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### GET GROOVY AT DEBUT OF NEW



**DON'T MISS OUT! #WestonNights** 

### THIS SATURDAY!







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### SAVANNA HOSTS COMMUNITY SOCCER TOURNAMENT

On Saturday, November 7<sup>th</sup>, BSO Weston once again shattered stereotypes of police department relationships with their community by participating in a community soccer tournament organized by the Savanna community. Soccer players of all ages and skill levels that reside in Savanna joined together with police, as well as Mayor Stermer and Commissioner Gomez, to participate in the tournament. It was a fun-filled day that included visits by the BSO Bomb Squad and SWAT teams.





















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### HOW WELL DO YOU KNOW YOUR CITY OF WESTON PARKS?

### **TEQUESTA TRACE PARK**600 Indian Trace



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



### **Tequesta Trace Park**

- Hours: 8:00 am 11:00 pm
- 42 acre community park
- 4 Baseball/Softball fields
- Football/Lacrosse field with stadium seating
- Running track
- Roller hockey rink
- Shaded playground
- Dog friendly park (dogs allowed on a max. 6' leash)

Park is located adjacent to Tequesta Trace Middle School.





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### TEQUESTA TRACE PARK continued











For more information about Weston parks, please call the Weston Community Center at 954-389-4321 or visit Westonfl.org/Parks.



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### CHLORINATION WATER TREATMENT

### Monday, November 16th - Monday, December 7th

The City of Sunrise maintains the highest quality standards to provide clean, safe drinking water to its customers, which includes the City of Weston. From **November 16**<sup>th</sup> **through December 7**<sup>th</sup>, the Sunrise Utility Department, which provides water to the City of Weston, will use a temporary free chlorine treatment process in the water system to provide additional protection against bacteria.



### What is Chlorination Water Treatment?

This temporary treatment of the water system is a common practice for water suppliers that use a chlorine treatment method. This periodic program is recommended by the Florida Department of Health.

This procedure does not cause any adverse health effects. However, some individuals may notice a slight change in the taste, odor or color of the water during this time.

**Special Considerations:** Kidney dialysis centers, nephrologists and hospitals have been notified in order for them to make any adjustments necessary in the various processes which they operate. Any questions regarding kidney dialysis should be directed to the user's doctor or dialysis specialist.

Some aquatic and marine animal species are sensitive to free chlorine; persons maintaining aquariums with any sensitive species may wish to contact their pet supply stores regarding dechlorination.

Information about drinking water and health is available on the Environmental Protection Agency's website (<a href="http://water.epa.gov/drink/info/index.cfm">http://water.epa.gov/drink/info/index.cfm</a>), and through the Safe Drinking Water Hotline: 1-800-426-4791.

For details regarding the City of Sunrise's treatment system, please contact the Utilities Department at **954-888-6000**.







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### RESOURCES FOR PET OWNERS

### Regulations:

City of Weston Code
See Chapter 53 on Animal
Care & Regulation

**Broward County Animal Laws** 

### **Agencies:**

Broward County
Animal Care & Adoption

Humane Society of Broward County

### **Dog-friendly Parks**

Dogs (on a leash) are allowed in the following City parks:

Country Isle Park
Eagle Point Park
Emerald Estates Park
Gator Run Park
Heron Park
Indian Trace Park
Library Park
Peace Mound Park
Tequesta Trace Park
Windmill Ranch Park

Barkham at Markham Dog Park

A space for dogs to play leash-free

### YES, PETS ARE PEOPLE, TOO! ... BUT REMEMBER TO FOLLOW CITY REGULATIONS



We love our pets here in the City of Weston. Dog lovers and cat lovers alike, as well owners of all other types of pets, should all be aware of the regulations that pertain to pet ownership in our City. The City's Code on Animal Care and Regulation (Ch. 53) refers to the <u>Broward County Animal Care Ordinance</u>.

Here are a few friendly reminders for Weston residents:

### Dogs must be on a leash in public areas

It is against the law for any dog to be at-large. Dogs cannot freely roam in a neighborhood, community, park or any open area. Dogs must be under the owner's control by either a leash, cord, chain or confined to the property by a fence. Dogs found to be at-large may be impounded at the Broward County Animal Care shelter.

(Broward Co. Code Sec. 4-3)

### • Pick up after Dogs and Cats

Taking Fido on a walk? Pet owners must pick up after dogs and cats in any public swale, sidewalk, park or right-of-way, and on any private property not belonging to the owner. (Broward County Code Sec. 4-8)

#### Annual Rabies Vaccination

All cats and dogs four months and older must be vaccinated against rabies every year by a licensed veterinarian. (Broward Co. Code Sec. 4-10)

### Annual County Registration

Every cat or dog in Broward County must have and wear a Broward County Rabies Registration Tag that is renewed annually. (Broward Co. Code Sec. 4-11)



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### **BROWARD'S NEIGHBORHOOD WATER CHALLENGE**



## Residents Can Win \$1000 Cash or a New Water-conserving Irrigation System for Water Conservation and Outreach

In the past four years, Broward residents, non-profits and businesses have saved millions of gallons of water through the BWP's ConservationPays program. Now, residents in participating partnership communities are eligible to participate in this year's Neighborhood Water Challenge.

### **Participation Categories:**

- \* Water Conservation

  Teams of neighbors (2 5) can get together to conserve water.
- \* Outreach and Education
  Contestants will develop and implement an outreach program to help their neighbors understand that conservation and reuse are more than saving water; it's about using all of our water resources wisely.

First place winners will receive \$1000 cash. The second place prize is a state-of-the-art water-conserving irrigation system.

The contest is sponsored by Broward Water Partnership, WateReuse Florida and WaterOptimizer and ends May 31, 2016.

### **Contest Details:**Water Conservation

In the water conservation competition neighbors will work together to save water over a two-month period. Water savings will be determined by comparing bills from 2015 to 2016. An average savings for each team will be calculated. The team that saves the most wins. Each household in the winning team will receive \$1000 cash. Each household on the second place team will receive a state-of-the-art Water Optimizer irrigation system.

#### **Outreach and Education**

A single resident or family can sign up to create an outreach and education plan to promote conservation and the value of using all of our water resources (the right water for the right purpose).

Contest runs through May 31, 2016. Program details are available at Conservationpays.com.





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### **CLEVELAND CLINIC FLORIDA KEEPS ON GROWING**

**Cleveland Clinic Florida Opens New Interventional Radiology Annex** 

In October, administrators and caregivers at Cleveland Clinic Florida gathered for a celebratory grand opening of the new 7,600-square-foot imaging annex on its Weston campus.

Housing three interventional radiology suites, the annex features two single and one biplane angiography suite with DynaCT capabilities that include state-of-the-art imaging. The suites will allow neuro-interventional radiologists to treat acute strokes and cerebral aneurysms. Interventional radiologists will also be able to minimally invasively diagnose and treat vascular aneurysms and blockages, liver tumors, other forms of cancer and uterine fibroids.

At the upcoming December 7, 2015 Weston City Commission meeting, Cleveland Clinic representatives are scheduled to make a presentation regarding future expansion plans in Weston.



(Pictured L-R) Ozzie Delgado, Chief Operating Officer; Wael Barsoum, MD, President, Cleveland Clinic Florida; Rodolfo J. Blandon, MD, Interventional Radiologist and Center Director, Imaging; Interventional Radiologists: Amit Kalia, MD, Kevin Stadtlander, MD and Mark Berman, MD; John Dale, Supervisor, Interventional Radiology; David Aronov, RN, Nurse Manager and Alex Espinosa, Administrative Director of Imaging and Support Services.



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## VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES OUTSIDE THE CITY



The City of Weston maintains a list of high school students in need of volunteer hours that is utilized for city events and special projects.

To be added to the list, please email your request to <a href="mailto:cityhall@westonfl.org">cityhall@westonfl.org</a> or call 954-385-2000

When there are no opportunities in the city, we encourage students to research different organizations that utilize volunteers.

There are many local charitable non-profits and county wide programs that students can partner up with.



The organizations listed below are all separate entities from the City of Weston. The listing is for informational purposes only; the City does not endorse the organizations.

#### **HandsOn Broward**

<u>www.handsonbroward.org</u> - over 600 non-profit organizations in Broward connecting individuals and groups to the right organization for volunteer effort.

### **Broward County**

<u>http://www.broward.org/volunteer/</u> - offers opportunities for residents to volunteer their services to benefit their community.

### **Weston Library**

http://www.broward.org/library/organizations/volunteers - Become an LVP (Library Volunteer Person), for more information call 954-357-5420.

### **Broward County Parks**

V.I.P Program, (Volunteers Improving Parks) is directly involved in maintaining and improving our parks, landscaped areas, greenways, and recreational facilities to help build community spirit and a sense of civic pride and responsibility. For more information, contact the park of your choice or the Parks Volunteer Coordinator at 954-357-8153 or by email at parksvolunteers@broward.org.





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## HAPPENINGS... AT THE WESTON YMCA FAMILY CENTER

### Black Friday Special One Day Only: Friday, November 27th

You can join the Y with \$0 Joining Fee and receive 20% off any sports league or swim lesson and buy 10 personal training sessions and get 5 FREE. A potential savings of over \$400. Get a head start on a healthy New Year!

### Water Polo 7 PM – 9 PM

Water Polo started up on October  $27^{th}$ , but it's not too late to join the fun! Get in the game every Tuesday night, 7 - 9 pm. Give it a try, the first week is free and bring a friend to join in the fun!

### Flag Football Early Registration begins November 29<sup>th</sup>

Registration is now open for the flag football league. Players practice once during the week and play games on Saturdays. Recreational and competitive levels available for all experience levels, ages 4 - 17. League starts January 9, 2016.

### **Tutoring**

Starting this month, the Weston Y will be offering small group tutoring Monday through Thursday to YMCA afterschool participants. Students will be pulled out in groups of five to work on homework and meeting their educational goals. Registration is open to all afterschool participants. Stop by the front desk today to take advantage of this awesome resource for your children!

YMCA of South Florida Weston YMCA Family Center

> 20201 Saddle Club Road Weston, FL 33327

www.ymcasouthflorida.org

954-424-9622

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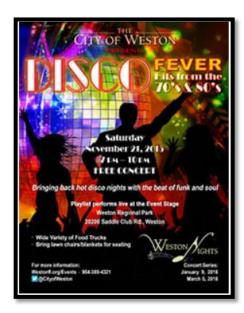


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### **SUMMARY OF EVENTS AND PROGRAMS**

### **CITY EVENTS**

Westonfl.org/Events



## WestonNights CONCERT IN THE PARK DISCO FEVER



Saturday, November 21st
7:00 PM - 10:00 PM
Event Stage at Weston Regional Park
20200 Saddle Club Road

The first of three FREE themed, Concerts in the Park. Weston is bringing back the hot disco nights as we pay tribute to the 70's with DISCO FEVER. The band Playlist will be live onstage with songs such as *Superfreak*, *Disco Inferno*, *Celebration*, *I Will Survive* and many more favorites from the hit list.

Feel free to break out the bell bottoms, sequins, platforms and big hair, or come as you are - **WestonNights** is the perfect date night or family fun night. WestonFL.org/Events

Bring lawn seating or blankets.

FOOD TRUCKS will be on site.



### CITY ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES CLOSED FOR THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY

Wednesday, Nov. 25<sup>th</sup> – Offices close at 3PM Thursday, Nov. 26<sup>th</sup> – Offices closed; Parks close at 6PM Friday, Nov. 27<sup>th</sup> – Offices closed; Parks are open

There is regular garbage collection service on all days.



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### FREE MOONLIGHT MOVIE IN THE PARK

Featuring TOMORROWLAND

Saturday, December 5<sup>th</sup>
7:30 PM
Outdoors at the Event Stage in the Weston Regional Park
20200 Saddle Club Road

A jaded scientist and an optimistic teen embark on a danger-filled mission to unearth the secrets of an enigmatic place somewhere in time and space. Action, Family, 130 min. Rated PG.

Bring lawn chairs or blankets, the movie is on us!



#### CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, December 7<sup>th</sup> at 7:00 PM
Weston City Hall, 17200 Royal Palm Boulevard
A regular meeting of the Weston City Commission.



### 18<sup>th</sup> Annual Run For Tomorrow Half Marathon & 5K Run

Sunday, December 13, 2015 Race time: 6:20AM New location: Cypress Bay High School, 18600 Vista Park Blvd. New dri-fit shirts and beautiful die-cast medals!

Click to Register!





### MAYOR'S GET FIT CHALLENGE CUP WALK Weston Elementary Students

Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>

New location: Cypress Bay High School, 18600 Vista Park
Special pricing of \$10 per student includes entrance, race
bib, T-shirt and breakfast!

SEE MORE INFORMATION ON NEXT PAGE!



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All Weston elementary students are invited & encouraged to participate in a special 1-Mile *Mayor's Get Fit Challenge Cup Walk*. The trophy cup and \$1,500 will be awarded to the school with the most participants, and \$250 to each participating schools' leading classroom.

<u>Click here and Register Today!</u> Forms are also available at your school and the Weston website Westonfl.org



#### MAYOR'S GET FIT FEST

Sunday, December 13<sup>th</sup>

9:00 AM - 1:00PM

**New location:** Cypress Bay High School, 18600 Vista Park FREE event - Visit dozens of fitness, health and wellness providers that offer information, giveaways, games, wellness checks, fitness demonstrations, entertainment and more. Children's area to include bounce houses and rock climbing wall.

**Special Guest and run participant Edward Lychik** will speak at the Fest about the importance of having a vision and share his story of overcoming incredible tragedy. Mr. Lychik is a combat-wounded veteran, a hip-amputee who has completed four marathons using a running prosthetic he helped to develop. He will run in the 5K.



### **HOLIDAY GIFT IDEA**

### TICKETS FOR SYMPHONY OF THE AMERICAS CONCERT Opera to Broadway III

Tickets on sale at the Weston Community Center for the Saturday, February 6, 2016 concert event in Weston at the Cypress Bay Theater. A perfect gift! Advance tickets just \$20

For more information or ticket purchase, please call 954-389-4321.



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#### **HOLIDAY SCHEDULE**

Thursday, December 24th - Christmas Eve

Offices close at 12:00PM City Parks close at 6:00PM

**Regular garbage collection** 

Friday, December 25<sup>th</sup> – Christmas Day

Offices closed.

Parks close at 6:00PM

There is NO garbage collection service; collection will occur on your next regularly scheduled pickup day.

Thursday, December 31st - New Year's Eve

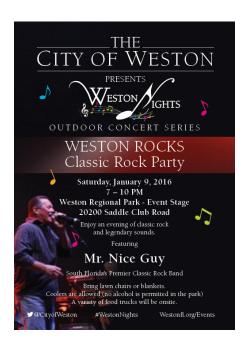
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Friday, January 1, 2016 – New Year's Day

Offices closed.

Parks close at 6:00PM

Regular garbage collection



# WestonNights CONCERT IN THE PARK WESTON ROCKS – A Classic Rock Party



Saturday, January 9, 2016 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM Event Stage at Weston Regional Park 20200 Saddle Club Road

Rock in the New Year! Enjoy an evening of classic rock and legendary sounds. South Florida's Premier Classic Rock band, Mr. Nice Guy will be onstage in the Weston Regional Park for a perfect *WestonNights* date night or family fun night. **FOOD TRUCKS** on site.



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### **ONGOING CITY PROGRAMS**

#### **BSO WESTON POLICE SERVICES**

More information on programs listed below: Call 954-389-2010 or visit <a href="www.westonfl.org/Departments/Police/PoliceHome.aspx">www.westonfl.org/Departments/Police/PoliceHome.aspx</a>.





### SAFE SELLING TRANSACTION ZONE A LOCATION FOR 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.

Download a flyer here: Safe Transaction Zone

#### **BSO WESTON FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT**

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





#### **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 Weston Fire Station No. 81. Classes are also offered at your own location with a 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 COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

More information on the programs below, call 954-385-2000.





#### REGISTER FOR CODERED

All residents and businesses should register with the City's CodeRED Emergency Notification System.

To register, please visit:

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



### WESTON DELIVERS THE LATEST NEWS DIRECTLY TO YOUR INBOX

- \* Newsday Tuesday: A collection of weekly city news articles, information and events.
- \* General Notifications: Updates on projects; media releases; sports registrations, events and more.

**Subscribe at:** 

http://www.westonfl.org/Events/EmailSubscriptions.aspx



### WESTON GOVERNMENT INFORMATION CHANNEL

The Weston government access channel can be found on these channels with local cable television providers:

Advanced Communications – Channel #25

Comcast Cable – Channel #78

AT&T U-verse – Channel #99, scroll to Weston Government TV



#### **WESTON GOVERNMENT RADIO 1680AM**

Information on City events, programs, services and more. In the event of an emergency, all broadcasts will be interrupted and emergency notifications will be provided. This AM channel can be accessed in your car while in and around the City of Weston. Tune in today.