In The News



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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 <u>3rd Monday</u> each Month at 7:00 pm

Recap of August 21, 2017 City Commission Meeting

- 1. Lease Agreement for use of City ROW with Mr. Jack Campbell Approved
- Public Hearing Ordinance 2017-01 Amending the Polk City Comprehensive Plan; revising the infrastructure, conservation, intergovernmental coordination and capital improvements elements based on the City's ten-year water supply facilities work plan-Second and Final Reading - Approved
- 3. Discuss and Approve Public Facilities Subrecipient Agreement between Polk County and Polk City Community Development Block Grant Approved
- 4. Discuss options for Public Works / Utilities Facility Approved
- 5. Christmas Parade December 2, 2017 Approved
- 6. Discussion of Staff Vehicle Approved

Special Events in Polk City

Please mark your calendars for the upcoming activities going on in Polk City in October and December. Stay tuned for additional details on Polk City's website or by calling City Hall.







Saturday, December 2, 2017 Parade Starts at 2:00 p.m.

Parade-Route: Broadway-Blvd., S.E., then turn-left-on-Commonwealth-Avenue (SR-33) ending at Freedom-Park¶

Immediately-following-the-parade, Mr. · 8 · Mrs. ·
Santa-Claus-will-visit-with-the-children-at-Freedom-Park. · Food-vendors- and · more- at-

Vendor· spaces· are· available · · · A · 10' · X · 10' · space· is· \$20.00.

Don't-forget-to-register-your-parade-unit. - Deadline for vendors and parade participants is Monday, - November · 13, 2017.

Freedom-Park.¶

For-additional-information-contact-Sheandolen-Dunn-at-(863)-984-1375ext.-238, Monday -- Thursday, 8:00-a.m.-- 5:00-p.m.-or-via-email--sheandolen.dunn@mypolkcity.org¶



Polk City Library

Book Club will resume in September. **Book Club (Grades 6-9).** This month the Book Club is reading "Old Yeller" by Fred Gipson. The meeting will be held Monday, September 18, 2017 from 4:00-5:00 p.m.

Adult Book Club - This month's Book is "*Lilac Girls*" by Martha Hall Kelly. The meeting will be Tuesday, September 19, 2017 at 6:00p.m.

Book Club (Grades 3-5) - This month's book is "*The Story of Diva and Flea*" by Mo Willems. **AR LEVEL 4.6.** The meeting will be Monday, September 28, 2017 from 4:00-5:00 p.m

National Pecan Cookie Day is September 25, 2017 is National Pecan Cookie Day. Come have a pecan cookie and make a craft from 3:00 p.m.-5:00 p.m.

Other Happenings Around Polk County

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.

Get Rowdy & Race

Date/Time: Friday, September 22, 2017 — Sunday, September 24, 2017

Venue: Rowdy Gaines Aquatic Center (Winter Haven)

US IPSC Pistol Nationals

Date/Time: Tuesday, September 12, 2017 — Sunday, September 17, 2017

Location: Universal Shooting Academy, 4330 CR 630 East, Frostproof, FL 33843

Universal Shooting Academy presents the US IPSC Pistol Nationals. Universal Shooting Academy is a practical shooting school designed for beginners, new shooters, intermediate, or advanced shooters wishing to increase their skill, confidence, knowledge and performance in handgun, shotgun or rifle shooting.

POLK COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SITE

This is an active season for hurricanes; for information pertaining to Disaster Preparedness, Emergency Shelter, Public Safety Notification, Sandbag Fill Site, Special Needs, Fire Rescue and other information, please go to this link for additional information:

https://www.polk-county.net/emergency-management

^{*}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 x 238.