon Eating Contest
- Pony Rides & Petting Zoo
- Hot Dog Eating Contest
- Hula Hoop Contest
- Food Court
- Blood Mobile
- Dennis Lee Show
- FREE Face Painting & Balloons
- Elvis Tribute - Billy "Elvis" Lindsey
- Karaoke Contest with Cash Prizes

The Heart of Florida Fair Pasco County

Friendly Kia Fest: Main Street Blast

Downtown New Port Richey

June 30 - July 1, 2017

What is more fun than Apple Pie and Ice Cream, Fireworks and 4th of July?! Main Street's annual Independence Day celebration **KIA Fest Main Street Blast** in Sims Park in 2017.

Event will be held on June 30-July 1, 2017. Enjoy classic rock music, food and beverages, Beer Garden, Military Vehicles on display, kids' games and much more. Live music on the main stage in Sims Park, arts and crafters, classic car cruise-in, KIA trolley pull and lots of fun and games. Hours: Fri 5-11pm; Sat 12-11pm.



2017 Independence Fireworks and Family Fun Day

Pine Island Park - 3801 S. Pine Island Rd, Davie, FL

Join us for Independence Fireworks and Family Fun Day to be held on **July 4, 2017**. There will be kid's arts and crafts, arts and craft displays, youth entertainment, bounce houses and inflatable, face painting, food trucks, fireworks, and much more.

Independence Day Celebration July 4th

July 4 @ 5:00 pm - 9:30 pm Port Richey Waterfront Park

The City of Port Richey and the Bayou Business Association have partnered to bring an Independence Day Celebration to Waterfront Park on Tuesday July 4th. Food and refreshments will be available for purchase. You may bring chairs, but no coolers please. The fireworks display is at 9pm.



2017 Tarpon Springs First Friday Family Event

July 7, 2017

Location: Tarpon Springs, FL, Downtown

Description: There will be vendors, food, music, shops, beer and wine, fun and more



First Friday in Dade City

July 7 @ 5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

First Friday in Downtown Dade City - a growing favorite with food, shopping, live street music and community. Think a New Orleans street music feel with 19 restaurants and more than 20 antique and specialty retail stores to enjoy. Take a romantic or family ride through Historic Downtown Dade City with Classic Reflections Carriages.

Mark your calendars now.

First Friday

Join the Dade City Merchants in Historic Downtown Dade City

First Friday of every month from 5 PM to 9 PM

ARTS **DINE** **SHOP** **FAMILY**

"First Friday" events: entertainment, refreshments, specials with children and pets welcome. Visit Dade City Merchants Association Facebook page for information please like and share. From Antiques to Boutiques, Festivals to Fine Dining...Dade City

FIRECRACKER SMASH 'EM UP DEMOLITION DERBY

July 4, 2017 @ 4:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Hernando County Fairgrounds
6436 Broad Street (US-41S), Brooksville, FL 34601

Cost: Parking: \$10.00 Admission for Derby: Adults \$10.00

A great day to celebrate America with fireworks and fun for the entire family! Come out to the fairgrounds for music, games, a Kid Zone, contests, food, and the Demolition Derby! A colorful and sparkling fireworks display will top off the evening.





THEME PARKS

- **Summer Nights at Busch Gardens**
Jun. 16-Aug. 6, 2017

Enjoy some summer fun at Busch Gardens by riding North America's tallest freestanding drop tower, Falcon's Fury and Florida's first triple-launch coaster Cheetah Hunt. Enjoy the park's newest spin coaster, Cobra's Curse. Celebrate with amazing fireworks show every night and explore the park until midnight on Fridays and Saturdays.

Address: 10001 N Malcolm McKinley Dr. Tampa, FL 33612



- **Legoland Knight Lights**
June 25 & 26; July 2-4, 9-10, 16-17, 23-24 and 30-31
Celebrate summer with a brand-new event. Night Lights lets kids party past their bedtime with extended park hours. The event includes character meet-and-greets, DJ glow dance party and an all-new fireworks spectacular featuring Lego Ninjago. Fireworks begin at 9 p.m. Enjoy a patriotic themed fireworks show on July 4.



PASCO COUNTY LIBRARY - HUDSON EVENTS:

Knitters for Charity

Every Friday morning in July

Start Time: 11:00 AM - End Time: 1:00 PM

Library: Hudson Regional Library Location: Meeting Room

Description: Join this fun group to knit and crochet for charity. They have donated over 14,000 items--hats, scarves, items for children, afghans, and more--to cancer patients, the needy, the homeless, and others. New faces are always welcome, and if you want to learn how to knit or crochet, they will teach you!

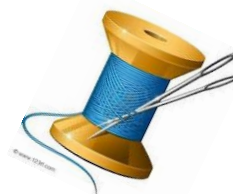


Tuesday Night Stitches

Every Tuesday Evening 4:45 pm to 7:45 pm - July 11, 18, 25th

Library: Hudson Regional Library - **Location:** Library Floor

Description: This group instructs and shares ideas with knitters of all skill levels, beginning to advanced. New faces are always welcome. The group gathers at the tables near the New Books section.



Library Senior Social –Wednesday

Date: July 5, 19th ,2017 Start Time: 1:00 PM - End Time: 2:30 PM

Join us for coffee, games, and conversation. Make new friends, discuss common interests, and play cards or board games. For seniors and all adults. For an added plus, the senior socials during the summer will be part of the Adult Summer Reading Club. Attend the socials and get entered in a prize drawing.

PASCO COUNTY FESTIVALS AND EVENTS

Fairway Oaks residents can kick off summer by attending some of the varied fun activities and festivals along the Nature Coast, hosted by Pasco, Hernando & Citrus Counties Tourism and local communities.

Enjoy food, music, car shows, history and more at events all summer long. Read all the details of the Nature Coast festivals at this link, and on the next pages.

<http://naturecoaster.com/festival-season-kicks-off-this-weekend/>



Weeki Wachee Springs

Legendary Mermaid Sirens - July 2nd – 4th

Two performances: 12:00pm and 2:00pm. The saying, “Once a mermaid, always a mermaid,” holds true as The Legendary Sirens perform this weekend! This nostalgic show will take you back to the early years of Weeki Wachee Springs by the ladies who created the magic.

Cost: Park admission: Adults, \$13.00; ages 6-10, \$8.00; age five and under, free
Weeki Wachee Springs State Park, 6131 Commercial Way (US-19)



Hernando County Farmers Market

July 1, 8, 15, 22, 29th 10:00 am – 3:00 pm

Where: 2450 Commercial Way (US-19) in the Rural King Parking Lot, Spring Hill

Vendors offer fresh veggies and fruit, organic and Amish country food, plants, local honey, herbs, soaps, jams, candy, baked goods, jewelry, crafts, and more.

Happy 50th Anniversary Spring Hill !

Spring Hill opened 50 years ago on April 30, 1967. The celebration of the event will be **July 27th** from 5pm to 7pm, at the Lake House.



CARES SENIOR CENTER

CARES Rao Musunuru M.D. Enrichment Center:

The Hudson **CARES Rao Musunuru M.D. Enrichment Center** located at 12417 Clock Tower Parkway and also at the Elfers or New Port Richey CARES locations offer Travel Club bus trips to local festivals and events. The CARES senior centers also offer daily activities such as the “Silver Sneakers” exercise program, Yoga classes, line dancing, crafts and bridge. Each Friday at 6pm – 9pm the center hosts karaoke night with Roy. Cost is \$3 for karaoke night. Check the center’s calendar for complete times and dates of their many diverse activities.

Bus Trips



Star Lite Majesty Lunch Cruise

Cost: \$55.00 **Friday, Jul 14, 2017**

Where: Clearwater Beach, FL

Description: This 1 ½ hour served lunch cruise offers the best waterfront views of Clearwater Beach. Transportation, meal, coffee, tea and tip included. Bus leaves New Port Richey at 10:00 am and Hudson 9:30am

A Chorus Line

Cost: \$50.00 **Sunday, Jul 23, 2017**

Where: Largo, FL

Description: A wonderful musical about a chorus audition for a Broadway Musical. It tells of the achingly poignant ambitions of professional Broadway dancers to seeking a job in the show. Show time 2 pm Show and Transportation only. Bus leaves New Port Richey 12:45 pm and Hudson 12:15 pm

Rogers Christmas House Village

Cost: \$22.00 **Tuesday, Jul 25, 2017**

Where: 103 S. Saxon Ave., Brooksville

Description: Christmas in July. We will shop at Rogers Christmas village as well as 3 other stores within walking distance. The owner Dorothy is offering a 10% discount for CARES so WEAR YOUR LANYARDS. Enjoy lunch on your own. Mallie Kylas Café was recommended which is across the street. Bus Leaves New Port Richey 10:00 am and Hudson at 10:30 am.