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For an appointment with any City Commissioner or the City Manager, please call 863-984-1375 x 238
City Commission Meetings are the **3rd Monday** each Month at 7:00 pm



Polk City Government Center and the Polk City Library will be closed **Monday, September 4, 2017** in observance of the Labor Day. The offices and Library will resume normal business hours on **Tuesday, September 5, 2017**.

Recap of July 17, 2017 City Commission Meeting

1. Offer to purchase vacant property from Polk City – Joseph and Kristi Merritt – **City Commission approved moving forward with first step - obtaining an appraisal**
2. Discussion of City Manager Contract - **Approved**
3. Discussion of Debt Service and exploring options – **City Commission authorized the City Manager to investigate refinancing the USDA loan**


**** *New Accounting and Utility Billing Software Coming to Polk City* ****

On Monday, August 14, 2017, Polk City will transition to a new Accounting and Utility Billing Software System. We ask for your patience as staff acclimates to this new software in an effort to service Polk City's needs more efficiently. There will also be changes on the website for those customers paying their Utility bill online. If you use the following link from your favorites <https://wipp.edmundsassoc.com/Wipp/?wippid=POLK>, it will no longer be available after Thursday, August 10, 2017. Please delete this link from your favorites.

Payments through the new system will be available beginning Monday, August 14, 2017. Please use the City's home page www.mypolkcity.org and select the blue "Pay My Bill" button at the top right of the web page.

If you have any challenges during this process, please let us know as we are happy to assist. Thank you!

Polk City Library

 Book Club will resume in September. The Summer Reading Program was a huge success. Total pages read – 57,518.

Winners by category are as follows:

Second Place: Backpacks (4-6 Lia Laver; 7-9 Rachel Johnson; 10-12 Jayden Kelly)
First Place: Tablets (4-6 -Harmony Davidson; 7-9 -Valerie Jurczak; 10-12 -Aaliyah Jurczak)
Kids under 4: McDonalds Certificates (Ivanna Detwiler, Xavier Fortier, Hope Kidd, Gunner Penton)
4-12 Perfect Attendance: Crayola Experience (Morgan Apgar, Paige Butts, Harmony Davidson Jayden Kelly, Lia Laver, Jose Matthews, Rylee Penton)

Other Happenings Around Polk City

Senior Mobile Services

Date/Time: Every Wednesday, 10 am – 2 pm

Venue: Polk City Activity Center, 203 Lake Shore Drive, Polk City

Catholic Charities Mobile Services program offers outreach services to create a place where seniors 55 years of age or older can come together in a safe environment that helps stimulate the mind and body. This program promotes the concept of healthy and informed aging by providing opportunities to socialize with other seniors and offering a wide variety of programs designed to address issues relative to keeping our participants healthy and self-sufficient. Free exercise classes, free lunch, free fresh produce distribution once per month, games, activities and crafts, nutritional seminars, free health checks and so much more.

Classic Albums Live

Date/Time: August 17, 2017; 8:00 pm

Venue: Lakeland Center Youkey Theatre, 701 West Lime Street

Classic Albums Live takes classic albums and recreates them live, on stage - note for note, cut for cut. Founded in 2003 by Craig Martin, Classic Albums Live has become the ultimate destination for music lovers wanting to hear the greatest albums performed live without all the gimmickry and cheesy impersonations. Relying only on the music, using what Martin refers to as 'the world's best musicians', Classic Albums Live has defined itself as a mainstay in Performing Arts Centres across North America.

Special Events in Polk City

Polk City is gearing up for Safe Haven Halloween on Thursday, October 26, 2017 and the Christmas Parade, Saturday, December 2, 2017. Event flyers and application packets will be posted on the City's Website and the newsletter in September and October.

Polk City Staff would like to wish each of you a safe



*****If you have community activities or news that would be of interest to the Polk City service area, please contact Sheandolen Dunn – sheandolen.dunn@mypolkcity.org – 863-984-1375, extension 238.***