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HERE THEY ARE!

YOUR WEEKLY NEWSDAY TUESDAY ARTICLES



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HOUSEHOLD HAZARDOUS WASTE AND ELECTRONICS COLLECTION EVENT

Sunday, May 17, 2015





For more information, please call the Public Works Services Center at 954-385-2600 or visit www.westonfl.org.



Drop off your household hazardous waste and electronic items at the Weston Public Works Services Center, 2599 South Post Road, between 8:00am and 3:00pm.

Simply pull up in to Public Works and your items will be offloaded for you!

Weston residents...

The numbers have come in, and Weston came out on top once again! We are the City with the highest participation rate, and we'd love to continue this accomplishment!

What items are being accepted?

Oil and latex paints and thinners, used motor oil, auto fluids and gasoline solvents, pesticides, fertilizers, pool chemicals, drain cleaners, tires, mercury, rechargeable & automobile batteries and electronics such as computers and televisions will be accepted.







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POLICE SERVICES ACADEMY

June 15th–August 10th Ages 11-17



Weston residents between the ages 11 and 17 have the opportunity to be a part of a free program initiated by the Broward Sheriff's Office-Weston: The Weston University – Broward Sheriff's Office Police Services Academy.

DATES: June 15-August 10

DAYS: Meets on Monday

evenings

TIMES: 6:00pm -8:00pm

LOCATION: Weston Police

Services Building

Application/Registration forms are available at

www.westonfl.org/media/docs/misc/2014 West onU Police Services Academy flyer.pdf.

For more information, call 954-389-2010 or email Deputy Pallotto at kari_pallotto@sheriff.org.







In its eighth year, the academy provides youth the opportunity to explore law enforcement services on an in-depth basis with hands-on exercises, education and safety training, and exposes students to a variety of career paths.

This free program is enriching, educational and FUN. Tied into the City's Weston University Program, the academy offers an extension of civics education to students wanting something a little different than the average summer fare.

Lectures and field trips will include topics in:

- Defensive Tactics
- DUI & D.A.R.E. Classes
- Crime Scene Investigations
- Internet Safety
- Tours may include: Main Jail, Courthouse, BSO SWAT, BSO Aviation and Marine Units

FORMS MUST BE SUBMITTED NO LATER THAN JUNE 1st – SPACE IS LIMITED!





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CONGRATULATIONS TO THE CYPRESS BAY STUDENTS ACCEPTED TO IVY LEAGUE SCHOOLS!

In total, the eight colleges in the Ivy League collected more than 200,000 applications from the nation's (and the world's) top-performing high school students -- and only sent acceptance letters to 11.9 percent of them. That's what we call selective.

According to U.S. News & World Report, there are five Ivy League schools among the top 10 universities in the United States. The other three Ivy league schools make the top 20. Harvard, Yale and Princeton are the perennial powerhouses, regularly swapping the top three spots in the national rankings.

The list below includes all of the students in Cypress Bay High School that got accepted in to Ivy League schools. We congratulate them for all of their hard work!

















SOFIA DARSIN
YUMI RIVAS
MARIANNE AGUILLAR
YUVAL SHMUL
FRAN ANGULO
MARIANNE AGUILLAR
FEDERICO TRIGO
CATERINA GOLNER
SARA DICKERMAN
OLIVIA GOTT
EVA HALE

CORNELL
DARTMOUTH
DARTMOUTH
WHARTON/PENN
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HARVARD
YALE, WHARTON/PENN OR DARTMOUTH
PRINCETON
CORNELL
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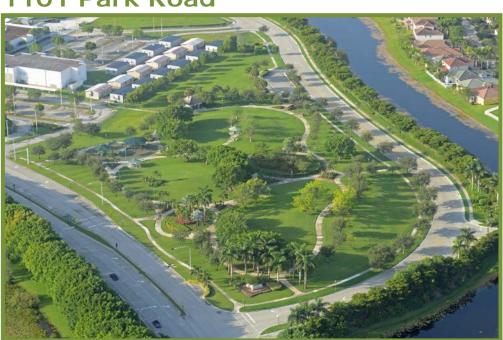


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HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW YOUR CITY OF WESTON PARKS?

GATOR RUN PARK 1101 Park Road

Every month we are highlighting one of the City's park with pictures and details of the principal amenities so our residents can be more knowledgeable when selecting from the various recreational opportunities.





Gator Run Park:

- Hours: 8:00am 9:00pm
- 7 acres of neighborhood park adjacent to Gator Run Elementary School
- Shaded playground
- 3 small picnic shelters with one table each
- Lighted walkways
- Restroom facilities
- Parking
- Dog friendly

See page 2 for additional photos





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GATOR RUN PARK - continued





For more information about Weston parks, please call the Community Center at 954-389-4321 or visit

www.westonfl.org/Departments/ParksAndRecreation/ParksAndRecreationHome.aspx.





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HPV VACCINE AND CANCER PREVENTION

Some parents don't like to hear about it. Some doctors don't like to talk about it. As a result, the Florida Department of Health in Broward County will start a special initiative to increase it.





"The HPV vaccine can prevent cancers."

"It" is the vaccine for Human Papillomavirus, which federal experts recommend for girls and boys starting at age 11-12 to prevent cancers caused by the sexually transmitted infection.

Unlike other immunizations, the three-dose HPV vaccine is not required for school enrollment in Florida and is not offered by some physicians. Vaccination rates are low in the nation, but especially in Broward and Florida.

The Department of Health-Broward (DOH-Broward) is preparing a campaign to start in summer to increase the number of adolescents vaccinated against HPV.

DOH-Broward is asking parents to take a minute and fill out an anonymous, nine-question survey that will gauge their thoughts on the vaccine.

There's also a logistical hurdle to solve. The vaccine is given in three doses over six months, but many families never return for the second or third dose. The campaign is expected to include a system to remind families about the follow up doses.

The following link is provided for those interested in participating on the anonymous survey:

HVP 9-Question Survey







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GREATER FORTLAUDERDALE

2015 SUMMER SAVINGS

Discover another side of summer at a bargain with unique 2-for-1 offers. These offers are valid and available from May 1st through October 12th.

This offer provides visitors and residents with options to play, explore, relax and revel in experiences from the ocean to the Everglades.

Discover a passion for diving. Charter a fishing boat for an afternoon adventure. Spend the day relaxing and revitalizing at the spa. It's all part of a vacation that goes beyond the ordinary.

Discover another side of summer and yourself and get your personal journey started.

2-for-1 Summer Offers

2 ways to access the deals (take your pick):

- Print your 2-for-1 card and deals now or
- Receive your 2-for-1 Summer Savings Card by mail



Either the printed coupon or the Summer Savings card must accompany your visit to receive the 2-for-1 offers.

For more information and for a full listing of the 'Super Summer Savings' offers visit http://www.sunny.org.





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THE YMCA CELEBRATED THE 104TH BIRTHDAY OF CON MAC

Long time YMCA Member is honored



Con Mac is truly an inspirational woman who follows a strict vegetarian diet, who loves cooking, gardening, meditation and prayer and who participates seven days a week in a Weston YMCA Silver Sneaker exercise class.

The Weston YMCA honored Con Mac during a Mother's Day Breakfast. She was surrounded by many generations of her family at the event.

Commissioner Tom Kallman read a proclamation written by the City of Weston to Con Mac and presented it to her on behalf of the City Commission.



Happy Birthday Con Mac and many more to come!





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SUMMARY OF UPCOMING EVENTS & PROGRAMS

CITY EVENTS

www.westonfl.org/Events/EventsCalendar.aspx



STUDENT ARTIST SHOWCASE AT LIBRARY Now through May 18th

Experience 200 student works of art that are on display sponsored by the Arts Council of Greater Weston.

Where: Weston Branch Library, 4205 Bonaventure

Boulevard.

More Information: Call 954-357-5420



HAZARDOUS WASTE AND ELECTRONICS COLLECTION EVENT

Sunday, May 17th 8:00AM-3:00PM

Bring items that cannot be placed into the trash or bulk pickup to this FREE event. They will be recycled or disposed of properly without harming the environment. Where: Public Works Services Center, 2599 South Post Road

More information: Call 954-385-2600



CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, May 18th 7:00PM

A regular meeting of the Weston City Commission. **Location**: Weston City Hall, 17200 Royal Palm Blvd.

CLICK HERE FOR MORE EVENTS





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Learn about the 2015 hurricane forecast, how to prepare and what you can expect during and after a disaster. Arrive early - limited seating. Refreshments will be served. **Guest Speakers include:**





Stacey Stewart, NOAA-National Hurricane Center, Miami Craig Setzer, Chief Meteorologist, CBS-4, WFOR-TV Miami John R. Flint, City Manager, City of Weston

<u>Where:</u> Weston Community Center, 20200 Saddle Club <u>View promotional video:</u> https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-ut7x73Xdto

More information: Fire Administration at 954-389-2015.



PARADE APPLICATIONS AVAILABLE! WESTON'S 4TH OF JULY HOMETOWN PARADE

Applications are available online for entry into Weston's 4th of July Hometown Parade. Civic groups and organizations, clubs, schools, bands and businesses are all encouraged to participate.

More information: Click on the link below for an application and details:

<u>www.westonfl.org/media/docs/misc/2015_Parade_Application.pdf</u>





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ON-GOING CITY PROGRAMS

BSO'S WESTON POLICE SERVICES

More information on programs listed below: Call 954-389-2010 or visit www.westonfl.org/Departments/Police/PoliceHome.aspx.





SAFE SELLING LOCATION FOR POTENTIAL ONLINE BUYERS/SELLERS

BSO's Weston district office's parking lot serves as a safe haven for the City's online buyers and sellers to meet at 17300 Royal Palm Boulevard.

BSO'S WESTON FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

<u>More information</u> on programs listed below: Call 954-389-2015 or visit <u>www.westonfl.org/Departments/FireEMS/FireEMSHome.aspx</u>.





FREE EMS GO PACKETS

These packets hold medical information and legal documents for EMS and hospital personnel can be aware of your medical conditions.



FREE CPR CLASSES

FREE CPR classes for residents, organizations and businesses. Classes are offered at your own location (minimum of 8 persons).



SMOKE ALARM AND BATTERY REPLACEMENT

This free service is designed to reach people who are unable to safely install smoke alarms and/or replace the batteries in existing alarms.





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WESTON'S COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

More information on the programs below: 954-385-2000.





REGISTER FOR CodeRED TODAY

All residents and businesses should register with the City's Code**RED** Emergency Notification System. To register, please visit:

www.westonfl.org/Residents/Hurricane/CodeRed.aspx.



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