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## FLORIDA CITY GOVERNMENT WEEK OCTOBER 23 – 29, 2017



Florida City Government Week is a time to recognize the important role played by city government in our lives and the week of October 23<sup>rd</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup> offers an excellent opportunity to spread the word to all the residents of Florida that they can shape and influence this branch of government.

Because city government is the one with the most direct daily impact upon its residents, municipal officials feel they have a responsibility to pass along their understanding of public services and their benefits.

Cities across Florida will be celebrating City Government Week, sponsored by the Florida League of Cities (FLC), to showcase cities and the many services they provide. The League is the official organization of municipal governments in Florida, designed and established to meet and serve the needs of Florida's municipalities and their citizens.



During Florida City Government Week, the City of Weston supports this effort by kicking off our annual seven-month long Weston University program, which will begin on October 25th. This civic education program teaches high school students about municipal government through a variety of classroom and hands-on experiences.

The Weston City Commission supports and encourages educational partnerships between city government and schools and encourages all citizens to realize their potential to shape and influence government through their civic involvement.

**For more information on Florida City Government Week, please visit**  
[www.FloridaLeagueofCities.com](http://www.FloridaLeagueofCities.com).



## INDIAN TRACE PARK REDESIGN PROJECT RESIDENT OPEN HOUSE TONIGHT

The City of Weston is hosting an Open House **tonight** (Tuesday, October 17th) for the Indian Trace Park Redesign project. Stop by Weston City Hall to view the park rendering and speak with Weston's Parks and Recreation Director, Don Decker, about the project. Indian Trace Park is a 5-acre neighborhood park located at 400 Indian Trace, adjacent to Indian Trace Elementary School.

### INDIAN TRACE PARK REDESIGN OPEN HOUSE Tuesday, October 17<sup>th</sup> (TONIGHT!) | 3:00 – 7:00 pm Weston City Hall, 17200 Royal Palm Boulevard

#### Project highlights include:

- New playground with shade canopy and poured in place safety surfacing
- Resurfaced basketball courts
- Renovated baseball and multipurpose fields
- Fitness stations with shade canopy
- Bike FixIt Repair Station
- Parking lot
- Restroom
- Lighted walkways



### [Indian Trace Park Redesign Project Open House Flyer](#)



## HEALTHY LIVING TIP OCTOBER IS BREAST CANCER AWARENESS MONTH

October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month. While most people are aware of breast cancer, many forget to take the steps necessary to detect the disease in its early stages. Think of this: why not invest a little bit of time beforehand, rather than having to pay with your life after the fact? Although this disease is not 100% preventable, it is best treated when detected early on.

### Detection Tips from the Fred Hutchinson Cancer Research Center

1. **If you are over 40, get a mammogram.** Early detection of breast cancer offers the best chance for a cure.

2. **Go digital.** Digital scans can do a better job of detecting cancer in these women than traditional film mammography.

3. **Know how your breasts feel normally.** If you notice a change in your breasts, such as a lump or swelling, skin irritation or dimpling, talk to your health care provider.

4. **Know your risk.** If you have family members who have had breast cancer before reaching menopause, tell your doctor, as your own risk of cancer may be higher than average.

5. **Try an online risk calculator.** The Breast Cancer Risk Assessment Tool, designed by the National Cancer Institute, is a questionnaire to help women determine their chances of developing invasive breast cancer.

6. **Don't put off screening because of discomfort.** Fear that the exam will be uncomfortable is one reason women put off scheduling a mammogram.

To reduce discomfort, try to schedule the exam after your monthly menstruation, when breast tissue is less sensitive. You may benefit by taking an over-the-counter anti-inflammatory such as ibuprofen or acetaminophen before your mammogram.

Above all, tell the mammography technologist about any discomfort you may be experiencing. They can work with you to make the experience more comfortable.

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AWARENESS MONTH





## WESTON FOREIGN FILMS SERIES RETURNS

**Presented by the Arts Council of Greater Weston & the City of Weston**

Now in its 12<sup>th</sup> season, the Weston Foreign Film Series celebrates independent foreign films and introduces a unique spectrum of international films and film makers to a diverse audience.

*First in the Series!*

**Like Water for Chocolate**

***Como El Agua Para Chocolate* (Mexico)**

**Monday, November 13, 2017**

**Showtimes: 4:45 PM and 7:30 PM**

**AMC Weston 8, 1338 SW 106 Avenue, Sunrise**



*Tita is passionately in love with Pedro, but her controlling mother forbids her from marrying him. When Pedro marries her sister, Tita throws herself into her cooking and discovers she can transfer her emotions through the food she prepares, infecting all who eat it with her intense heartbreak.*

**Mexico | 1992 | 105 minutes | R**

### **TICKETS ARE ONSALE NOW**

***Purchase Series Tickets for a Limited Time***

Foreign Film Series (5 films, November - March): \$35.00, purchase before Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>.

Foreign Film Series (4 films, December - March): \$30, on sale after Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>.

Individual tickets \$8.00 at the door, limited availability.

Tickets are available for purchase at the following locations:

- Weston Community Center (checks only), 20200 Saddle Club Road
- Weston Branch Library, inside the Friends Book Store (cash/check), 4205 Bonaventure Boulevard

All films are shown in their native language and have English subtitles.

Visit [www.1weston.com](http://www.1weston.com) or call 954-389-4321.



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## BSO FIRE RESCUE AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WESTON DISTRICT

The City of Weston is served by an agency that has achieved a Class 1 ISO Rating, which is the Highest rating attainable. [Read more about this rating here.](#)

### CONTACT INFORMATION

Emergency: 9-1-1

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

Phone (Administration):  
954-389-2015

[www.WestonFL.org](http://www.WestonFL.org) and  
click on "Departments" and  
"Fire & EMS"



## BSO FIRE RESCUE COMMUNITY PROGRAMS

The City of Weston is services by the Broward Sheriff's Office Fire Rescue and Emergency Services Department. The Department offers a variety of services for Weston residents.

Details are available online at:

[WestonFL.org/Departments/FireEMS/FireEMSHome.aspx](http://WestonFL.org/Departments/FireEMS/FireEMSHome.aspx)

### Child Car/Safety Seats

Child seat inspection/installations are conducted twice a month by appointment only. Please call 954-389-2015 to schedule an appointment.

### Blood Pressure Checks

Residents and visitors can stop by any station to have their blood pressure checked. Please be advised that you may have to wait, as personnel may be out on a call.

### Smoke Alarm Installation and/or Battery Replacement for Elderly or Disabled

Fire Department staff will assist seniors or disabled persons by installing or replacing batteries in smoke detectors in their homes. Call 954-389-2015 to schedule.

### CPR Certification Classes | FREE for Weston residents

Classes are held at Fire Station 81, or your own site if you have 8 or more persons. Get certified. Call 954-389-2015 to schedule your training session today.



## AFTER THE STORM HAS SAFELY PASSED...

### Hurricane Preparedness

It is important to keep in mind the following after a storm has passed:



- Stay tuned to local media and/or NOAA radio.
- Return to your home or venture outdoors only after local officials advise that it is safe to do so. Limit driving due to downed trees and power lines.
- Inspect your home for damage. If your home is unsafe or badly damaged, locate other accommodations. To assist BSO with emergency response priorities, participate in the [Damage Assessment Program](#).
- Beware of fallen power lines. While electricity may be out, service can be restored at any time and lines may become “hot.”
- Avoid driving, if possible. If you must be on the roads, remember that many traffic signals may be inoperative. Treat all intersections as a 4-way stop.

Water treatment safety tips to follow if your water source becomes contaminated and/or a Precautionary Boil Water Notice is issued for the community:

1. Begin by filtering water with a coffee filter to remove any solid materials that may be floating in the water.
2. Bring the water to a rolling boil for one minute, then allow the water to cool for 30 minutes.
3. Add 16 drops of chlorine bleach per gallon of water, or 8 drops per 2-liter bottle. The only active ingredient in the bleach should be hypochlorite of a concentration of 5.25% to 6%. Make sure the bleach does not contain any perfumes or soaps.
4. Let water remain standing for thirty minutes.
5. Use the water only if it smells of chlorine. If it does not, add another round of drops (16 per gallon and 8 per 2-liter bottle).



***Up-to-date information during and following a storm will be posted on our website under “Happening Now” at [WestonFL.org](#) and distributed via E-Notifications ([Subscribe here](#)). Follow us on Twitter [@CityofWeston](#) for important real-time notices. Information will also be made available on the Weston Cable Channel or AM Radio 1680. If deemed necessary, a CodeRED call will be done to notify Weston residents of important news. Be sure to subscribe to [CodeRed online](#) or by calling 954-385-2000.***



## WESTON COMMUNITY CENTER PROGRAM THE FIRST TEE GOLF PROGRAM

PRESENTED BY  **Kidokinetics**

The **First Tee Golf Program** is a fun and engaging learning experience. The program combines learning basic golf skills and fundamentals through an innovative curriculum developed by The First Tee, in collaboration with the PGA, LPGA, Champions Tour and Masters Association. Equipment is specifically designed for young children with oversized club faces, color coded grips, and target-oriented training tools. Class takes place outdoors at the Weston Community Center, 2002 Saddle Club Road.

**The First Tee Golf Program**  
*For Girls and Boys in Grades K - 3*  
Mondays | 4:30 – 5:15 p.m.



**Sessions:** October 23 – November 20, 2017 (5 weeks)  
November 27 – December 18, 2017 (4 weeks)  
\$60 for 4 weeks | \$75 for 5 weeks

*For more information, call the Weston Community Center at 954-389-4321.*







## HAPPENINGS...

## AT THE WESTON YMCA FAMILY CENTER



### Fun for Kids in the Kitchen

ONE DAY CLASS!

October 21<sup>st</sup> from 9 AM – 11 AM

Teen Center | Ages 5-12

Cooking up a Spooktacular cuisine with Ms. Josh and Ms. Ivy!

### Fall Basketball – Men’s Leagues

Registration OPEN | \$500 per team

Season Begins: October 20<sup>th</sup>

Ages 18-35 & 35 and over

The YMCA is proud to present a new way to prove your skills on the court! A new league for those teams looking to win!

Waitlist for individuals who do not have a team is free.

Once the team is set it will be \$50 per player. Minimum number of people on a team is 8 and maximum is 10.

**GET YOUR  
GAME ON!  
ADULT BASKETBALL  
LEAGUE**



YMCA of South Florida - Weston YMCA Family Center

20201 Saddle Club Road, Weston, FL 33327

[ymcasouthflorida.org](http://ymcasouthflorida.org)

954-424-9622 | Located inside Weston Regional Park



## UPCOMING CITY EVENTS AND PROGRAMS

[Westonfl.org/Events](http://Westonfl.org/Events)



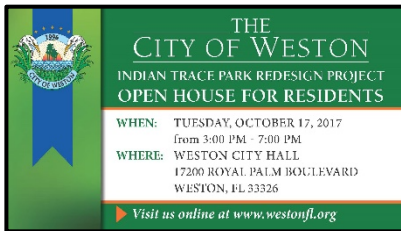
### CITY COMMISSION MEETING

Monday, October 16, 2017

7:00 PM

Weston City Hall, 17200, Royal Palm Boulevard

A regular meeting and second budget hearing of the Weston City Commission.



### OPEN HOUSE – Indian Trace Park Redesign

Tuesday, October 17, 2017

3:00PM -7:00 PM

Weston City Hall, 17200, Royal Palm Boulevard

The City of Weston has initiated a redesign of Indian Trace Park to include the following highlights:

- *New playground with shade canopy & poured in place safety surfacing*
- *Renovated baseball & multipurpose fields*
- *Resurfaced basketball courts*
- *Fitness stations with shade canopy*

**LEGEND**

- 1 BASEBALL FIELD
- 2 MULTI-PURPOSE FIELD
- 3 PLAYGROUND (WITH SHADE COVER)
- 4 BASKETBALL COURT (RESURFACED)
- 5 MULTI-PURPOSE COURT (RESURFACED)
- 6 EXISTING SHADE PAVILLION
- 7 FITNESS STATIONS (WITH RELOCATED SHADE COVER)
- 8 NEW RESTROOM BUILDING
- 9 PARKING LOT (PAVERS)
- 10 SCHOOL GATE ACCESS
- 11 EMERGENCY/SERVICE GATE ACCESS
- 12 MONUMENT SIGN
- 13 FENCE

*The Director of Parks and Recreation will be on-hand with an informational display and to answer questions that you may have on this project during convenient hours. Drop by anytime between 3:00PM and 7:00PM.*



## **RESIDENTIAL QUARTERLY BULK TRASH PICKUP**

The Quarterly Residential Bulk Trash Pickup will occur in October on your regularly scheduled garbage collection day as follows, but **may take longer due to the additional amount of bulk matter.**

**Single Family & Multi-family with curbside collections: Wednesday, October 18, Thursday, October 19 OR Friday, October 20**

**Multi-Family with dumpsters (also known as “Containerized Service”): Saturday, October 21**

FREE Bulk Pickup will take place on your regularly scheduled garbage collection day and all items should be curbside by 7 a.m. Bulk Waste service is not to exceed 6 cubic yards of waste per residential household unit.

### **Bulk items include but are not limited to:**

- Furniture, mattresses, carpets and other large household items.
- Large and small appliances, such as dishwashers, laundry machines and stoves.
- Refrigerators or air conditioners must have Freon removed by a certified dealer.
- Mirrors, glass, glass top tables, windowpanes, and plate glass items should be safely placed in a rigid container to facilitate safe collection.
- Customer-generated vegetative debris (tree branches must be 6” in diameter or less).

**NOT COLLECTED:** Bulk items DO NOT include contractor-generated material or household hazardous waste (HHW).



## FREE MOONLIGHT MOVIE IN THE PARK

Saturday, November 4, 2017

7:30 PM

Event Stage in Weston Regional Park, 20200 Saddle Club Rd.  
Featuring **Moana**

*Inexplicably drawn to the ocean, Moana convinces the mighty demigod Maui to join her mission to save the people of her island. Together, they voyage across the open ocean on an action-packed adventure. Along the way, Moana fulfills her quest and discovers the one thing she's always sought: her own identity. (Animation / PG / 113 min.)*

**Bring lawn chairs or a blanket and relax...the movie is on us!** Bring your own food and beverages; however, alcohol is not permitted in the park.



## DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME ENDS

Sunday, November 5, 2017 at 2:00 AM

As Daylight Saving Time comes to an end its time to “fall back”. It is recommended to turn any clocks with manual settings back one hour before bedtime on Saturday.



## WESTON FOREIGN FILM SERIES PRESENTS LIKE WATER FOR CHOCOLATE (MEXICO)

Monday, November 13, 2017

Showtimes: 4:45 PM and 7:30 PM

AMC Weston 8, 1338 SW 106 Avenue, Sunrise

***Presented by the Arts Council of Greater Weston and the City of Weston***

Series tickets (\$35) on sale at the Weston Community Center (checks only) and at the Friends Bookstore (cash/check) in the Weston Branch Library. Individual tickets (\$8) may be available at the door. Film is in Spanish with English subtitles. For more information, please visit [1weston.com](http://1weston.com) or call 954-389-4321.



## 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. Flyer: [Safe Transaction Zone](#)



### 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, [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**.





Sheriff Scott Israel

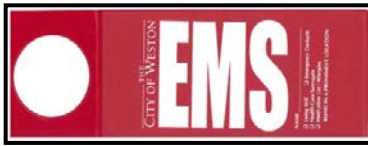
## HOMEWATCH PROGRAM

Planning to go out of town? 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 and submit it 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](http://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.



## FOLLOW US ON SOCIAL MEDIA

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 **Flickr:** [CityofWeston](https://www.flickr.com/photos/cityofweston/)

 **YouTube:** [CityofWeston](https://www.youtube.com/c/cityofweston/)



### HURRICANE SEASON IS JUNE 1<sup>ST</sup> – NOVEMBER 30<sup>TH</sup>

Be ready this hurricane season by making your plan now and picking up supplies throughout the season. Don't wait until a storm threatens our area. Follow our new Twitter alert [@WestonFLAlert](https://twitter.com/WestonFLAlert) to receive emergency notifications. Visit [Westonfl.org/Hurricane](http://Westonfl.org/Hurricane) or [Ready.gov](http://Ready.gov) for information on how to prepare your home and business. *Be Weston Ready this hurricane season!*

THE  
CITY OF WESTON  
YOUR WORLD IS HERE