

New Interpretive Signage unveiled along Black Heritage Trail

New interpretive signage has been installed at locations along Daytona Beach's Black Heritage Trail. The project was made possible by a \$50,000 grant from the Florida Department of State's Division of Historical Resources.

The signs mark 18 existing sites of historical significance and add a 19th stop at the Dr. Mary McLeod Bethune statue in the Riverfront Esplanade, along Beach Street. Each sign highlights important people, places and events that shaped Daytona Beach and the nation over the last 150 years.

Each sign features a QR code linking to additional digital content, offering an even deeper look into the history of each site. For more information about Daytona Beach's Black Heritage Trail, visit www.DaytonaBeach.gov/BlackHeritageTrail.

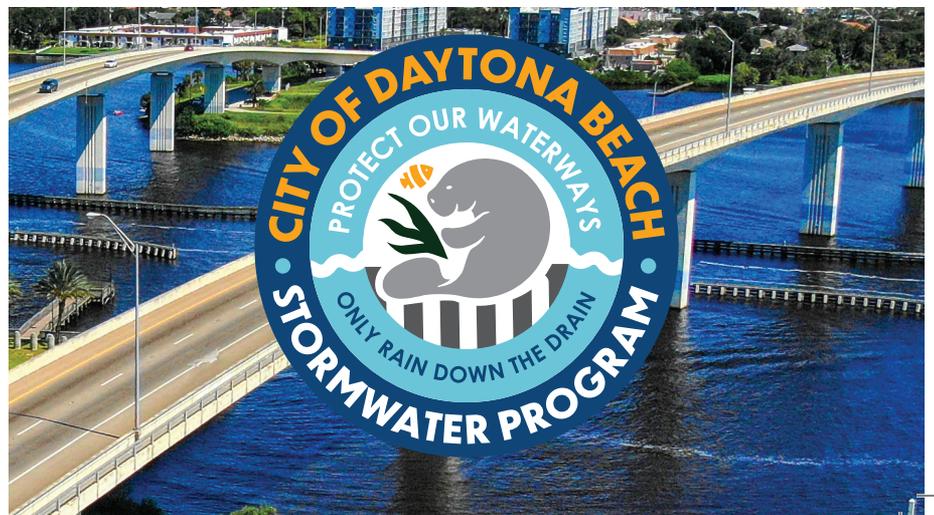


Pedestrian safety improvements completed in Derbyshire area

Pedestrian safety, walkability and accessibility have been improved in the area surrounding the Yvonne Scarlett-Golden Community Center with the installation of raised crosswalks, new sidewalks and ADA enhancements. Look for the upgrades along Vine Street, Brentwood Drive, Sixth Street and in the intersections of Brentwood Drive and Derbyshire Road, as well as Sixth Street and Derbyshire Road.

Keep Storm Drain Clean

Protect our waterways! When waste oil or other liquids leak onto streets, they don't just disappear; they flow into stormwater inlets and eventually reach our waterways. This pollution can harm wildlife, damage ecosystems, clog pipes and lead to costly fines for businesses. Let's work together to protect our environment and our community. For more information or to report an issue, call (386) 671-8815.

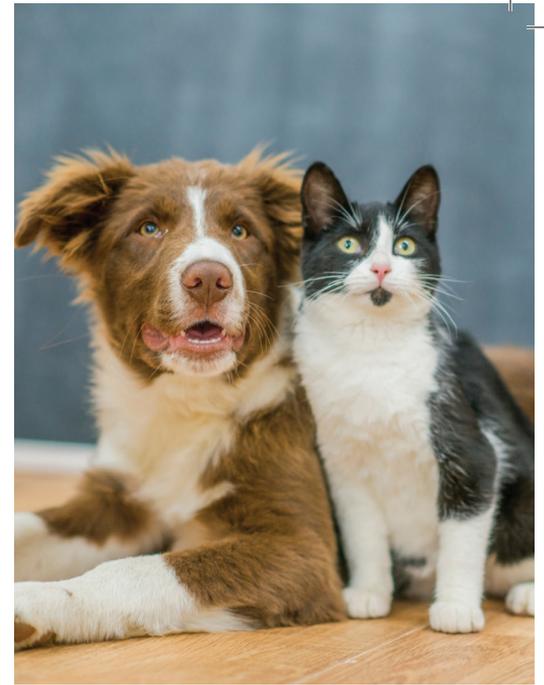


New Hope Animal Shelter is Daytona Beach's shelter provider

New Hope Animal Shelter in DeLand will provide sheltering services for animals brought in through the city's animal control operations. This change ends the city's contract with Halifax Humane Society following a review of rising costs.

WHAT RESIDENTS NEED TO KNOW:

- To report a stray animal: Call Volusia County's 24-hour non-emergency dispatch line at (386) 248-1777, and a Daytona Beach animal control officer will be dispatched. Please note: their hours are 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Friday. On-duty police officers will be dispatched to calls received outside of regular business hours and on weekends.
- Owner surrenders: Contact private shelters or rescue groups. A list is available at www.DaytonaBeach.gov/AnimalShelterUpdate.



Daytona Turkey Run, Nov. 27- 30

The 52nd annual Daytona Turkey Run, the largest combined classic car show and swap meet in the U.S., will be Thursday, Nov. 27, to Sunday, Nov. 30 at Daytona International Speedway. Enjoy thousands of classic cars on display and for sale, a swap meet, arts and crafts, food, music and family fun. Hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Thursday through Saturday, and 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Sunday. Admission is \$20 Thursday through Saturday, per person, per day, and \$15 on Sunday. For more details, visit www.TurkeyRun.com.



Main Street Arch Restoration Project Complete

Community leaders and residents recently celebrated the completion of a 17-month project to restore the Main Street Arch. The iconic structure, which has connected the boardwalk and pier since the 1930s, is a unique piece of the city's history.



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Residents 60 and older are invited to enjoy an evening of live music, food, drinks and fun at Daytona Nights from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday, Dec. 5, at the Cherry Cultural & Educational Center, 925 George W. Engram Blvd. There is no cost to attend. Tickets are required and will be available at City Hall, 301 S. Ridgewood Ave., starting Nov. 3. Participants must be Daytona Beach residents. The event is hosted by Zone 6 City Commissioner Paula R. Reed in partnership with the Daytona Beach Alumni Chapter of Kappa Alpha Psi and the Beta Delta Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity Inc. The event's sponsor is Family Health Source. For more information, call (386) 671-5551.



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