

world famous DAYTONA BEACH

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¡SAY HOLA TO LEARNING SPANISH!

The city offers free classes in The Art of Speaking Spanish, bringing an exciting way to learn Spanish at the Cherry Cultural & Educational Center, 925 George W. Engram Blvd. Whether you're a beginner or looking to sharpen your skills, this fun, interactive program will have you speaking, reading and writing Spanish confidently—all taught by a native speaker!

Class Schedule: Monday, Wednesday & Thursday

Youth (ages 6 and older): 4 to 5 p.m.

Adults: 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. & 6:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Don't miss this fantastic opportunity to learn a new language, connect with others and have fun! For details, call (386) 671-5540. To register, visit www.DaytonaBeach.gov/Activities.



CALLING ALL YOUTH SLUGGERS!

Are you ready to hit home runs and make memories? Daytona Beach is calling all athletes ages 7 to 12 to join the Youth Baseball League to develop their skills, have fun and enjoy America's favorite pastime.

Participants will be drafted into teams, ensuring fair competition and an opportunity to grow as players. The drafts are:

- March 17 (Ages 7-10) at Derbyshire Sports Complex, 849 Derbyshire Road
- March 18 (Ages 11-12) at Bethune Point Park, 11 Bellevue Ave.

Season Details

- April 5 - May 17
- \$40 registration fee
- Co-Ed ages 7-12
- Registration closes March 15

How to Register

Signing up is easy! Visit www.DaytonaBeach.gov/Activities to secure your spot.

Questions?

For more information, contact:

- Charles Bethune: (386) 671-3448
- Admin Office: (386) 671-8337

Step up to the plate, bring your A-game and get ready for an amazing baseball season. Register today before spots fill up!



SPRING TURKEY RUN, MARCH 21-23

Thousands of classic cars will be on display during the 35th annual Spring Daytona Turkey Run at Daytona International Speedway March 21-23. Hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday and Saturday and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday. For more information, visit www.TurkeyRun.com.



FREE admission to US NAVY BAND at Peabody Auditorium

Residents are invited to a FREE United States Navy Concert Band performance at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 25 at the Peabody Auditorium in Daytona Beach. This family-friendly concert is free to attend with a ticket required for entry. Free tickets are available at the Peabody Auditorium Box Office, 600 Auditorium Blvd. and City Hall's Front Desk, 301 S. Ridgewood Ave. In 2025, the United States Navy celebrates 250 years of defending freedom and protecting America's interests worldwide.



DIVE INTO CITY GOVERNMENT WITH "DAYTONA BEACH UNIVERSITY CITIZENS ACADEMY"

Join Daytona Beach University Citizens Academy starting March 13 for a behind-the-scenes look at city operations. This nine-week program offers hands-on, interactive sessions on municipal services, from water delivery to Parks & Recreation, with the final session at May 7's City Commission meeting.

WHY JOIN?

GAIN INSIDER KNOWLEDGE: Learn directly from senior staff in key departments such as Police, Fire, Public Works, Growth Management and more.

BE PART OF THE ACTION: Participate in hands-on activities and discussions highlighting how your city serves you.

NETWORK WITH FELLOW RESIDENTS: Build relationships with other engaged citizens who are passionate about Daytona Beach.

DETAILS:

COST: Free! It's just a commitment of your time.

CLASS SIZE: Limited to 25 participants for an interactive experience.

APPLICATION: available www.DaytonaBeach.gov/CitizensAcademy

DRIBBLE, DRIVE & DROP DIMES

Enjoy four freshly resurfaced outdoor basketball courts. Residents can enjoy playing basketball from sunrise to sunset seven days a week at the following parks:

- Henry Lee Park, 701 Bellevue Ave.
- Suburbia Park, 700 Heinemann St.
- Schnebly Recreation Center, 1101 N. Atlantic Ave.
- Sunnyland Park, 825 Washington St.



FUN, SUN AND RUN ON THE SANDS OF WORLD-FAMOUS DAYTONA BEACH

Registration is open for the city's popular Easter Beach Run on Saturday, April 19. Participants of all ages and fitness levels can enjoy a scenic view while traveling out and back for the 2-mile or 4-mile run/walk. Kids can participate in the 1/4-mile race, 50- and 100-yard dashes. Races start on the beach behind the Oceanfront Bandshell. The 2-mile/4-mile run/walk starts at 7:30 a.m., and kids' races start at 8:30 a.m. To register, visit www.DaytonaBeach.gov/EasterBeachRun.



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