



# Broadview Park Bee

A Newsletter for Broadview Park Residents

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## Please Join Us!



The Broadview Park Civic Association will be meeting on Tuesday, December 1<sup>st</sup>, 7:30PM at Sunview Park. We will circulate the proposed designs for the pocket park on 50<sup>th</sup> Avenue and new community center at Sunview Park. The County has proposed surveillance cameras at the entrance and exit streets of this community to assist BSO in identifying cars leaving the area after a crime has been committed. Come and express your opinion. Hear updates from BSO, code enforcement, recycling, etc. and help us plan our future projects as we prepare for Christmas.

## Here Comes Santa Claus



We all look forward to seeing Santa riding atop the fire truck as he tours the community again this year. Make a note on your calendar. He'll be visiting the east side on Monday, December 14<sup>th</sup>, and the west side on Tuesday, December 15<sup>th</sup>. Please have your canned goods and non-perishable foods ready to give to Santa's helpers who follow the fire truck in their pickup trucks. We also welcome donations of new or like new toys and money to purchase turkeys. Drivers with pickups should report to Firehouse 23, (2200 SW 46<sup>th</sup> Avenue), at 6:30PM. Firefighter Jim Chandler will be organizing Santa's adventures for the umpteenth time this year, but he'll be retiring soon, (What will we do without Jim?)

On Saturday, December 19<sup>th</sup>, we need all hands to pitch in as we sort and deliver the food Santa has collected. Please join us at Fire Station 23 at 8AM. With enough helpers we'll be finished well before 11AM. We need boxes, boxes, boxes (medium-sized), so start collecting them - big enough to hold a supply of food, but not so big that they're too heavy to lift.

If you know of a family living in our community who would benefit from our food drive, call Jan at **954-583-0796** with the name, address, and phone number. We will call them to find out how many are in the family and the ages of the children. We will have to limit the number of families this year, so preference will go to families with children at Meadowbrook School or with babies. We served more than eighty families last year and donations are greatly needed!

## Llega la Navidad

En la mañana del sábado 19 de diciembre, repartiremos comida gratis a varias casas en la comunidad. Si desea recibir una bolsa de productor enlatados gratis, por favor llame a Sarah al **954-541-5798**. Si ella no está por favor deje un mensaje indicando claramente su nombre y número de teléfono y ella le devolverá la llamada. Sarah va a pedirle la siguiente información: su dirección, el número de personas en su familia y las edades de los niños y niñas porque a veces también tenemos juguetes. Le pedimos que alguien esté en casa para recibir la comida ese día. Las familias deben vivir en la comunidad de Broadview Park. Podemos aceptar solamente un número limitado de peticiones. Se dará preferencia a familias con bebés o niños en la escuela primaria de Meadowbrook.



The Broadview Park Civic Association will award a \$300 scholarship to one high school senior who resides in the Broadview Park community and who plans to attend a two- or four-year college or a vocational/trade school. The application form will be posted at [BroadviewPark.org](http://BroadviewPark.org). Print out the form, complete the information, and mail it to Juan Formoso, 5901 Banyan Terrace, Plantation, FL 33317 before the deadline - March 16, 2016. Application forms can also be obtained at the guidance offices at the following high schools: South Plantation, Nova, Stranahan, and South Broward.

### Community Survey

We had a great turnout at our Community Yard Sale and Family Fun Day. Many thanks to Susan Robinson and District Fire Chief Greg Holness for putting it all together and providing a fun time for all. Chief Holness reports that BSO fire officials are proposing to discontinue this type of event with the bounce house, the free refreshments, and the fire truck for painting. The chief asks that all our residents fill out a community survey form. It takes just a few minutes. Please visit [bit.ly/bsc-community-survey](http://bit.ly/bsc-community-survey) and let the department know that we want our firefighters back and we really appreciate the department's participation in our Family Fun Days.

### Sloppy Trash Pickup



Michelle Futrell from Waste and Recycling asks that you report illegal dumping, such as the trucks spilling trash by the side of the road or leaving barrels overturned. Call **954-474-1801** to report and have the truck tag number ready.

### Broadview Delegation is Successful

A delegation from Broadview Park led by Dave Nielsen and Dan Fitzgerald attended the November 4<sup>th</sup> meeting of the Davie Town Council. Dave and Dan spoke for the community, informing the town's commissioners that the residents of Broadview Park are opposed to Davie's plans to annex this community and pointed out that we are very satisfied with the county's efforts here. The county has been very responsive to our needs. In addition, Broadview is basically separated from the town by I-595 and the North New River Canal, which would make it difficult for Davie to respond to us. The town commissioners assured the Broadview delegation they would discontinue any further plans to annex this area.

### Civic Association Meetings

Meetings for 2016 will be held: February 2<sup>nd</sup>, April 5<sup>th</sup>, June 7<sup>th</sup>, Oct 4<sup>th</sup>, and Dec. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2016 at Sunview Park, 7:30PM. Meetings of the board of directors are held on the odd-numbered months. **CIVIC ASSOCIATION OFFICERS:** 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, and Susan Robinson. We have 2 openings on the board of directors and would welcome volunteers. It's easy and helps your community. Come to a meeting and offer your services. **TRY IT, YOU'LL LIKE IT.**

### It's Time to Renew, We Need Your Support!

Your dues – just \$10 per family per year – support our efforts to improve this community with projects such as the community clean-up and the Christmas food drive for the needy. Please use the form below to send with your dues for the coming year, 2016. Make checks payable to the Broadview Park Civic Association and mail to Nancy Walton, 4224 SW 20th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33317.

\_\_\_\_\_ Enclosed is \$10.00 membership dues for my family for the year 2015.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

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