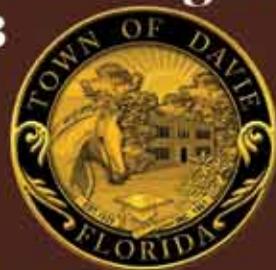


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## Advisory Committees & Other Meetings

The Town has a number of advisory boards and committees that provide recommendations to the Town Council regarding special program areas. To be appointed to a board or a committee, you must be a registered voter, a Town resident, or a Town business owner. If you are interested in volunteering your time by serving on any of the Town boards or committees, please contact Evelyn Roig, CMC, Town Clerk, Town of Davie, 6591 Orange Drive, Davie, FL 33314. Phone: 954-797-1026, Fax: 954-797-1087, or email: [eroig@davie-fl.gov](mailto:eroig@davie-fl.gov).

To see the schedule of other Town meetings, such as advisory boards, etc., visit our website at [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov). Town Council Meetings are held at Davie Town Hall in the Council Chambers located at 6591 Orange Drive. All meetings are subject to change. Please check our website for the most up-to-date information, [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov).

## Current Boards & Committees

- Agricultural and Environmental Committee
- Budget Advisory Committee
- Community Redevelopment Agency
- Fire Pension Board
- General Employees & Management Pension Board
- Open Space and Recreation Committee
- Planning and Zoning Board
- Police Pension Board
- Senior Citizen Advisory Committee
- Site Plan Committee
- United Ranches Preservation Committee
- Unsafe Structures Committee
- Youth Education and Safety Advisory Committee

## On the Cover

**A portion of the Broward 100 VisualEYES project mural painted by Artist Andrew Reid. Story on Page 12.**

# From the Desk of Mayor Judy Paul...



On September 15, 2015, the Davie Town Council approved the budget for Fiscal Year 2016. With the ongoing implementation of various efficiencies and reforms, the Town will again have a balanced budget, including a small decrease in the operating and debt service millage rates. While the Town has been operating in maintenance mode for the past few years, we are now in the position to expand our employee base, inclusive of fire and police personnel, purchase necessary capital infrastructure, and fund neighborhood enhancement initiatives. On behalf of the Davie Town Council, I would like to thank Town Administrator Richard J. Lemack and staff for doing a superb job with the Town's budget.

There are two noteworthy initiatives that were discussed in this year's budget for which I want to provide a briefing: the reestablishment of the mounted patrol and the conversion of the Town's fleet to E-85. The Police Department will be reestablishing a part-time mounted patrol unit with existing police personnel. The Town's unique environment hosts over 135 miles of equestrian/recreational trails. Many of these miles are inaccessible by traditional vehicles. In addition,

the Town sponsors numerous large events focused on the "cowboy" culture and associated activities. I have always felt that a mounted patrol unit will enhance community relations, increase visibility, deter crime, identify trail maintenance or hazardous conditions, and assist code compliance issues related to property standards along our trail system.

Earlier this year Town Council tasked Administration with identifying opportunities to make our vehicle fleet more environmentally friendly. Multiple options were considered but we determined that a conversion to an E-85 fleet would be the most beneficial. The Town currently has 253 flex fuel vehicles in its fleet that have the ability to run on regular unleaded gasoline or E-85 fuel. The Town Council has approved the FY2016 Capital Improvement Program that allocates funding to install the E-85 fueling infrastructure. The estimated cost is approximately \$400,000 to install two 10,000-gallon tanks along with dispensers, fuel monitoring systems, and canopies. One tank will be installed at the Public Works compound and the other will be installed at the Police Department. Going forward, the Town will have a policy, to the extent possible, to continue purchasing flex fuel vehicles to replace older vehicles which will be coming out of service. This program does not preclude the ability to purchase other environmentally friendly vehicles, such as electric or hybrids.

Over the past few years, the Town has seen resurgent growth throughout all economic sectors as residents and business owners have sought to call Davie home. Residents have been attracted to Davie because of its open space and parks, hundreds of miles of trails, and its superior public schools. Businesses are flocking to the commercial corridors based on our low tax rates, superior public services, and consumer base. As a result, the Town has been able to make progress diversifying its tax base while enhancing the quality of life and promoting sustainable growth.

The Town continues to see sustained growth in commercial and industrial projects. Earlier in 2015, two emergency rooms opened in the Town of Davie (Westside Regional and Florida Medical Center). In addition, the Town's newest hotel, Value Place, opened on Reese Road. As of July 2015, over 700,000 square feet of new space are under construction. The new commercial development is highlighted by the Porsche of Davie dealership, the Tower Shops expansion, including a Trader Joe's, and the Pine Island Marketplace.

The industrial development focus has been the Town's Regional Activity Center (RAC) and Transit-Oriented Corridor (TOC). The RAC is designed to accommodate large-scale development and includes zoning to promote research and development, educational, and industrial uses. Nova Southeastern University (NSU) is utilizing this capability to construct the Center for Collaborative Research (CCR) that will house advanced research facilities, including Florida's largest wet labs and the NSU Technology Incubator. The Town's RAC industrial base continues to grow with the construction of the second building at IDI Gazeley's Davie Business Center.

East of the Florida Turnpike, the Town has created the TOC to capitalize on its proximity to the Fort Lauderdale-Hollywood International Airport and Port Everglades. This synergy has led to the construction of an industrial flex warehouse by Bridge Point Development, the largest CRA development project in over a decade.

Our servicemen and servicewomen should be recognized for all that they do for our country. Recently, the Town Council was asked to select a Davie veteran to represent the Town at the Mayors' Gala to be held in October. Mr. Theodore Ray, a WWII veteran, was chosen as the Town Council's honorary guest. Mr. Ray's 95th birthday will be just days away from the gala, so we thought it was a great way to celebrate his birthday as well as to have him represent the Town.

I am inviting members of the public to come out and help us pay tribute to our veterans at the Town's Annual Veterans Day Ceremony. The event will be held on Wednesday, November 11, 2015, beginning at 10 a.m., at Veterans Park, 5750 S.W. 39th Street. Our veterans deserve our thanks daily!

If you need to contact me, feel free to call my office at 954-797-1030, or email me at [jpaul@davie-fl.gov](mailto:jpaul@davie-fl.gov). I wish everyone a happy, safe, and prosperous holiday and New Year.

# Thoughts and Comments from the Town Council...

**Councilmember Bryan Caletka—District 1**  
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I am happy to share the news that we will be making additional improvements to the Betty Booth Roberts Park Pool. The plans for the park include the replacement of playground equipment, a pavilion, swings, a shade structure, a waterslide, pool deck extension, and fencing. The project is funded through the Community Development Block Grant (CDBG) Program. It is important for us to upgrade

our amenities to accommodate the needs of our community and of our growing population.

As the Town's representative and vice chair of the Broward Metropolitan Planning Organization, I am proud to inform you that the Town has received over \$8 million in grant funding to increase traffic capacity and to make beautification improvements to our roadways, including Davie Road, Nova Drive, and College Avenue. These projects will incorporate the Complete Street Concepts, which means the entire right-of-way is planned, designed, and operated safely for all modes of transportation and for all uses regardless of age or ability.

I had the privilege of attending the Annual 9/11 Observance Ceremony held at Western High School, where I am a teacher. It is the only high school in Florida to have a memorial replica of the World Trade Center Twin Towers. A moving tribute was given by Officer Yensy Thomas, formerly of the 13th precinct in New York City. Officer Thomas and her colleagues were some of the first responders to the attacks. I want to thank Principal Jimmy Arrojo, the Mayor, Town Council, police and fire personnel, teachers, students, and the public for a beautiful commemoration ceremony.

I am wishing you a happy and safe holiday season!

**Vice Mayor Susan Starkey—District 3**  
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As a Town Councilmember, public safety has always been one of my main priorities. I was ecstatic to learn that the Town applied for and received the Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grant. This award will allow us to ensure that we are implementing measures to guarantee the safety and well-being of our residents.

The Davie Fire Rescue Department was recognized by Dr. Richard C. Hunt, the Director for Medical and Public Health Preparedness and Response for the White House. The Town is one of the leading municipalities in the country that has installed tourniquets and other bleeding devices to existing AEDs in an effort to promote the Bystander "Stop the Bleed" Initiative. The program recognizes bystanders as immediate responders in stopping life-threatening bleeding. Assistant Fire Chief Julie Downey, Medical Director Dr. Peter Antevy, and I attended the Bystander "Stop the Bleed" Forum at the White House on October 6, 2015. The forum recognized several federal and private sector partners for their efforts in promoting and implementing this initiative. I am extremely proud of our Davie Public Safety personnel.

The Town recently launched its social media campaign and we hope you will like us on Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, and sign up to receive the weekly Davie E-Update and Play Davie newsletter.

Everyone is invited to attend the 16th Annual Forest Ridge Holly Day Parade and Fair on December 5 beginning at 1 p.m. The theme this year is "Jingle Bell Rock." The parade will begin at the entrance to Forest Ridge through Forest Ridge Circle and will turn left onto Old Orchard Road. The day's festivities will continue with live music, food, and games. Every year this event gets more exciting with the impressive floats and classic cars.

Happy Holidays everyone!

**Councilmember Caryl Hattan—District 2**  
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I recently had the pleasure of attending Duende to commemorate Broward County's Centennial Birthday. It was a spectacular event which brought together residents from surrounding municipalities and people from across the nation. I enjoyed the mixture of live bands and DJs, light shows, street art, and musical acts.

The Broward County Cultural Division has selected two locations in the Town to depict two murals to commemorate Broward County's Centennial Birthday. The murals are being created at no cost to the Town. The first one is at the Old Davie School Historical Museum and has already been completed. The theme for the mural is "Past and Present Mingle Here." The second mural will be at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center. This mural will showcase more of our Western-themed atmosphere and will be visible from Pine Island Road. I am sure our residents and visitors will enjoy the uniqueness of the murals. I have and will continue to advocate for public art in the Town of Davie.

As a supporter for animal rights, I believe in providing animals with a safe haven. Recently, I adopted a Paso Fino horse, named Second Chance, from Peaceful Ridge Rescue, a nonprofit organization that provides medical, dental, rehabilitation, and adoption services for rescued horses. I gave my horse its name because I believe that I have given him a second chance at a long and healthy life. If you are interested in adopting, sponsoring, fostering, or donating to a horse, please contact Peaceful Ridge Rescue at 954-290-2395, or visit its website at [peacefulridgerescue.org](http://peacefulridgerescue.org).

Annually, the Town of Davie participates in several food and toy drives during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. I want to encourage our residents and members of the public to donate as these organizations provide food and toys to people who are in need. See page 6 for additional details.

**Councilmember Marlon Luis—District 4**  
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The Davie Town Council recently introduced a Code Enforcement Lien Reduction Amnesty Program. Through this program, any affected property and business owners may take advantage of this opportunity to obtain a reduction and release for outstanding code enforcement fines and liens on their Davie properties. The program will run for a six-month period ending on December 31, 2015. Through this program, a property

owner can obtain a lien reduction to 15% of the face value of the existing lien, which does not include any reduction for hard costs, such as remedial action undertaken by the Town or cost recovery fees assessed in code enforcement proceedings. Please note that all applicants must be in current code compliance and have that condition verified by a code compliance officer to qualify for this program.

Affected parties are encouraged to contact the amnesty program coordinator, Danny Stallone, or the program administrative secretary, Grace Farrar, at 954-693-8237, to determine their eligibility, settle outstanding code enforcement fines and liens, and to make an appointment for a code inspection.

The next Household Hazardous Waste (HHW) and Electronics Recycling Drop-Off event will be held from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., on December 5, 2015, at Shenandoah Park, located at 14452 Shenandoah Parkway, Davie, FL 33325. During this event, we will also be holding a Shred-A-Thon event (limit 5 boxes, each box no larger than 15 ft x 12 in x 10 in) from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. For more information, please feel free to contact Lee Rickles at 954-680-6100, [lrickles@bergeroninc.com](mailto:lrickles@bergeroninc.com), or Gay Moo Young at 954-797-1145, [gmooyoung@davie-fl.gov](mailto:gmooyoung@davie-fl.gov).

I wish you a happy and healthy Hanukkah, Kwanzaa, Christmas, and New Year! Please be safe during the holiday season.

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- EMERGENCY**..... 911
- Town of Davie Services**
- 24-hour recorded phone line (during a hurricane)..... 954-797-1122
- Nonemergency Fire..... 954-797-1213
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- Town Hall ..... 954-797-1000
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- Broward County Services**
- [www.broward.org](http://www.broward.org)
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- ..... or 954-831-4000
- ..... TTY 954-831-3940
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- ..... TTY 954-357-5608
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- Code Compliance ..... 954-693-8237
- Community Services ..... 954-797-1173
- Com Redevelopment Agency ..... 954-797-2093
- Councilmembers ..... 954-797-1030
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- Economic Development..... 954-797-1041
- Engineering ..... 954-797-1113
- Fire Rescue (nonemergency)..... 954-797-1213
- Geographic Info Systems ..... 954-797-2065
- Human Resources..... 954-797-1100
- Landscaping ..... 954-797-1072
- Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts ..... 954-797-1145
- Planning & Zoning ..... 954-797-1103
- Police (nonemergency)..... 954-693-8200
- Public Information ..... 954-797-1102
- Public Works ..... 954-797-1240
- Purchasing..... 954-797-1016
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- Information Technology ..... 954-797-1107
- Town Clerk ..... 954-797-1023
- Trash, Recycling, & Bulk Pickup ..... 954-797-1045
- Utilities ..... 954-327-3742
- Utilities Customer Service ..... 954-797-1065

# Spread the Act of Giving...

## Santa's Calling

### Make Arrangements for Santa to Call your Child!

Who wouldn't want to hear from Old Saint Nick this holiday season?

Santa has once again teamed up with the Town of Davie to call the wonderful children who live in Davie. Santa is going to need some help from the parents.

Santa Claus himself calls your child to say how proud he is of him or her. Fill out the Santa's Calling Form with the information that pertains to your child, and he or she will receive a personalized call from Santa.

Santa will be calling children on December 15 and 16, between 6 and 9 p.m. The forms may be picked up and dropped off at the Davie Pine Island Multipurpose Center, 3801 S. Pine Island Road, or at Town Hall, 6591 Orange Drive. The deadline to drop off the form is December 9.

Forms will be available after Thanksgiving. For more information, please contact Santa's Helpers at Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts, 954-327-3941.



**E**ach year the Town of Davie participates in several food and toy drives during the Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays. The below organizations provide food and toys to Davie residents who are in need. Donation sites will be located at Town Hall and the Pine Island Multipurpose Center, and all Davie Fire Rescue stations. Thank you to the businesses, student organizations, Town employees, and all of the generous people who continue to donate each year. For more information regarding donation sites in the Town of Davie, contact Anita Reid at 954-797-1102, or e-mail [areid@davie-fl.gov](mailto:areid@davie-fl.gov).

## HOPE Outreach Center, Inc.

Every year during the holidays many low-income families in Davie experience hunger because they have lost jobs, homes, and cannot make ends meet. You can help them by supporting HOPE Outreach Center. This year you can help provide homebound seniors and needy families with Thanksgiving dinner. Please help children receive unexpected gifts of toys, gift cards, and clothing, during December's Adopt-a-Family Program. Wishes come true in every price range. You can give HOPE for the holidays. Contact HOPE Outreach for more information: HOPE Outreach Center, Inc., 4700 Davie Road, Suite A. Please call us at 954-321-0909 or [info@hopeoutreachfl.org](mailto:info@hopeoutreachfl.org).

## Davie EASE Foundation

There is no exercise better for the heart than reaching down and lifting people up. The Davie Emergency Assistance Service Effort (EASE) Foundation, a nonprofit organization, has helped over 45,000 families with household and school supplies, clothing, financial assistance, food and gift cards, and toys for the holidays during their time of need. Most households are living from paycheck to paycheck, and the EASE Foundation is committed to providing assistance that will ensure that families regain income stability and dignity after a hardship.

Many thanks to you or your business in supporting us by becoming a partner, donating your services, or giving a donation that will ultimately change the lives of an entire family. Please contact 954-797-1077, visit our website at [www.easefoundation.org](http://www.easefoundation.org), or stop by the office at 4700 Davie Road, Suite B. Thank you again.

## U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots



The mission of the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program is to collect new, unwrapped toys during October, November, and December each year and to distribute those toys as Christmas gifts to less fortunate children in the community in which the campaign is conducted. Since 1775, the Marine Corps has defended freedom and democracy, a duty they have fulfilled with honor, courage, and commitment. As they have fulfilled that duty, Marines have earned a well-deserved reputation for toughness.

However, there is another side to the Marine Corps, the side that springs from a genuine concern for the communities in which they live and a deep compassion for the underprivileged children of America. That is the side that exemplifies the spirit of the Marine Corps. That side is found in the U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program. For the past several years, the Town of Davie has collected hundreds of toys by being an official collection center. Once again, you can donate an unwrapped gift at Town Hall, 6591 Orange Drive, or the Multipurpose Center, 3801 S. Pine Island Road, beginning after Thanksgiving.

# Davie Animal Fashion & Open Horse Show Recap

By: Public Information Intern Chelsea Green

The Town of Davie recently hosted the Second Annual Animal Fashion and Open Horse Show at the Bergeron Rodeo Grounds. Residents participated with their furry friends in the categorized fashion and open horse show, that helped to benefit Project Stable and the Friends of the Davie Farm Park.

With many smiles, participants, and wagging tails, the overall event was a success. Participants who were in the show, along with their pets, had plenty of positive feedback. Some insightful responses included Christina Castoresna, who won first place in best match paired with her dog Feebee. She said, "My favorite aspect of the show was seeing various dogs from Davie and seeing a variety of wagging tails which made the show interesting and fun!" This was Christina's first time attending and participating in the event. Town of Davie resident Mary Freeman said, "I think it's a blessing to have a large group of diverse people and animals coming out for a good cause. It's a great atmosphere for socializing with members of the community. My favorite aspect of being here was showing off my dog Taco who won second place in the Most Fashionable category. I love this event because a lot of animals attend, and it is such a growing event that enhances each year."

"Next year will only get bigger and better," said Mayor Judy Paul. Town Councilmember Caryl Hattan added, "The Animal Fashion and Open Horse Show is such a wonderful event that is organized to benefit the community, the Farm Park, and Project Stable." Darlene Evans, radio host on 99.9 Kiss Country, attended the event and was one of the judges for the animal fashion show. She mentioned, "This is my second time attending this event, which is also one of my favorites! Since I judge, I always look forward to seeing the creativity of all the animals and owners."

Casey Shamet, who participated in the open horse show with her horse Serenity, won first place in Most Unusual category. Casey explained, "I had a blast. It's fun interacting with the members of the community and the other animals and to do something that is benefiting such great organizations such as the Friends of the Farm Park and Project Stable."

The Friends of the Davie Farm Park, Inc.'s focus is to assist and to enlighten Davie residents on the importance of environmental sustainability through the Davie Farm Park. This facility will provide unparalleled opportunities for youth and community programs including experimental learning about agriculture. For more information regarding the Friends of the Farm Park, please visit [daviefarmpark.org](http://daviefarmpark.org).

Project Stable is an organization that is devoted to providing assistance to children with special needs through the use of horses and farm animals to help them overcome their disabilities. For more information regarding Project Stable, please visit [projectstable.org](http://projectstable.org).

We encourage you to keep an eye out for next year's event!



# Davie Fire Rescue Department



## Winter Holiday Safety

Winter holidays are a time for families and friends to get together. But that also means a greater risk for fire. Following a few simple tips will ensure a happy and fire-safe holiday season.

### HOLIDAY DECORATING

- » Be careful with holiday decorations. Choose decorations that are flame resistant or flame retardant.
- » Keep lit candles away from decorations and other things that can burn.
- » Some lights are only for indoor or outdoor use, but not both.
- » Replace any string of lights with worn or broken cords or loose bulb connections. Connect no more than three strands of mini light sets and a maximum of 50 bulbs for screw-in bulbs. Read manufacturer's instructions for number of LED strands to connect.
- » Use clips, not nails, to hang lights so the cords do not get damaged.
- » Keep decorations away from windows and doors.

### HOLIDAY ENTERTAINING

- » Test your smoke alarms and tell guests about your home fire escape plan.
- » Keep children and pets away from lit candles.
- » Keep matches and lighters up high in a locked cabinet.
- » Stay in the kitchen when cooking on the stovetop.
- » Ask smokers to smoke outside. Remind smokers to keep their smoking materials with them so young children do not touch them.
- » Provide large, deep ashtrays for smokers. Wet cigarette butts with water before discarding.



### Before Heading Out or to Bed

**Blow out** lit candles when you leave the room or go to bed. **Turn off** all light strings and decorations before leaving home or going to bed.

### FACTS

- ❗ **Two of every five** home decoration fires are started by candles.
- ❗ **Nearly half** of holiday decoration fires happen because decorations are placed too close to a heat source.



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## Join the Davie Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)

The Davie Fire Rescue Department offers free training for the Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) to anyone who lives or works in the Town of Davie and who is over 18 years old. Classes meet from 6 to 8:30 p.m. for eight weeks at the Davie Fire Administration Building located at 6901 Orange Drive. You must register before the class begins.

The CERT program educates people about disaster preparedness for hazards that may impact their area and trains them in basic disaster response skills, such as fire safety, light search and rescue, team organization, and disaster medical operations. Register online at [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov), then CERT, or contact Cristina Vargas at 954-797-1144, or email at [cvgargas@davie-fl.gov](mailto:cvgargas@davie-fl.gov)



### Sign up for CPR/AED Classes

Adult, Child, and Infant CPR/AED

(cardiopulmonary resuscitation/automated external defibrillators) training is offered the first Wednesday of each month at the Davie Fire Rescue Administration Building, from 6 to 10 p.m. The course fee is \$30 for residents and \$35 for nonresidents. Call 954-797-1213.

## Annual Spaghetti Dinner

The Annual Spaghetti Dinner is scheduled for November 14, 2015, at Station 65, 1230 S. Nob Hill Road.

## Santa's Enchanted Fire Station

Santa's Enchanted Fire Station will be on December 12, 2015, from 6 to 8 p.m. at Station 65, 1230 S. Nob Hill Road.

Suggested donation is \$10, or please bring an unwrapped toy that will be donated to the EASE Foundation. Fun activities will include pictures with Santa.



## Fire & Police Expo is

**Saturday, February 6, 2016**

Do not miss the Fire & Police Expo at 1230 S. Nob Hill Road, from 10 to 2 p.m. Food trucks will be on-site. A great community event to get to know your fire and police personnel. Lots of exhibits and demonstrations. Fun for the whole family!





# Davie Police Department

## Town of Davie Police Athletic League (PAL) Boxers Win Championship

PAL boxers Teofimo Lopez and Javaune James recently represented the Town of Davie at the National Golden Gloves Competition in Las Vegas, Nevada. Teofimo Lopez participated in the Lightweight Division, won the 2015 National Golden Gloves Tournament of Champions, and qualified for the 2016 U.S.A. Olympic Team trials in December.

Javaune James won the 2015 State Golden Glove Tournament of Champions and then went on to the quarter finals of the National Championship. Javaune is now ranked 8th in the nation. Xander Zayas competed in the Southeast Coast Regional Junior Olympic Boxing Tournament in Macon, Georgia. Xander won the 2015 Regional Junior Championship Olympics.

The boxers and families were recognized at a Davie Town Council meeting. See photo below on the left:



## Recruit Graduates Win Awards

above: Police Academy Graduates Kenny Fernandez and Keiva Greene were recognized at a recent Town Council Meeting. At the 296th Police Academy Graduation ceremony, Kenny Fernandez was the recipient of the Academic Award and Keiva Greene was the recipient of the Honorary Medallion. Both graduates are Town of Davie Police recruits.

## HEALTH FAIR

The Davie Police Department was on hand at the Davie Tabernacle Christian Center's annual health fair in September.

Officers handed out badges, stickers, and coloring books to the kids to promote safety and anti-bullying.



## Children with Special Needs Family Resource Event

On September 26, 2015, members of the Davie Police and the Davie Fire Departments spent the day visiting kids at Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital.

For 15 years, the Joe DiMaggio Children's Hospital of the Memorial Health Care System has hosted this event. The Children with Special Needs Family Resource event is a way to have some fun outside a hospital environment. It is also a way for parents to connect with the many different resources available.

A special thanks goes out to Tonya Fox Shaw, the special needs coordinator, and all of those who volunteered.



# Out & About in the Town



above: Mayor Paul, Councilmembers, and representatives from New York City's 13th Precinct at the 9/11 Observance Ceremony held at Western High School.



above: Vice Mayor Susan Starkey accepts ALS ice bucket challenge from patient advocate Elizabeth Hilliker in support of patients living with Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS) in Broward County.



left: The Town of Davie was presented with the 2015 Gold Level Fit-Friendly Company Award at a recent Town Council meeting. The American Heart Association's Fit-Friendly Program recognizes employers who provide physical activity support, healthy eating options at work, and promote a wellness culture. Davie has been the recipient of this award for the past four years and was recognized for implementing several fit-friendly initiatives for Town employees, from l to r: Human Resources Director Stacey H. S. Hipsman, Human Resources Analyst Grace Garagozzo, and American Heart Association representative Jamie Schempp.



above: Deputy Fire Chief Michael Malvasio accepts the National Preparedness Month Proclamation.



above: Angelina Leary, one of the recipients of the 2015 Mayor's Scholarship Fund. Not pictured: Dominick Reale and Timothy Robert Conway.



above: Residents enjoyed the Town of Davie Independence Day Fireworks Show and Family Fun Day held at Pine Island Park.



above: Residents of Arista Park participate in National Night Out with Mayor Paul and the Davie Police Department.



above: Pamela Adamec received a certificate of recognition for her 40 years of service to Walgreens, from l to r: Walgreens District Manager Charles Larkin and Store Manager Pamela Adamec.



above: In support of Major League Baseball's "Play Ball" Initiative, the month of August was designated as "Play Ball" month. The Town held a fun family event where children participated in fielding ground balls, catching, and timed and untimed base running.



above: Utilities Director Don Bayler accepts the Florida Section of the American Water Works Association Award for the most improved Class B Water Treatment Plant that was awarded to the System III Water Treatment Plant.



above: Town of Davie Public Works employee Michael Lemon was recently recognized at a Davie Town Council Meeting for providing aid to Chris Delancy, a fellow co-worker. Recently, while working on a project, Chris severely injured his leg. Michael took quick action in applying a tourniquet to Chris' leg, which helped significantly. Chris was then transported to the emergency room where he was treated. Chris is happy to be back at work and thanks Michael for his quick thinking and actions. Michael praised the first aid training he received from Davie Fire Rescue, from l to r: Public Works Director Mark Collins, Chris Delancy, and Michael Lemon.



above: The Town's Employee Recognition Program SPIRIT (Special People Inspiring Results, Ideas and Teamwork) winner Kerry Lesinski (holding balloons) and nominees were recognized during Public Service Week in May and also at a Town Council Meeting.



## Broward-100 Visual Eyes Project at Old Davie School Historical Museum

Broward County's Centennial Birthday celebration included the Broward-100 VisualEYES Project. The VisualEYES Project featured a select group of renowned South Florida artists who will create 10 murals around the county. Several municipalities across the county were chosen to depict the murals. The Broward County Cultural Division commissioned two murals in Davie, one at the Old Davie School Historical Museum and the other at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center.

The Old Davie School Historical Museum mural is located on the north wall of the Old Davie School cafeteria located at 6650 Griffin Road. Artist Andrew Reid was selected by the Broward County Cultural Division to design and paint the mural that was named, A Living History.

Old Davie School Executive Director Leslie Schroeder said "Many people drive by the Old Davie School each day and do not realize what a gem they are passing. This mural will draw attention to the campus and explain its relevance in history. The school children and adults that visit each day will be able to visually see the importance of how the Town of Davie came into being, the trials, and tribulations of those who forged on before them, and the Town of Davie today.

## Community Endowment Fund

### Donation Information

Since 1993, the Town has provided vital funding, in excess of \$3 million, to local nonprofit agencies through the Community Endowment Fund to ensure local residents receive a variety of basic services. These services range from human services, such as childcare and food banks to the enhancement and appreciation of culture and the arts.

In order to continue the efforts of the Community Endowment Program, we are seeking support in the form of monetary and in-kind contributions. Monetary contributions will be distributed directly to these agencies, and the Town will not retain any administrative costs for implementing this program.

If you would like to make a monetary donation into the Town of Davie Community Endowment Fund, you can donate the following ways:

- Mail donations to Community Endowment Grant Program, Intergovernmental Affairs Division, 6591 Orange Drive, Davie, FL 33314. Donations can be made in the form of a check or money order.
- Donate clothing, shoes, and textiles to the bins located throughout the Town of Davie.

Community Endowment recipients include Area Agency on Aging, Crisis Housing, Davie School Foundation, EASE Foundation, Family Central, Firewall Centers, First Call for Help, HOPE Outreach, Rainbow Guardian, Teen Challenge, Women in Distress, and Young at Art.



# SUPPORT THE ARTS

JOIN US FOR THE 14TH ANNUAL  
**Old Davie Christmas**  
**SUNDAY • DEC. 13, 2015 • 12-3 PM**  
 OLD DAVIE SCHOOL HISTORICAL MUSEUM

Old Davie Christmas is just around the corner!  
 Tack up the mistletoe and trim up the tree!  
 Santa is on his way with lots of  
 goodies for children.

**ACTIVITIES FREE FOR CHILDREN:**

- Visit and Take Pictures With Santa
- Old-Fashioned Games
- Pony Rides
- Petting Zoo
- Light Lunch (while supplies last)

This fun-filled afternoon is made possible by the efforts of the Old Davie School Historical Museum and donations from the local community.



*Sponsorships and Donations Are Needed:*  
[Events@OldDavieSchool.org](mailto:Events@OldDavieSchool.org)

## ATTENTION MEMBERS OF THE OLD DAVIE SCHOOL!

You are invited to our  
**Holiday Membership  
 Taste & Tour Social!**

Friday, December 4, 2015  
 6 – 8 pm

Sample holiday treats, tour the museum and enjoy an evening with other members, volunteers & staff.

This event is FREE to all members.  
 If you are interested in becoming a member, join now for as little as \$25 and kick off the holiday season at the Old Davie School!

6650 Griffin Road • Davie, Florida 33314 • 954.797.1044 • [www.OldDavieSchool.org](http://www.OldDavieSchool.org)



**Your year of wonder starts here. . .**

- UNLIMITED MUSEUM ADMISSION for 2 adults and 4 kids
- EXCLUSIVE INVITATIONS to Members Only Parties
- SPECIAL PRICING for Grandparents and Teachers
- SAVINGS on parties, camps, Museum Preschool and more!



Members enjoy  
 YAAffers discounts  
 on admission to:



visit  
[youngartmuseum.org](http://youngartmuseum.org)  
 for a complete list of offers

#youngartmuseum



**YOUNG AT ART | MUSEUM**

954-424-5038 | [www.youngartmuseum.org](http://www.youngartmuseum.org)  
 751 SW 121st Avenue, Davie, Florida 33325

# FLAMINGO GARDENS

BOTANICAL GARDENS & WILDLIFE SANCTUARY

**Oct. 3 & 4**  
**Harvest Fest & Scarecrow Contest**  
 Hayrides, Crafts & Pumpkin Patch. 1/2 Price!

**Oct. 16, 17, 23, & 24**  
**Haunted Nights**  
 Special nighttime Haunted House. \$8 entry.

**Oct. 25**  
**Storytime with the Good Witch**  
 Costume Parade, Storytime, Hayrides 1/2 Price!

**Dec. 12, 13, 19, & 20**  
**Santa's Little Helpers**  
 Help Mrs. Claus feed the animals! Santa, Train, & Lights!

**Dec. 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, & 27**  
**Garden of Lights**  
 Special after hours holiday sound & light show. \$5 entry!

Call or visit our website for times, coupons, & more information.



Open Daily 9:30am to 5:00pm  
[www.FlamingoGardens.org](http://www.FlamingoGardens.org)  
 3750 S Flamingo Rd, Davie, FL 954-473-2955

# Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts

## Davie Sports Programs

### Bamford Sports Complex at Pine Island Park, 3801 S. Pine Island Road

The Town of Davie offers a wide variety of sports for boys and girls ages 3 to 15 throughout the year. Our weekday activities begin no earlier than 6 p.m., and the participants play on Saturday mornings and early afternoons as well. Please read the following to learn about the program registrations we have for fall and winter.

**Parents may register at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center, 3801 S. Pine Island Rd. Parents must provide a copy of their children's birth certificate and proof of Town of Davie residency at time of registration. For additional information on any of these programs, please contact the Sports Division at 954-327-3941 or 954-797-1145.**

## Youth Sports Baseball

Registration is November 23, 2015, through January 10, 2016. This program is open to participants ages 5 through 15 and runs from February through mid-May. Practices and games are weeknights and Saturdays. Parents must attend a mandatory meeting. For more information, call 954-327-3941 or 954-797-1145. Registration Fees:

Ages 5-9 \$100 for Davie residents and \$150 for nonresidents.  
Ages 10-15 \$125 for Davie residents and \$150 for nonresidents.

## Soccer Program

This program is open to participants ages 5 through 15 and runs from October 2015 through January 2016. For more information, call 954-327-3941 or 954-797-1145.

Ages 5-9 \$100 for Davie residents and \$150 for nonresidents.  
Ages 10-15 \$125 for Davie residents and \$150 for nonresidents.

**FIT Tennis** Instructional tennis for ages 4 years old and up. FIT Tennis uses transition balls and red, orange, and green dots, that help develop the tennis stroke. Instruction includes grip variations, footwork, stroke mechanics, and strategies. For more information, call 954-732-0588.

### Afterschool Tennis Lessons

Classes run continuously throughout the year for children ages 5 and up. The cost is \$10 per hour. For more information, call Buddy Walker at 954-562-5458.

### Tennis Lessons

For information on all Town of Davie tennis lessons, please call 954-797-1134. Instructional programs are held at various town parks. Lessons are available for adults and children Monday-Saturday. All tennis instructors are USPTA-certified.

## Coaches' Background Screenings

All persons interested in volunteering in the Town of Davie sports programs must adhere to the following process to be considered. This includes coaches and assistant coaches. Please contact Mary Ann Salser at 954-797-1146 to set up an appointment. A volunteer application and a copy of your driver's license will be required. Livescan fingerprinting must be completed prior to the start of the season if you wish to volunteer. If you have any questions, please contact the Sports Coordinator at 954-327-3928. Only properly screened volunteer applicants will be considered for coaching positions.

## Town of Davie Facility Rentals

The Davie Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts Department is proud to have a variety of park facilities available for rent to the general public. We have rooms located at Pine Island Park Multipurpose Center, as well as Shenandoah and Ivanhoe Centers, and the ever-popular Robbins Lodge. Room capacity ranges from 25 to 110 people for meetings and special events, such as birthday parties, baby showers, and weddings. For those who wish to enjoy an outdoor gathering in a Town park, we have picnic shelters at Betty Booth Roberts, Driftwood, Silver Lake, Wolf Lake, Bergeron, Oakhill, Robbins, and Waterford Parks. These shelters can accommodate 25 to 90 people. Advanced reservations are encouraged and can be made up to six months in advance for picnic shelters. Our room rentals can be made up to one year in advance.

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### Register for Sports Alerts

Sign up to receive Sports Alerts via email. Go to the Town of Davie website at [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov), and click on Subscribe to News. Next click on Sports Alerts. We are using the sports alerts to announce field conditions, canceled games and practices, and new sports registration dates.

# Recreation Programs and Classes



## South Florida Cloggers

The South Florida Cloggers are known throughout the Southeast Region of the United States and recently competed in *America's Got Talent*. They were also the only community dance group requested to perform in the Universal Studios Macy's Holiday Parade and have performed twice at Disney World. The team is made up of high-energy performers ages 2 through seniors. This program is held at Robbins Lodge, 4005 Hiatus Road, on Mondays, Tuesdays, and Wednesdays. For more information, please contact Rebecca Vetter at 954-347-5207.

## Baton & Pom Pom

The Davie Star Spangled Majorettes perform at shows, march in parades, and perform at the Davie Pro Rodeo and other events. No experience needed. Classes are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center on Wednesdays from 5:15 to 6:15 p.m. The cost is \$30 per month. Batons may be purchased during class. Please call Kelly at 954-303-3080 to register.

## Hip-Hop, Ballet

Let's move! Come join Ballet/Jazz for children ages 3 to 5 and Hip-Hop and Cheer for ages 6 to 10. Classes are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center. Students perform at the Orange Blossom Festival. It is great exercise in a fun and exciting way. Classes are held every Saturday from 9:30 to 10:15 a.m. for Ballet and 10:15 to 11:00 a.m. for Hip-Hop/Cheer. Call Joy Deco to register at 954-971-9917.

## Chess

Improve your child's self-confidence, imagination, concentration, and intuition with professional instruction. Classes are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center on Fridays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. for ages 4 to 12. Classes are \$75 per session. Each session has 4 classes. Call 954-650-2562 for more information.



## Open Play Chess

Come and enjoy a game of chess with a friend every 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month from 10 a.m. to 12 p.m. Players of all skill levels are welcome. Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. For more information, please call 954-327-3941.

## Atemi-Ryu Ju-Jitsu

Classes are held from 6 to 7 p.m., on Monday and Thursday, and 9 to 10 a.m. on Saturday. Learn effective self-defense for children and adults at Shenandoah Park, located at 14601 S.W. 14th Street (entrance to park located on Shenandoah Parkway.) For more information, call Dr. Chenique at 954-967-8272.

## USA GOJU Karate

Learn a combination of several fighting basics to accomplish a well-rounded self-defense, balance, self-esteem, and exercise program. Joe Kelljchian's karate classes are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center on Mondays and Wednesdays, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Classes are also held at Ivanhoe Community Center, located at 6101 S.W. 148th Avenue, Mondays and Thursdays, from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m., for children 5 to 11 years of age, and from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. for adults and children over 12. For more information, please call Joe Kelljchian at 954-673-3455.

## The Central Broward Basketball Academy (CBBA)

Fundamental basketball training and small group games for boys and girls ages 5 to 15 on Tuesday and Thursday from 7:15 to 8:30 p.m., and Saturday from 10:15 to 11:30 a.m. For more information, please call 954-980-9270

## Park Rangers

Park Rangers are on duty between the hours of 7 a.m. and 11 p.m., Monday through Sunday. They are available to answer concerns and questions you may have while utilizing the Town of Davie recreation facilities, which include parks, trails, playgrounds, picnic shelters, sports fields, restrooms, tennis courts, basketball courts, and community recreation buildings.

Call 954-275-8504 to report vandalism, dogs off leashes, and any other park concerns to the Park Rangers. Your cooperation is appreciated and will help keep our parks safer and cleaner.

For additional Park Ranger program information, please contact the Park Ranger Coordinator at 954-797-1159, Monday through Friday.

**Pine Island Park**  
**Bamford Fields**  
**Multipurpose Center**  
**954-327-3941**  
**3801 South Pine Island Rd., Davie, FL 33328**  
**Ivanhoe Center**  
**954-327-3941**  
**6101 S.W. 148<sup>th</sup> Ave. Davie, FL 33331**

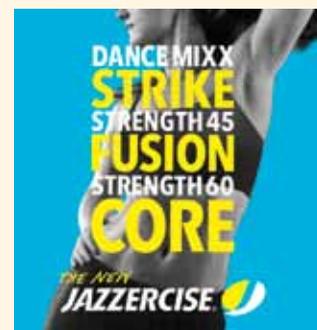
**Robbins Lodge**  
**954-327-3941**  
**4005 Hiatus Rd. Davie, FL 33330**  
**Shenandoah Center**  
**954-327-3941**  
**14601 S.W. 14<sup>th</sup> St. (enter park on Shenandoah Pky.) Davie, FL 33325**

## Jazzercise

Burn up to 600 calories in one fun and powerfully effective 60-minute total body workout. Every Jazzercise group fitness class combines dance-based cardio with strength training and stretching to sculpt, tone, and strengthen muscles for maximum fat burn. Choreographed to today's hottest music, Jazzercise is a fusion of jazz dance, resistance training, Pilates, yoga, and kickboxing.

M/T/W/Th/F/S/Sun 9 a.m. daily.  
M/T/W/Th/F 6 p.m.  
M/W 7 p.m.  
T/Th 5 p.m.  
Tuesday: 7:15 a.m. and 8 a.m.  
Thursday 7 a.m. and 8 a.m.

For more information, please contact Fran Anderson at 888-804-7406.



## Skateboard Lesson

Learn how to skateboard or learn new tricks and techniques. Group and private lessons available from Amaxon SK8 Skool. For more information, [www.amaxon.ws](http://www.amaxon.ws).

## Robotics

Encourage your child to explore and learn preengineer concepts. Classes for children ages 6 to 12 will teach participants to build and program a robot. Classes are held at Pine Island Multipurpose Center on Mondays from 4:30 to 5:30 p.m. For more information and to register, call 786-262-6266

## Color Zone Plaster

Hands on creative fun classes for children and adults on Thursday, from 3:15 to 4:15 p.m., at Pine Island Multipurpose Center. Cost is \$7 and \$10 for nonresidents. Take your finished piece home the same day. For more information, call 954-536-3737.



## Pickleball

Pickleball is one of the fastest-growing recreational sports in America. In Florida alone, there are over 10,000 pickleball players. The sport is extremely popular with ages 50 plus as an alternative to tennis and table tennis. The court is about one-third the size of a tennis court, and players can easily move to get to the ball. The game is played with a pickleball paddle, a 20-foot-long and 34-inch-high net, and a plastic ball. The game is played either as singles or doubles. Do not miss out on playing the hottest new sport court game! To get a better idea of what the game is about, search YouTube for Pickleball. Residents can use the courts for free, and there is a one-time yearly fee of \$30 for nonresidents.



## Drop-in Play

Every Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 5 to 8:30 p.m., and Saturday from 8 to 11:30 a.m. For more information, call 954-327-3941.

## Wednesday Leagues for Adults

Wednesday evenings from 6 to 9 p.m., beginning on January 13, 2016. Fees are \$50 per team. All participants will receive a T-shirt. Teams play a round-robin regular season to determine their seeding in the end of the season tournament. The league will be split into two divisions based on regular season records. Awards will be given to first-and second-place finishers in each division. Call 954-327-3944 for more information.

## Open Tournament

Saturday, October 24, 2015. Registration is open until October 21. Cost is \$40 per team. Call 954-327-3944 for more information.



## Men's Softball and Coed Softball Leagues

Games are Tuesday nights at Bamford Sports Complex. The cost is \$480 per team which includes 12 games plus playoffs.

Please call 954-327-3944 for more information.

## Afterschool & Daycare Sunshine Afterschool Program

Held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Facility in Davie, the Sunshine Child Program is a family-operated not-for-profit childcare provider that has been providing superior school-age childcare programs in Broward County since 1992.

All programs are licensed and insured and operate under the policies and directives of the Division of Children & Family Services and the Broward County School Board. For more information, please call 954-236-8850.



# ACTORS COMMUNITY THEATER (ACT) OF DAVIE 2015-2016 Season

Do you appreciate and enjoy local theater? The Actors Community Theater of Davie puts on three plays each year at Pine Island Multipurpose Center. Please call 954-327-3941 for information and ticket sales.



*The Odd Couple (Female Version) - By Neil Simon*  
November 2015 - 13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22

*Death Trap- By Ira Levin*  
February 2016-12, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21

*Miracle on South Division St. - By Tom Dudzick*  
May 2016-13, 14, 15, 20, 21, 22

All productions are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center, 3801 S. Pine Island Road, Davie, FL 33328  
Tickets are \$12 at the door. \$10 in advance.  
Group tickets for 10 or more \$8



Davie Golf and Country Club is an 18-hole public golf course and practice range owned by the Town of Davie. The course was redesigned and reopened in 2011 with beautifully landscaped fairways and waterways. Special low rates available to Davie residents and all south Florida residents.

For tee time reservations, call 954-797-4653. Davie Golf and Country Club is located at 8201 Nova Drive, Davie, FL 33324.

**Veterans Day Golf Tournament to Benefit Wounded Warrior Project (WWP) sponsored by Anda, Inc.**



**Wednesday, November 11, 2015**

All golfer entry fees will be donated to WWP. Format is a 4-player scramble with an 8 a.m. shotgun start at Davie Golf and Country Club. Entry fee is \$500 per team or \$125 individual. The event will include a special ceremony honoring our military veterans and a silent auction benefiting Wounded Warrior Project. Register at the Davie Golf and Country Club. For more information, call 954-797-4653 or [www.daviegolf.net](http://www.daviegolf.net).

## Electronics Recycling and Household Hazardous Waste Drop-Off

**December 5, 2015**

**8 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

**Shred-A-Thon - 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. (limit 5 boxes)**

**Shenandoah Park, 14601 S.W. 14th Street, Davie, FL 33325** (enter park from Shenandoah Parkway)



### Ongoing Drop-off locations

#### Electronics (E-Waste) Recycling

Household Electronics only may be dropped off at the ARC locations below to be recycled.

- ARC Sunrise, 10250 N.W. 53rd Street, Sunrise, FL 33351, 954-746-9400 (use 102nd Avenue at the cul-de-sac entrance. The drop-off facility is in the back, last building on the right) Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays only from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- ARC Ft. Lauderdale, 3300 S.W. 13th Avenue, Fort Lauderdale, FL 33315, 954-577-4160, Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

#### Bulk & Yard Waste

- Saturdays 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., SWS, 2380 College Avenue, Davie, FL 33328

Proof of residency is required (photo ID and a document that shows your Davie address, such as a tax bill, TRIM notice, or voter registration). For more information, call Sun Bergeron at 954-680-6100 or Town of Davie at 954-797-1045

# Davie Aquatics and Fitness



## Pine Island Park Pool

3800 S.W. 92nd Avenue  
954-327-3927

**Lap Swim:** Monday through Friday, 5 to 10 a.m.

**Open Swim:** Monday through Friday, 12 to 7:45 p.m.

Saturday, 8 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.

Sunday, CLOSED.

Admission Fees:

	Davie Residents	Nonresidents
Adults 19+	\$4	\$6
Youth ages 3-18	\$3	\$4
Seniors 65+	\$1	\$1

## Betty Booth Roberts Park Pool

4200 S.W. 61st Avenue  
954-327-6716

Closed for recreational swimming from October 2015 through February 2016



### Swimming Lessons

The Town of Davie Aquatics Division is offering year-round swimming lessons conducted by certified Town staff. Lessons are geared to help swimmers of all ages and abilities to develop swimming and water-safety skills.

#### **Mommy & Me: Ages 6 months to 3 years:**

Floating, kicking, blowing bubbles, and water exploration.

#### **Preschool Ages: 3 to 5 years:**

Water safety, survival skills, and foundational swimming concepts. Fundamental skills such as kicking and coordinating arm and leg

movements will be introduced.

**Learn to Swim Levels: Ages 6 and up:** Level 1: Being comfortable in the water and basic water safety. Level 2: Primary skills such as floating and kicking. Level 3: Introduces basic strokes. Level 4: Stroke improvement.

Learn to Swim registration is first-come, first-served. Class ratio is 1 instructor for 6 children. Please call 954-327-3927 for more information.

### Lap Swim

Lap swimming is available daily from 5 to 10 a.m. Children under 16 years of age must be accompanied by an adult.

### Pool Parties

Book your next birthday party or special event at the pool. For more information, please call 954-327-3927.

### Lifeguard Certification Training Course

This 30-hour training course is conducted by an American Red Cross Instructor. Successful completion of this course includes certification in Lifeguard/First Aid and CPR/AED from the American Red Cross. For more information, please call 954-327-3927.

### Join the SWIMFAST Swim Team

SWIMFAST is a full-service swim team serving young swimmers ages 6 and up. The SWIMFAST program can fulfill your swimming needs whether you are a new swimmer or an elite swimmer aspiring to high levels of success. The coaching staff, headed by John

Leonard, one of the best-known names in the world of swimming, includes 3 ASCA Level

5 (highest level) coaches, 2 Level 4 coaches, and 1 Level 3 coach.

To join, contact the coaches, either in person at the pool (on-deck 4-7 p.m. daily, M-F), or call Coach John Leonard at 954-684-3024.

Email contact: JLeonard@swimmingcoach.org.

### Davie Stroke Doctor

Stroke Doctor Swimming provides the best in personalized, hands-on swimming instruction. The lessons will give you the skills to swim with confidence and speed in any body of water. From elite athletes to anxious beginners, our patient, knowledgeable approach produces the best results. Please contact Gary at 954-629-7724.

### Davie Water Aerobics

The water aerobics program, conducted by Dana, is a high-energy, low-impact class performed in the water to music. This total body workout improves muscle strength, flexibility, and endurance, and provides an efficient cardiovascular workout. Our classes are designed to accommodate both the beginner as well as the experienced swimmer. No swimming skills are needed for this shallow-water workout. Classes are held weekday mornings and evenings as well as on Saturdays. Please call Dana at 954-797-7387.

### Aqua Kids

Water aerobics for children is an ideal way to help your child get fit through exercise, fun, and games. The minimum height requirement is 4 ft. tall, and children must be comfortable in the water. Classes are held on Saturday mornings. Please call Dana at 954-797-7387 for more information.

### Deep Water Aerobics

A perfect way to work out with zero impact to bones and joints is by performing a variety of exercises and deep-water running techniques while wearing a flotation belt. Please call Dana at 954-797-7387 for more information.

### Davie Scuba Classes conducted by Divers Cove

Have you ever wondered what it's like to breathe under water? Want to discover the joy of scuba diving? If you are interested but are not quite ready to take the plunge into a certification course, Discover Scuba Diving will let you try scuba to see if you like it. While not an actual scuba certification, during the Discover Scuba Diving experience, you will learn how to use scuba equipment in shallow water and get a quick-and-easy introduction to the underwater world.

To take Discover Scuba Diving, you must be at least 12 years old. Classes are free. Please call 954-473-1220 to preregister for the next class.

### Open Water Diver Course

The Open Water Diver course consists of three main parts:

1. Knowledge development to learn the basic principles of scuba diving through home study and classroom.
2. Confined water dives or pool dives to learn basic scuba skills at Pine Island Pool.
3. Open water dives to review your skills and explore the "world below."

Please call 954-473-1220 to register for the next scheduled class.

### Davie Synchronized Swimming Team

Conducted by All Stars Synchro, this is a year-round competitive synchronized swim team. Programs are offered from beginner to the national level. Contact Coach Yamilet at 305-305-5364.

### Aqua Zumba

Aqua Zumba is offered on Saturdays at 9 a.m. This class is complementary to Davie employees and residents. Nonresidents must pay \$5. To register, participants must email [CommunityExercise@Baptisthealth.net](mailto:CommunityExercise@Baptisthealth.net), or call 786-596-7044.

### Davie Aquatics Fitness Personal Training

Schedule an aquatic fitness personal training session at Pine Island Aquatic Center. Receive one-on-one instruction with a certified and experienced teacher. Contact Nancy at 954-383-1132 or [njolson97@comcast.net](mailto:njolson97@comcast.net) for more information.

### Pine Island Fitness Center

3800 S.W. 92nd Avenue, 954-327-3926  
Monday – Friday - 5 a.m. to 8:45 p.m.  
Saturday and Sunday - 8 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.  
Locker room & showers are available.

Invest in your well-being and become a member of the Town of Davie Fitness and Aquatic Center. Membership is very affordable, and we offer both 6- and 12-month membership. Both include the use of our Olympic-sized pool, state-of-the-art equipment by Cybex, Hoist, and True. We also have an extensive line of cardiovascular equipment, including treadmills, elliptical trainers, stair climbers, and stationary bicycles. Personal training is also available by appointment.

Please stop by for a tour of the facility and receive one additional month free on your annual membership upon registration. Don't forget to get your exclusive Pine Island Fitness workout towel when you join.

### Daily Drop-in Fee

Resident Adult	\$7
Resident Teen (15-18)	\$6
Nonresident Adult	\$10
Nonresident Youth	\$7.50

### Fitness Center Rates

#### Resident Membership Rates

	6 month	12 month
Resident Adult	\$150	\$210
Resident Teen (15-18)	\$125	\$175
Resident Sr (55 & over)	\$125	\$175
Resident Family (4 members)*	\$225	\$325
Resident Sr Family (2 members 55 & over)	\$150	\$175
Resident Sr Family (2 members 65 & over)	\$100	\$150
Additional Family members:	\$25 each	

#### Nonresident Membership Rates

	6 month	12 month
Nonresident Adult	\$250	\$325
Nonresident Teen	\$150	\$225
Nonresident Family (4 members)*	\$300	\$400
Additional Family members:	\$20 each	

\*Family members must be immediate family.

### Davie Dashers Run Club - a Kids' Running And Health Program



#### Davie Dashers Run Club is a Kids Running And Health Program

Each of the Davie Dashers programs are designed with 3 facets: run training; nutrition and wellness coaching; and overall health for life concepts.

#### Recreational Club Team \$40 per month

Kids ages 5-15: 1-hour class meets twice weekly on Mondays and Thursdays at Bamford Sports Complex. Teaches beginning running and fitness concepts. Class fee includes 2 Davie Dashers T-shirts.

#### Competitive Club Team \$65 running and \$30 Strength Training fee per month

Kids ages 5-15: meet Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday at Bamford Sports Complex. This is a year-round competitive program designed to take the athlete from local 5 kilometer races to 10k or half marathon national championships. Class fee includes 2 Davie Dashers T-shirts.

Contact Eric Schweitzer, Certified Distance Running Coach by Road Runners Club of America, at [eric@daviedashers.org](mailto:eric@daviedashers.org), or call 954-336-8258.

Yearly Registration Fee \$15 residents, \$25 Nonresidents

### Dog Training Classes

The dog training classes are held at Robbins Open Space Park and Waterford Park. Dogs must be at least 4 months old and current on distemper and parvo (DHPP) and rabies vaccines.

Please contact Helen Verte Schwarzmamm at [lovewagsatail@gmail.com](mailto:lovewagsatail@gmail.com) to register.

Classes include Hold Your Horses, The Awesome Dog, Tricks and Games, Agility Light, GS.T.A.R. Puppy and Canine Good Citizen.



# Senior Trips, Activities & Events

Date and Trip	Time	Transport Fee
Mon., November 2 Casino Day	10 a.m. to 2 p.m.	\$4
Thurs., November 5 Brunch & Movies \$7	10 a.m. to 2 p.m.	\$4
Mon., November 9 Hollywood Beach Broadwalk	5 to 9 p.m.	\$4
Tues., November 24 Jungle Island, \$32.95	9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.	\$5
Thurs., December 3 Brunch & Movies \$7	10 a.m. to 2 p.m.	\$4
Mon., December 7 Casino Day	10 a.m. to 2 p.m.	\$4
Mon., December 14 Hollywood Beach Broadwalk	5 to 9 p.m.	\$4

Date & Activity/Event	Time
Tues., October 20 Veterans Breakfast No charge	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Fri., October 30 Halloween Luncheon RSVP	11 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Mon., November 2 AARP Defensive Driving Course-\$15/\$20 RSVP	9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Sat., November 7 Pine Island Park Garage Sale \$25/\$20	7 a.m. to 1 p.m.
Tues., November 17 Veterans Breakfast No charge	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Fri., November 20 Thanksgiving Luncheon RSVP	11 a.m. to 12 p.m.
Tues., December 15 Veterans Breakfast No charge	9:30 to 10:30 a.m.
Fri., December 28 Christmas Luncheon RSVP	11 a.m. to 12 p.m.

**All Trips, Activities, and Events are subject to change**



## Ageless Grace

The Ageless Grace program: 21 simple tools for lifelong comfort and ease can be done by almost anyone of any age or ability. The movement sequences focus on the healthy longevity of the body, mind, emotions, and spirit. All the exercises are designed to be practiced in a chair.

Classes are held at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center every Tuesday and Friday from 10 to 11 a.m. There is no cost for seniors and Silver Sneaker members. Call 954-327-3941 for more information.



**Come join us for Mahjong, Bingo, cards, trips, monthly guest speakers, and much more.**

**Contact us at 954-327-3941 for more information on our daily, weekly, and monthly programs offered at the Pine Island Multipurpose Center, located at 3801 South Pine Island Road.**

## Senior Citizen Advisory Committee

As we enter the fall season, I wanted to take a minute to reflect on the outstanding Senior Expo which was held on July 28 at the Multipurpose Center. Over 45 health, wellness, financial, and other vendors were on-site with information and demonstrations of “all things senior” to over 100 senior participants. The Senior Advisory Committee would like to thank everyone who completed the survey we created to better assess and address the needs of our residents. If you did not complete a survey at the Expo, you may complete one any time at the Multipurpose Center. Be sure to mark your calendars for the upcoming garage sale on November 7 from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. The Senior Citizen Advisory Committee will be on-site selling coffee, donuts and water. Your input is important to us. Feel free to come to our meetings and do not forget to complete our short survey! Regards, Dottie Millais, Chairperson

# Special Events & Cultural Arts



## Government Days

**October 19 to 23, 2015**

**9:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

**Town Hall**

**6591 Orange Drive**

The Florida League of Cities, an association of member municipalities throughout Florida, is sponsoring an educational program called “My Town: I’m Part of it; I’m Proud of It.” The program is designed to educate school-aged children about city government functions.

In the spirit of the program, the Town of Davie will celebrate Florida city government, by providing school-aged groups educational tours of Davie Town Hall. The tours are designed to educate and to inform students about local government.

## Halloween Happenings

**Sunday, October 25, 2015**

**1 p.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Robbins Open Space Park**

**4005 Hiatus Road**

Event includes a haunted house, pumpkin patch, free games and prizes, a petting farm, bounce houses, climbing wall and a Halloween costume contest. The South Florida Trail Riders will host a Halloween horse costume contest.

## Veterans Day Ceremony

**Thursday, November 11, 2015**

**Veterans Park**

**5750 S.W. 39th Street**

**10 a.m.**

Join us for our Veterans Day Ceremony on Thursday, November 11. Our recognition and tribute to the men and women who have served this country with honor and distinction. Here is another opportunity to thank those who have put their lives on the line to help ensure that we get to enjoy our freedom as Americans.

## Concerts at the Park , 2015-2016

**Thursday, November 12, featuring Zero Point Zero (90s Rock)**

**Thursday, December 10, featuring Sekond Nature (Variety)**

**Thursday, January 14, featuring High Tolerance (Variety)**

**Old Davie School Bandshell**

**6650 Griffin Road**

The concerts are held in the bandshell located behind the Old Davie School. The concerts are free. Live music will begin at 6:30 p.m., and the event will include food trucks, a bounce house, petting farm, and vendors. Parking is free and available at the Old Davie School. Bring your blankets and chairs, enjoy dinner and live music this fall and winter during the Town of Davie’s “Concerts in the Park” concert series.

## Southeastern Circuit Pro Rodeo Finals

**November 12, 13, and 14, 2015**

**Bergeron Rodeo Grounds of Davie**

**4271 Davie Road**

The Davie Pro Rodeo has been a Davie institution for years, bringing top cowboys and cowgirls to Davie to compete for National Championship points. See authentic heritage rodeo at its finest! Be amazed as real cowboys from around the world compete for championship titles.

The Davie Pro Rodeo was voted as the best rodeo east of the Mississippi and has won numerous rodeo awards in Las Vegas, Nevada. Come watch cowboys and cowgirls challenge 2,000-pound bulls, ride bareback, wrestle cattle, barrel race, and team rope. The kids will love it! Gates open at 6 p.m. to purchase tickets and to enjoy the food and vendors before the rodeo begins.



Championship Buckle Presentations will be held at Cowboys Saloon, and everyone is invited to attend. Come and meet the sponsors, cowboys, cowgirls, and committee members who are responsible for this fantastic event.

Tickets are available at [davieprorodeo.com](http://davieprorodeo.com), or call 954-680-8005. Tickets are \$18 and \$8 (children ages 3-12) in advance and \$20 and \$10 (children ages 3-12) at the gate.

## **Green Fair and Holiday Craft Show**

**November 21 and 22, 2015**

**Bergeron Rodeo Grounds of Davie  
4271 Davie Road**

**9 a.m.**

Gates open each day at 9 a.m. at the Bergeron Rodeo Grounds. Parking and admission is free. There will be approximately 100 craft and plant vendors, all hand-crafted, along with stage entertainment throughout the weekend. Food and beverages will be available for sale. The weekend events will include a Green Fair displaying products and services made with a healthy environment in mind.



## **Christmas Tree, Menorah and Kinara Decorating Contest**

**Wednesday, December 2, 2015**

**Town Hall**

**6591 Orange Drive**

**9 a.m.–1 p.m.**

The Town of Davie invites your school or civic group to participate in the annual Christmas Tree, Menorah, and Kinara Decorating Contest (lunch included). If you are unable to decorate on Wednesday morning, your group can come to decorate anytime before Friday, December 4, at noon. However, lunch will be served only on Wednesday. Groups are asked to make all their own decorations, keeping to the theme; lights will be provided by the Town. Prizes will be awarded at the Lighting of the Greens event. For more information and group registration, call 954-797-1153.



## **Winter Holiday Lighting of the Greens & Snow Play**

**Saturday, December 5, 2015**

**Town Hall**

**6591 Orange Drive**

**6 to 9 p.m.**

Visit a display of thousands of lights, over 50 beautifully adorned Christmas trees, menorahs, and kinaras. The event is free, along with traditional refreshments, holiday magic show, synthetic skating rink, and 20 tons of holiday snow.

Have your picture taken with Santa in the Council Chambers for a small fee. There will be a Jingle Bell Horse Parade put on by the South Florida Trail Riders as well. Free bounce houses, petting farm, climbing wall, and more.

**Be sure to sign up for our email notifications on the Davie website at [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov) and Like Us on Facebook.**

**All times, dates, and activities are subject to change.**



## The Bergeron Rodeo Grounds of Davie, Florida

4271 Davie Road, Davie FL 33314

The Bergeron Rodeo Grounds of Davie, Florida, are available for use to all individuals, organizations, and corporations on a nondiscriminatory basis under the terms and conditions laid out in the Operating Policy Manual and Lease Agreement. Copies of the Operating Policy Manual or Lease Agreement can be made available to you upon written request.

### Rental Rates for Single Performance

Commercial Rentals: \$1,800 per 8 hours

Nonprofit Organizations: \$1,000 per 8 hours

Additional fees & deposits may be required.

### Scheduling

There is a five-year calendar of events, and tentative event dates gladly will be accepted. Once approved, events will be scheduled and reserved by submitting a nonrefundable \$500 deposit.

If you would like to rent the Davie Bergeron Rodeo Grounds for your next event, concert, heritage festival, or equestrian event, contact Senior Operations Manager Matthew Mlodzinski at 954-797-1163, or email [mmlodzinski@davie-fl.gov](mailto:mmlodzinski@davie-fl.gov).

### Upcoming Events

Hollywood Dog

Every Monday at 7 p.m.

954-989-1267

Jackpot Rodeo

Every Wednesday at 7 p.m.

954-475-9787

South Dade Kennel Dog Show

November 27-29, 2015

954-797-1166



Events subject to change. Arena Events: 24-hour Hotline, 954-797-1166, [www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov).

The Town of Davie wants you to stay connected and has multiple media avenues in which to reach its residents, businesses, and other stakeholders. As a reminder, we want to share these with you:

**Davie TV, Comcast Channel 78**

**Video on Demand**

**Sports Alerts**

**[www.davie-fl.gov](http://www.davie-fl.gov)**

**Recreation Notices**

**Davie TV Streaming 24/7**

**Davie Update Magazine**

**COMMUNICATE**

**Police News**

**Special Events**

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**Weekly Davie E-Update Newsletter**

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The Mayors' Chess Challenge is a free program designed to bring attention to the benefits of chess in both the academic environment and in our community. The challenge is held in collaboration with the National Scholastic Chess Foundation and several other municipalities in Broward County.

The Town of Davie was pleased to host the Mayors' Chess Challenge on September 12, with over 100 kids and parents attending. Join other school-aged children to exercise your mind and compete against elected officials and one another. Kids get a passport that gets stamped for each month they attend. Call Davie Parks, Recreation & Cultural Arts for more details at 954-327-3941.

**Upcoming Mayors' Chess Challenge Dates & Locations**

**Tamarac: November 14, 2015, 10 am. to 12 p.m.**

Ballroom Community Center  
 8601 W. Commercial Blvd.

**Lauderhill: December 5, 2015, 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.**

Lauderhill City Hall  
 5581 W. Oakland Park Blvd.

**Coral Springs, January 23, 2016, 9 to 11 a.m.**

Mullins Hall at Mullins Park  
 10000 N.W. 29th Street (Ben Geiger Drive)

**Cooper City: February 27, 2016, 9 to 11 a.m.**

Pool and Tennis Center  
 11600 Stonebridge Parkway

**Wilton Manors, March 19, 2016, 2 to 4 p.m.**

Hagen Park Community Center  
 2020 Wilton Drive

**Hallandale Beach: April 2, 2016, 9 to 11 a.m.**

Hallandale Beach Cultural Community Center  
 410 S.E. 3rd Street

**Pembroke Pines: April 16, 2016, 9 to 11 a.m.**

Club 19 at Pembroke Lakes Golf & Racquet Club  
 10500 Taft Street

**Weston: May 7, 2016, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

Weston Community Center  
 20200 Saddle Club Road (in Weston Regional Park)

