



Broadview Park Bee

A Newsletter for Broadview Park Residents

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New Website for Residents



Broward County recently launched a new mobile-friendly website to specifically serve residents of the Broward Municipal Services District (formerly known as "Unincorporated Broward"). The website provides convenient, hands-on access to important service and event information, including public safety, human services, public services, community development and also handy resource information on family assistance and hurricane preparedness. Make sure to add it as a favorite! Broward.org/MunicipalServicesDistrict

New Projects

We are pleased that three new projects have been approved for the community. The Florida Gas Transmission funds are being used to construct a pocket park on the site of the former water plant at 1955 SW 50th Avenue. The pocket park will include a walking path, small playground, fence, and other amenities. Fire Station 23 will be improved and made habitable again so that our firefighters and emergency personnel can move back into the neighborhood. Sunview Park will get a new community center to replace the current temporary structure.



In an Emergency

911

Remember that "Broadview Park" is the name the county uses to identify this whole unincorporated area including various developments such as Broadview Park, Floral Heights, Rock Hill, Lauderdale Highlands, Collier Grove, and the trailer park and streets along the North New River Canal. To be sure that police, fire/rescue and emergency technicians can find you when you call **911**, identify your location as UNINCORPORATED FORT LAUDERDALE.

Fun and Bargains: Community Yard Sale and Family Fun Day

Mark your calendar – Saturday, October 17th, 8AM to 1PM, Fire Station 23, located at 2200 SW 46th Avenue – that's on the northwest corner of the Meadowbrook School grounds. Children can enjoy the bounce house or paint an old fire truck, while their parents shop for bargains. BSO fire personnel will be serving free hot dogs, sno-cones, and cotton candy.

VENDORS: Call Susan Robinson, **954-581-8109** to reserve a spot – just **\$15** for a space for your table.



Old Prescription Medication



Is your medicine cabinet cluttered with old prescriptions and pills? It could be dangerous to throw them in the trash barrel. BRING YOUR OUTDATED MEDICATIONS TO THE FIREHOUSE ON OCTOBER 17TH for proper disposal.

OIC of South Florida

OIC of South Florida is a community-based workforce, job development and training center that focuses on the unemployed and underemployed, the unskilled or insufficiently skilled and those with barriers to self-sufficiency due to past indiscretions in their background. For more information, call: **954-563-3535**.



Job Fair!



A Job Fair will be held at ATC Arthur Ashe Jr. Campus, October 10, 2015 at 1701 NW 23 Ave 33311 from 9AM until 2PM. The public is invited to attend at no costs.

We're Back and We Have a New President!

Daniel Fitzgerald was elected president of the association in June, after serving as a board member for the past year. Dan was born at Plantation General Hospital and grew up in this community. He is the Pitmaster at the Georgia Pig and has been in charge of the barbecue at the popular restaurant for the last six years. For the past two and a half years his wife, Amber (Phillips), has served as manager of the Georgia Pig. Dan and Amber went to school together at South Plantation High School. They are the proud parents of Owen, 5, who was excited to start school this year at Meadowbrook Elementary, and Aidan, just 6 months old. Dan earned his AA Degree at the University of Central Florida. His favorite form of recreation is playing disc or Frisbee golf at Heritage Park. **Attend our next association meeting on Tuesday, December 1st at 7:30PM at Sunview Park.**

Scholarship for Your High School Senior



One item under discussion by the Civic Association is a small scholarship, **\$300**, for a high school senior who resides in the Broadview Park community and plans to attend college or a vocational school after graduation. Watch for details on how to apply in the next issue of the Bee or on our website, BroadviewPark.org.

Soliciting Prohibited

Broward County and its various cities are cracking down on the dangerous practice of vendors and beggars selling goods or soliciting money from motorists stopped at red lights. This includes fund raising for youth sports and other activities. The practice is banned at the following intersections:

1. State Road 7 at SW 20th Street
2. State Road 7 at Davie Boulevard
3. Davie Boulevard/Davie Boulevard Extension and Peters Road.
4. Peters Road and NW 46th Avenue



Violators will be fined \$500.

Help Stop Illegal Dumping



Some landscaping or trash removal services are saving money by dumping their waste in our community instead of paying for proper disposal. The only way to stop this practice is for all of us to be alert. If you see someone unloading their waste along the side of the road or in the middle of the wellfields, make note of the license plate or name on the truck and notify the Broward Sheriff's Office (BSO). The BSO's non-emergency number is **954-764-HELP**. Lt. Pisanti warns if you hire someone to haul a load away, be suspicious if the price is surprisingly low. Request the hauler to provide credentials and the method of disposal.

Civic Association Officers and Board Members

President, Dan Fitzgerald; Vice-Pres., Bill Hoy; Secretary/Treasurer, Jan Washburn; Finance Officer, Nancy Walton; Board Members: Linda Flanders, Juan Formoso, Carolyn Lockerd, Joycie McGinnis, Dave Nielsen, Paula Jarrett-Rivera, Susan Robinson, and Barbara Yakin. Many thanks to Dave for his years of leadership.

Your dues support the efforts of the association. Dues are \$10 per year per family. Please use the form below to pay your dues for 2015. Make checks payable to the Broadview Park Civic Association and mail to Nancy Walton, 4224 SW 20th Street, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33317

_____ Enclosed is \$10 membership dues for my family for the year 2015.

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

Email Address: _____

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