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CITY COMMISSION PRESENTATIONS

May 15, 2017



Students of the Weston University Program Class of 2017 graduation recognition



Proclamation recognizing Emergency Medical Services Week presented to Fire Chief Bruce Angier



Honoring Mrs. Mona Habib for 28 years of library advocacy and 24 years as president of Weston Friends of the Library



Proclamation recognizing Public Works Week presented to Director of Public Works Karl Thompson, P.E.



Deputy Arik Levy recognized as BSO Weston Employee of the Month



TEQUESTA TRACE PARK FIELD CONVERSION UPDATE

Two natural grass football/soccer fields were converted to multi-purpose artificial turf fields.



There are numerous benefits to artificial turf, particularly for active fields. Artificial turf can be played on during wet conditions; they require far less maintenance than grass; they will not develop holes and divots; and they increase capacity.



FIELDS COMPLETED!

The transformation of two grass fields within Tequesta Trace Park to artificial turf is complete. The artificial surface will allow for year-round use, not needing to be re-sodded, and can be played on in wet conditions.

The artificial turf has been utilized on several hockey rink conversions in Regional Park which received rave reviews. The Parks and Recreation Department staff spent approximately 6 years researching the best available products and visiting turf field installations. The selected product, using an organic infill, is of the highest quality and meets all safety, performance and environmental considerations set in place for the best interests of residents and visitors alike.




The fields will be used mainly for football, lacrosse, and rugby as well as use by the Tequesta Trace Middle School sports programs.





Sheriff Scott Israel



Broward Sheriff's Office
District VIII
17300 Royal Palm Blvd
Weston, FL 33326

Phone: 954-389-2010
Fax: 954-389-2029
E-mail: kari_pallotto@sheriff.org

Registration form available online at WestonFL.org

The Weston University Police Services Academy is an eight-week program to introduce students between the ages of 11-17 to law enforcement and the Broward Sheriff's Office.

Lectures and field trips will include topics in:

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

The program will be held on Monday nights from 6PM-8PM, June 19 through August 7, 2017.
Tours are on Tuesdays from 8:30AM - Noon.
There is no fee for this program but space is limited.
Classes are held at the Weston Police Services Center.

DEADLINE: If interested, complete and return a registration form to the Weston, BSO Police Services Building no later than June 2, 2017.

WESTON UNIVERSITY BSO POLICE SERVICES ACADEMY

Young adults in Weston can enjoy a summer filled with exciting and engaging activities centered around law enforcement. Interested participants ages 11 – 17 must submit a completed application for the Weston University BSO Police Services Academy by June 2nd to participate in the popular program, which will meet weekly from June 19th through August 7, 2017.

The program classes are held at the Weston Police Services Building on Monday evenings, 6 – 8 PM. Tours will take place on Tuesdays from 8:30 AM – 12:00 PM.

There is no fee to attend the program; however, space is limited.

To Apply:

1. [Click here](#) to download an application or pick one up at the Weston BSO Police Services Building.
2. Submit completed application to Weston BSO **no later than June 2, 2017.**

Questions
about the
BSO Police Services
Academy?

Contact
Deputy Kari Pallotto
954-389-2010
Kari_pallotto@sheriff.org





May 23, 2017

THE CITY OF WESTON



PREPARE FOR A PATRIOTIC CELEBRATION AT ANNUAL 4th OF JULY EVENTS

Weston's Annual 4th of July Hometown Celebration 5K Run/Walk *Sponsored by Broward Health Weston and the City of Weston*

This race begins and ends at Weston Regional Park, 20200 Saddle Club Road. Race start is at 7 a.m. sharp. [Click here](#) to register online today.

Entry fees:

- o \$25 early registration (through 6/13)
- o \$35 after June 13th

Race day registration / packet pick-up begins at 5:30 AM

Awards to be presented include:

- o Top 3 Overall Male and Female
- o Top Masters Male and Female
- o Top Weston Resident Male and Female
- o Top 3 in each age division, Male and Female.



City of Weston's 2017 4th of July Hometown Parade



Join us at the City of Weston's 2017 4th of July Hometown Parade! Participants including elected leaders, local businesses, civic groups, schools, bands, organizations and residents gather to march in Weston's biggest and most exciting event.

This year's parade theme is: ***The Great American Spirit***

Parade begins promptly at 10:30AM.

Join the parade! [Click here](#) to download a parade application.

[Click here](#) to view video promo.



Sheriff Scott Israel

DISTRICT VIII WESTON

17300 Royal Palm Boulevard
Weston, Florida 33326

www.sheriff.org
954-389-2010

Lobby is open 6 a.m.-10 p.m.
Administrative Office Hours
Monday – Friday
8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Emergency: 9-1-1

Non-Emergency Dispatch:
954-764-HELP (4357)

Weston District Office:
954-389-2010

Weston Traffic Unit:
954-389-2016

Weston Detective Bureau:
954-659-3531

Crime Prevention Services:
954-389-2030

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Online News Article

May 23, 2017

What's on
the Web?



BSO WESTON SERVICES FOR RESIDENTS

The Broward Sheriff's Office Weston District offers a variety of programs that enhance crime prevention and safety in the community. Here is a list of some of the programs you may wish to take advantage of:

BikeTrack

A service to all residents that live within a jurisdiction served by the Broward Sheriff's Office. Register your bicycle online at:

<http://www.sheriff.org/apps/biketrack/register.cfm>

HomeWatch

Heading out of town for summer vacation? Register for the HomeWatch program and BSO will check your home daily for signs of suspicious activity.

http://www.westonfl.org/media/docs/misc/2017_Home_Watch_Request.pdf

LoJack Safety Net

A tool for the caregivers and family members of anyone with a medical condition that may cause him/her to wander or become lost. The client is outfitted with a personal locator unit.

Begin the application process here:

<http://www.lojacksafetynet.com/>

For additional crime prevention services available, visit [City of Weston Police Services Center](#).



CYPRESS BAY DEBAYTE TEAM

Winners at the National Tournament of Champions!



Congratulations to the Cypress Bay DeBAYte team for their outstanding accomplishments at the National Tournament of Champions

L-R: Graduating seniors from Cypress Bay DeBAYters: Sharan Sawlani, Maeghanan Fitzgerald, Brian Levy, Sterling Wertanzl, Aetedal Odeh, Daniel Gamboa, Reilly Markowitz, Roberto Fernandez, and Hannah Gutner

Debaters work all year to qualify for a national tournament, at which only the top competitors are invited to compete. Seventeen of Cypress Bay High School's debayers were invited to compete at the National Tournament of Champions held earlier this month in Lexington, KY. The students competed against 1,000+ students from over 40 states and four countries.

Along with gaining a National Champion in Oral Interpretation, the team now also has seven other debaters that rank in the top 30 of their respective events.

Congratulations to the following students:

Sterling Wertanzl

National Champion in Oral Interpretation

Brian Levy

10th place in Extemporaneous Speaking

Daniel Gamboa

13th place in Extemporaneous Speaking

Aetedal Odeh

17th place in Oral Interpretation

Zachary Wurtenberger

18th place in Humorous Interpretation

Hannah Gutner

Top 20 of Congressional Debate

Roberto Fernandez

23rd Speaker in Policy Debate

Reilly Markowitz

26th Speaker in Policy Debate



Some winners from the debate team (shown left, L-R): Daniel Gamboa, Sterling Wertanzl, Zachary Wurtenberger, Brian Levy and Aetedal Odeh.



SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY 5TH-YEAR MINORITY ACCOUNTING STUDENTS

CLAY FORD SCHOLARSHIP

For 5th-year minority accounting students!



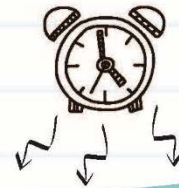
Scholarship recipients will receive \$3,000 - \$6,000 per semester for a maximum of two semesters!

↪ Apply online at ↪

www.myfloridalicense.com/CPAscholarship

ELIGIBILITY

- Financial need as calculated through completion of FAFSA application
- Ethnicity, gender or racial minority status
- Scholastic ability and performance (including the intention of sitting for the CPA exam)
- Completion of 120 credit hours from an accredited institution in Florida (Applicants will be entering their 5th year)
- Florida residency



Apply today
before the
**JUNE 1, 2017
DEADLINE!**

Florida
dbopr

#FutureCPAs



Use the hashtag
to share your
excitement!



MEMORIAL DAY

City Offices Will be Closed on Monday, May 29th



Memorial Day is a United States federal holiday that is observed on the last Monday of May. Formerly known as **Decoration Day**, this holiday commemorates U.S. men and women who gave the ultimate sacrifice in service to their country. It began first to honor Union soldiers who died during the American Civil War. After World War I, it was expanded to include those who died in any war or military action.

A national moment of remembrance takes place annually at 3:00 p.m.

It is a tradition to fly the U.S. flag at half-staff from dawn until noon at many ceremonies and government buildings. The half-staff position pays respect to the more than one million men and women who gave their lives in service of their country. At noon, their memory is raised by the living, who resolve not to let their sacrifice be in vain, but to rise up in their stead and continue the fight for liberty and justice for all.

Please take time to remember those who gave the ultimate sacrifice while serving our country.

City Administrative Offices will be closed in observance of **Memorial Day on Monday, May 29th**.

City parks will be open.
There will be garbage service on this day.



SPORTS ANYONE? SPORTS CAMP AT WESTON TENNIS CENTER

Summer is basically here, so why not enroll your child in the **Summer Sports Camp** at the **Weston Tennis Center**?

- The camp is open to ages 5 years old to 15; all skill levels
- The program includes tennis, mini tennis, swimming, soccer, soccer, team competitions, and arts & crafts.

Session Dates: June 12th – August 18th
Ages: 5 - 15
Times: Full day: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.
 Half day: 9 a.m. – 12 p.m.

Cost varies for members and non-members, full and half days. Before and after care program available for additional fee.

[Click here](#) to register online.

Equipment/Clothing needed:

- Tennis Racquet
- Sunscreen
- Tennis Shoes
- Hat
- Water Bottle



Campers must bring their own lunch & snacks!

SPACE IS LIMITED - SIGN UP NOW!

For more information on Summer Camp or other tennis programs, contact the Weston Tennis Center at 954-389-8666, or visit WestonTennis.com.



HAPPENINGS...

AT THE WESTON YMCA FAMILY CENTER

Weston Wellness

YMCA Personal Training is a one-on-one, one hour time with a personal fitness trainer. Our personal trainers are educated professionals often with years of experience who can help any YMCA member including working professionals, new moms, seniors and triathletes.



Jumpstart Special 4 Sessions \$120 | Book your free orientation at the Y front desk.

Cypress Bay YMCA Scholarships

This season, the YMCA staff and volunteer board of directors proudly recognized the 2017 YMCA Youth Volunteer Scholarship recipients. According to the Y, these two individuals have demonstrated the core values of the organization: caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. At the Y, their main focus is Social Responsibility and both of these recipients have truly demonstrated their philanthropic nature and passion for volunteering.



Congratulations Miss Kristin Maldonado and Mr. William Fierro as recipients of the \$2000 each, 2017 YMCA Youth Volunteer Scholarship Award.

YMCA of South Florida - Weston YMCA Family Center

20201 Saddle Club Road, Weston, FL 33327

ymcasouthflorida.org

954-424-9622 | Located inside Weston Regional Park



UPCOMING CITY EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

Westonfl.org/Events



MEMORIAL DAY - OFFICES CLOSED

Monday, May 29, 2017

City administrative offices will be closed in honor of Memorial Day, a day of remembrance for those who have paid the ultimate sacrifice in service to our country as a member of the United States Armed Forces. City parks will be open regular hours.



CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, June 5, 2017

7:00 PM

Weston City Hall, 17200, Royal Palm Boulevard

A regular meeting of the Weston City Commission



CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, June 19, 2017

7:00 PM

Weston City Hall, 17200, Royal Palm Boulevard

A regular meeting of the Weston City Commission



CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, July 3, 2017

7:00 PM

Weston City Hall, 17200, Royal Palm Boulevard

A regular meeting of the Weston City Commission

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Click here to view the full event list.*



WESTON 4TH OF JULY HOMETOWN CELEBRATION 5K RUN/WALK

Tuesday, July 4, 2017

Racetime: 7:00 AM

Broward Health Weston and the City of Weston

Join your friends and family for a morning holiday celebration run in the area of Weston Regional Park. The course is out and back on South Post Road with a lap around the park to the finish line in front of the Community Center.



THE CITY OF WESTON



WESTON 4TH OF JULY HOMETOWN CELEBRATION PARADE

Celebrating the Great American Spirit

Tuesday, July 4, 2017

10:30 AM

Weston Town Center and Surrounding Areas

Parade Entry is FREE!

All interested groups, organizations, businesses and bands are welcome! Join us for a 4th of July traditions and walk or ride with our City leaders in Weston's biggest and most exciting event of the year. Entry deadline is June 23rd.

[FREE PARADE ENTRY APPLICATION](#)

[Video PROMO](#)



ONGOING CITY PROGRAMS



BSO WESTON POLICE SERVICES

More information on programs listed below call 954-389-2010 or visit the [Police Page](#) on our website.



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](#)



WESTON UNIVERSITY BSO POLICE SERVICES ACADEMY

JUNE 19th– AUGUST 7, 2017

RESIDENTS AGES 11-17 MUST APPLY BY JUNE 2ND

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.

The program meets on Monday evenings 6:00 – 8:00 p.m. from June 19th - August 7, 2017. The program meets at the Weston Police Services Building.

For detailed program information and an on-line application, [click here.](#)



LAW ENFORCEMENT EXPLORER PROGRAM

For young men and women ages 14-21. The program provides interaction with law enforcement and other community advisors in a serious, regimented atmosphere where students can demonstrate personal initiative. Offers students the opportunity to learn & experience lawful citizenship as they participate side-by-side with certified BSO deputies in ongoing training and community service projects. For detailed program information and an on-line application, [click here](#).



CITIZEN OBSERVER PATROL (C.O.P.) PROGRAM

COP's are the additional eyes and ears of the community, assisting and enhancing BSO policing efforts. Members of the Broward Sheriff's Office of Countywide Operations professionally train volunteers. Assignments in addition to patrol, include performing checks on unoccupied residences at owner's request, checking on elderly or homebound and reporting potential problems and neighborhood hazards and assist at Weston community events. You must be 18 years of age with a valid driver's license. Interested? Please call the Weston District at **954-389-2010**.



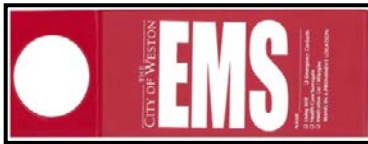
HOMEWATCH PROGRAM

Planning to go out of town this summer? Be sure to register for BSO's Homewatch program. BSO will check your home daily for signs of suspicious activity. [Click here](#) to download the application to complete and submit to the Weston District Office.



BSO WESTON FIRE RESCUE DEPARTMENT

More information on programs listed below, call 954-389-2015 or visit the Fire Department web page.



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. Call 954-389-2015 Monday – Friday.



COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TEAM (CERT)

The Weston CERT Program educates citizens about disaster preparedness for hazards that may impact their area and trains them in basic disaster response skills, fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization and disaster medical operations. Join today! Call 954-389-2015. View Weston CERT [online](#).



WESTON COMMUNICATIONS DEPARTMENT

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



REGISTER FOR CODERED

Residents and businesses should register with the City's CodeRED Emergency Notification System. **Register:** www.westonfl.org/Residents/Hurricane/CodeRed.aspx



E-NOTIFICATIONS: WESTON DELIVERS THE LATEST NEWS DIRECT TO YOUR INBOX

Newsday Tuesday: The official City e-Newsletter. A once weekly newsletter delivered each Tuesday morning with city news articles, information, and events.

E-Notifications: Updates on projects; media releases; events and more. **Subscribe at:**

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



WESTON GOVERNMENT CHANNEL

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

Blue Stream – Channel #25

Comcast Cable – Channel #78

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



WESTON GOVERNMENT RADIO 1680AM

Tune in for 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.

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