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ON THE *MOVE* WITH PARKS & RECREATION



Remembering MARGIE MANLEY

It is with deep sadness the Parks & Recreation team shares the passing of Margie Manley, a teammate with our department since 2004. Margie will be remembered for her humility, warm smile and dedication to the community. She loved playing cards, dancing, spending time with her grandchild and was always ready to help at special events and football games. She will be deeply missed by her family, friends and colleagues. A service to celebrate Margie's life will be shared once available.



NEW PLAYGROUND EQUIPMENT COMING TO CYPRESS PARK

Crews have finished leveling the site, and playground installation is expected to take three to four weeks. Once complete, fall zone material will be added. The project remains on schedule for completion by late October. Upgrades include new playground equipment for children ages 2 to 12 as well as outdoor fitness features such as a decline bench, leg lift and flex wheel. Cypress Park, located at the corner of George W. Engram Boulevard and Nova Road, also offers walking paths and open green space.



NEW CAMERA ROOF DECK NOW OPEN AT DAYTONA STADIUM

Work on the roof deck is almost finished! Last week, crews completed the final coating on the ramp from the elevator to the roof deck, marking one of the last major steps in the project. A new safety net has also been fully installed, with a final inspection scheduled for this week to ensure everything meets safety standards. In the meantime, the roof deck is already open and available for games, giving crews the ability to use the space while work wraps up. The project is expected to be fully completed by the end of this week.





WEIGHT ROOM UPGRADE AT DICKERSON COMMUNITY CENTER

The Dickerson Community Center has received an exciting fitness upgrade with new weight room equipment. The updated space now features a variety of exercise machines, free weights and cardio equipment, giving visitors more options to reach their fitness goals. In addition to the equipment, both workout rooms received a fresh coat of paint, creating an energizing environment for workouts. Residents are encouraged to take advantage of the new free amenities, with the weight rooms open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m., Monday through Friday.



ENJOY PICKLEBALL AT TWO COMMUNITY CENTERS

Free indoor pickleball is available at the Dickerson Community Center, 308 S. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Blvd. Sessions take place every Monday, Wednesday and Friday from 12:15 to 3:15 p.m. and are open to all ages and skill levels. The Cherry Cultural & Educational Center, 925 George W. Engram Blvd. offers free pickleball Thursday evenings from 5:30 to 8 p.m. **No registration is required for either center, just show up and play.**

SPECIAL NEEDS PARTY COMING TO DICKERSON COMMUNITY CENTER

The Dickerson Community Center is hosting an evening of food, music and celebration at the Special Needs Beach Bash Luau Friday, Sept. 19, from 4:30 to 7:30 p.m. Open to people with special needs of all ages, this luau will have plenty of fun with games, dancing and lively entertainment, creating a welcoming space for everyone to enjoy. Attendees can look forward to a night filled with community spirit, good food and lasting memories. The cost is \$5 per person, and the event is part of the city's Special Needs Adaptive Program (SNAP), which is dedicated to providing inclusive recreational opportunities for residents. To RSVP, call (386) 671-5538 or email PriesterSheila@DaytonaBeach.gov.

Don't miss this opportunity to come together, celebrate and have fun in a supportive and festive environment.



INNER ACTING PROGRAM UNDERWAY

Inner Acting, a free acting program designed to build confidence through acting and public speaking is now being offered at two community centers. Participants will develop valuable skills while also having the chance to participate in community play productions and films. The program runs now through Dec. 19 at both the Dickerson Community Center and the YSG Cultural & Educational Center. Classes are available for children ages 8 to 12, teens and adults on select weekdays and Fridays. Inner Acting is open to all skill levels and offers a fun way to explore creativity, gain stage experience and boost self-confidence. **For more information or to register, call (386) 671-8337.**

DICKERSON COMMUNITY CENTER STARTS MENTOR PROGRAM

Looking for a positive and engaging program for your child? The Destined Mentor Group is now welcoming students every Tuesday and Thursday from 5 to 6 p.m. at the Dickerson Community Center. This program is designed to support academic success while also building confidence and life skills. Students will benefit from homework help, developing a positive self-image, building leadership skills, learning responsibility and increasing academic achievement.

Registration is now open at DaytonaBeach.gov/Activities or contact jonesfrancis@daytonabeach.gov for more information.