

# Caloosa Belle



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## Kids' Day Saturday

Kiwanis Club of LaBelle will present Kiwanis Kids' Day this Saturday in Barron Park for a fun-filled day for the whole family! Lots of fun things to do and lots of interesting things to see! Pizza, hotdogs and nachos to tickle your taste buds! Mayor Lyons will open the day's events with a grand welcome at 10am! The Sheriff's Office Explorers will present the American Flag and host a bike rodeo! Sheriff Whidden and his Posse Band will sing and play some great music; everyone is encouraged to dance and have a great time!

The Showtime Cloggers will show off their talents first thing so come at 10 a.m. so you don't miss anything!

Free popcorn, snow cones, candy, as well as free play time in bounce houses. Every kid will have a chance to win a free stuffed animal! There will be raffle tickets (2 for \$1.00) for a chance to win bicycles and tricycles! Kids can participate in relay-races, hula-hoop contests, and other exciting games. Prizes for the winners! Kids will also get to see Smokey Bear, McGruff the Crime Dog, and the Crash Dummies.

There will also be lots of agencies, businesses and community partners set up in the Barron Park to provide fun things and educational information for kids and their families. Don't miss this great event...www.labellekiwanis.com.

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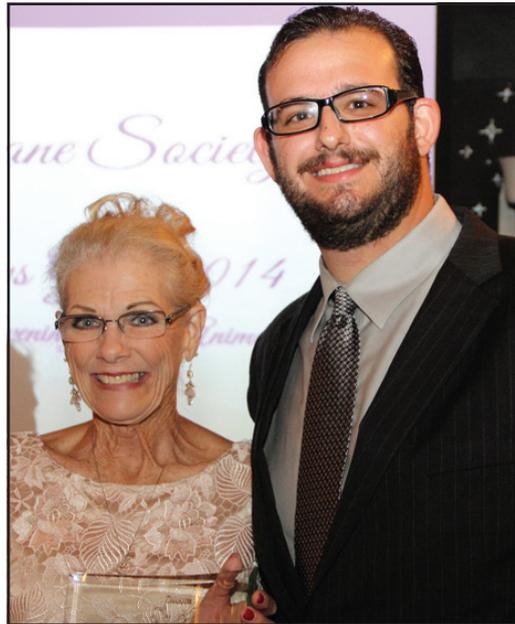
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## Peace Love and Paws



Susan Haywood-Keener was awarded the 2014 Volunteer of the Year award by shelter director, Alex DeStefano. She is an employee of CHS but still logged more volunteer hours than anyone else in her endless devotion to the fur babies at the shelter. "What a surprise! I am so humbled by this award. I love, love, love my time at the shelter. Can't wait to see all my "babies" find their forever homes. Wish I could take them all, but I guess that's not possible. Like everyone else involved with the shelter, at least we can show them some love while they are in our care. Thanks to everyone for welcoming me into the Caloosa Family!"

Caloosa Belle/Dale Conyers  
**AT RIGHT: Jill Cabai, on behalf of all Caloosa Humane Society Board members, presented a (surprise) special award of appreciation to Tricia Sanders Boone for all her devotion to the CHS shelter. The plaque was signed "with love from all the animals."**



## Chamber recognition for Langford, Two Peas

by Patty Brant  
Caloosa Belle

It would be hard to find anyone with a longer shadow than Pat Langford, the 2014 LaBelle Chamber of Commerce Man of the Year. For over 30 years, he has touched just about everyone in LaBelle at one time or another. Very often it has been through our most precocious, most vulnerable, most energetic citizens. Our youth. He has put his work, his time, his money and himself into

helping them become the kind of citizens he himself is. The kind every parent wants their child to become.

Pat Langford has never asked for anything in return. He gives like his basket will never be empty.

And indeed it won't, because his basket is filled with the kind of love that's eternal, coming from his personal faith in his Lord.

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## Harris bids to retain seat on county board

Darrell Harris has announced that he will seek re-election as Hendry County Commissioner for District 2. Mr. Harris has served Hendry County as commissioner for the past 14 years. Mr. Harris' wife was born in LaBelle and retired from LaBelle Elementary School. They have four sons who attended LaBelle schools and three of them live and work here. The couple has seven grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Mr. Harris attends First Baptist Church and is presently employed as Food Service Director for the Hendry County School System. Mr. Harris has a passion for the citizens and youth of Hendry County. As county commissioner, Mr. Harris feels he has always been available to listen to individual concerns and has been "an active voice to ensure that all issues are addressed at the commission level."

Mr. Harris has worked with the youth for over 47 years and is still involved in youth programs. Mr. Harris said he has always been a supporter of public safety - Sheriff's Office, Fire Department, EMS. He has also supported veterans and the library system and been an advocate for lower taxes.

Mr. Harris said he has served Hendry County not only on a professional level, but

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# Chamber

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It would be impossible to figure up accurately all the hours he has spent quietly working for and with Little League, Pop Warner, Junior Pro and continuing his service to those same children and families through the years as he keeps the excitement going at Cowboy home football games through his lively announcing.

Even off the ball diamond, court and gridiron, his heart is still with LaBelle's youth as he labors as a school board and rec board member. It's been over 20 years.

The Langford family business was instantly recognizable to many throughout Southwest Florida and people Pat himself surely would never recognize, faithfully watched his daughters grow up on TV commercials. It was pure LaBelle - and pure Pat Langford. It said home. It said family. It said come on in, you're welcome.

And because of Pat Langford, y'all will always be spoken here.

Business of the Year Two Peas Cafe

It came as a great surprise to Debbie Klemmer and Vickie Reynolds when their

business, Two Peas Cafe, was named Business of the Year that same night. These two LaBelle girls are about as homegrown as they come, and it shows in their cafe. They specialize in big hearts, good food - and customers always know they're hostesses are glad to see them - even if it's the first time. At Two Peas, you won't go away hungry and you can't go away without a smile. Debbie and Vickie both soaked up everything they could about food and making people happy at LaBelle's most famous restaurant, the old Flora & Ella's. The old ways live on in the younger generation.

Chamber

The audience heard about the importance of the chamber to increase the visibility of business. It sponsors a newsletter, provides customer referrals, is businesses' voice in government, supports legislation that is good for business and offers networking opportunities.

Members are encouraged to volunteer at the chamber as well.

As keynote speaker Gina Reynolds from Florida Heartland Regional Economic Development Initiative (FHREDI) explained the importance of chambers of commerce in the economic life of any community and how FHREDI and the Economic Development Council are involved in that process. She said they analyze how the area is per-

ceived so the area can better match up with businesses.

She said a skilled educated workforce is paramount in attracting appropriate industry and that the community must be proactive. A number of issues affect a business decision to come to a specific community, she said, but the number one issue is the need for a skilled workforce.

Coming up

On November 18 all chamber members are invited to a joint LaBelle/Clewiston meeting at Dunwoody in Flaghole. If you'd

like to go you can take the city's tour bus, car pool or drive yourself.

Every year the LaBelle Chamber has four major events. Nite on the Town is a huge block party on Fort Thompson Ave. It's in late February. In March the chamber puts on its popular \$5,000 giveaway. Of course, the annual banquet is in October and the first Friday in December is Christmas in the Park. (December 5 this year.) There is a call out to help purchase snow for this kid-friendly event. If you'd like to help out, call Carmen at 675-0125.



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant Man of the Year and his wife, Rhonda, shared a moment as the announcement began.



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant Two Peas: Debbie Klemmer and Vickie Reynolds.



Submitted photo/Sue Williams

Members of the LaBelle Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors sworn in by Director Joe Timm (at the podium) at the October 6 annual banquet were: Phillip Pelletier, Patty Brant, Lamar Youmans, Maureen Jordan, Bianca Ross and Brian Beer.

# Harris

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on a personal level.

"We want to become an economic jewel, creating diverse opportunities, promoting quality of life for all generations. Growing a county is very competitive. There are 3,141 other counties in the US that are also striving to succeed. We must promote our positive attributes and find solutions to our challenges better than anyone else," he said. He points to several economic development projects on the horizon.

This is how we will enhance our competitiveness.

If we can be aggressive in retaining existing businesses and bringing new businesses and jobs to Hendry County, then the quality of life will increase. The tax base will increase without increasing your taxes and families will be better off, which means our schools will be better off.

When this happens homes get built, new residents move in and retail follows the rooftops.

With all of this comes new tax revenue

to better care for the citizens. This means new parks, infrastructure, recreation, youth activities and in general more things to do for families right here in Hendry County.

Improved opportunities for all Hendry County adults is critical for them to enhance the lives of their children. This will create enhanced economic conditions, better schools, less poverty, less crime and an overall better quality of life for existing citizens and new citizens/families that decide Hendry County would be a great place to create a better life.

Mr. Harris believes he has worked to bring a conservative business approach to the county and a working relationship with the commissioners, the county staff and the citizens of Hendry County. Mr. Harris has worked hard to serve Hendry County with courage, integrity and to vote for what he feels is best for Hendry County. Mr. Harris can be reached at 675-2565, 673-5475 and 675-5220.

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# Pre-holiday event for St. Matthews and Guardian Angels

St. Matthews House & Guardian Angels Medical Service Dogs Cordially invite you to attend a: Pre-Holiday Appetizer Contest & Social Wednesday, November 12, 4-6 p.m. at SilverSpot Cinema, The Mercato Plaza, 9118 Strada Place, Naples. Cost: None - Donations will be graciously accepted 100 percent of the proceeds will benefit Guardian Angels Medical Service Dogs, Inc.

Please join Guardian Angels Medical Service Dogs and St. Matthews House as we kick-off the holidays with an appetizer social at Silverspot Cinema in Naples.

The event will feature:  
 \*Recipe contest (where the best recipe submission will be prepared by St. Matthews Catering Chefs & served at the event!)  
 \*Meet some of the St. Matthews Foster trainers & Dogs

And  
 \*View a screening of a Hollywood television Preview Reel for a potential TV show featuring Guardian Angels!  
 \*Cash Bar

It's going to be lots of fun & excitement jam-packed into just a couple of hours. Be sure to send us YOUR best holiday appetizer recipe by November 1st - then come and see if yours was chosen as the best!

While you enjoy the goodies, learn about the amazing stories and services that both Guardian Angels & St. Matthews House provide to our community, and get some GREAT recipes to kick off your holiday parties!

If you're interested in being a sponsor, submitting a recipe, or would like to RSVP for this fun social event, please visit [www.medicalservicedogs.com](http://www.medicalservicedogs.com) and click on the special icon.

## Arrest Reports

### LaBelle

Allison Carina Ruark, 36, was arrested October 11 and charged with battery touch/strike and robbery by sudden snatching without a firearm or weapon. J. Brown was arresting officer.

Brittany Nichole Kinney, 22, was arrested October 7 and charged with grand theft \$300-\$5,000, fraud swindle to obtain property under \$20,000 and cash deposit bank item with intent to defraud. C. Buchhofer was arresting officer

Chase Michael Drapal, 15, was arrested October 3 and charged with burglary of an occupied dwelling unarmed, burglary of an unoccupied conveyance unarmed and petit theft first degree \$100-\$300.

### Clewiston

Keshon Tysharena Allen, 17, was arrested October 13 and charged with aggravated battery causing bodily harm or disability and conspiring to interfere with educational process. B. Maynard was arresting officer.

# United Way kicks off 2014 campaign

LABELLE, FL (October 6, 2014) - The United Way Hendry & Glades 2014-2015 Campaign officially kicked off the campaign at Hope Connections with over 40 people in attendance. The goal for this year's campaign is \$247,400 that will help fund the network of 36 United Way Partner Agencies and 67 programs that assist people in Hendry and Glades Counties. Tommy Perry, of Johnson-Prewitt & Associates, and Chair of the United Way of Hendry and Glades 2014-2015 Campaign announced that early running companies have helped the organization get to the 30% mark.

Perry, went on to say, "Considering the huge need in our community, it is critical that we reach the \$247,400 goal so we can fully fund the entire network of 36 United Way agencies that help so many people in our community. We are reaching more who are in great need through our partnership efforts, but to continue to serve more children, families, and individuals, we need everyone's help."

Cliff Smith, President of the United Way commented, "This is a generous community, and we know we can do it. Every gift is important because added together they can make a real impact and change people's lives."

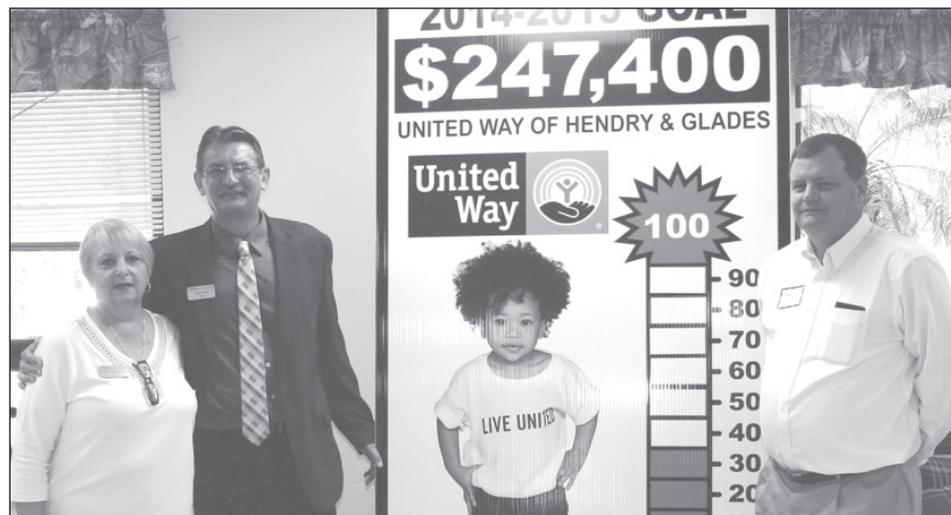
A local network of 35 agencies and programs will receive funds from the 2014-2015 United Way of Hendry & Glades fundraising campaign. These agencies include: Abuse Counseling and Treatment (ACT), The Sal-

vation Army, Harry Chapin Food Bank, Children's Advocacy Center, Child Care of Southwest Florida, Healthy Families, and many others. The network of United Way agencies helped over 20,000 people in Hendry and Glades Counties last year.

Over the last 14 years United Way Hendry and Glades has raised and distributed over \$2.25 million that has changed the lives of countless numbers of people in our com-

munity. In addition to raising funds for human service organizations in our community, the United Way promotes partnerships and collaborations among agencies, helping them to work together focusing on issues and solutions that continue to improve lives.

If you know someone who needs help or if you would like to volunteer, please call United Way at (800) 887-9234 or simply dial 2-1-1.



Submitted photo  
**Arlene Bettencourt, LaBelle United Way Manager; Cliff Smith, President of the United Way of Lee, Hendry, Glades, and Okeechobee; Tommy Perry of Johnson-Prewitt & Associates and the 2014-2015 United Way Campaign Chair.**

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## Thank You

### Peace Love and Paws

On behalf of the Caloosa Humane Society Board of Directors I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all of you that attended the beautiful Peace Love & Paws Gala this weekend! We had a sold out crowd and experiencing all the love and support for the homeless pets at our shelter was truly a blessing!

Thank you to our generous sponsors Rick & Sherill Overberg, Family Eye Care, Whid-don's Hoe Service, Boone Electric, Tony & Candy Alvarez, RiverBend Motorcoach Resort, Riverworks Management LLC, Cracker Cookin' & Caterin', June Daniels, Center-State Bank, Porterfield Oil Company, Jim & Connie McConnell, Liquid Tech, Inc., Sun-coast Beverage, Ginny Cabai, and Akin-Davis Funeral Home, without your charitable contributions, this evening would not have been possible! A BIG thank you to Lee & Linda at RiverBend Motorcoach Resort for their un-ending time and support, you are amazing ladies...Thank you!!!

A special thank you to Mike Favara & Kristy Herrera from the Hendry County Sheriff's Department for volunteering their time to spend the evening with us! Thank you to Lacey McCall for providing the music. Thank you June Kennedy for your computer skills, your a lifesaver!

Thank you Phil Pelletier for your perfect invocation. Thank you Cassie Williams from Cracker Cookin' & Caterin' your food was absolutely delicious! Thank you Dale Conyers for your fabulous photographs. Thank you Moore Memories Photography for taking photos at the red carpet and more. Thank you Dee at LaBelle Family Florist for your beautiful flowers and assistance. Thank you to all of our auctions donors, the choices were awesome and of course all of you for bidding on the items and having the fundraising spirit!

Thank you to our marvelous volunteers and staff for your time and talents to create such a charming evening to benefit all of the precious homeless pets in our care! Thank you from all the homeless pets at Caloosa Humane Society!

**Tricia Boone**  
Caloosa Humane Society

# October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

by Pat Dobbins

October is recognized as Breast Cancer Awareness Month. Other than skin cancer, breast cancer is the most common cancer among women in the United States. It is also one of the leading causes of cancer death among women of all races.

According to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), more than 200,000 new cases of breast cancer are reported nationwide each year and more than 40,000 women died from the disease. About 11% of all new cases of breast cancer in the US are found in women that are younger than 45 years of age.

It is estimated that one of every eight adult women will get breast cancer in her lifetime.

When breast cancer starts out, it is too small to feel and does not cause signs and symptoms. As it grows, however, breast



**Patricia Dobbins**

cancer can cause changes in how the breast looks or feels. Symptoms may include:

- New lump in the breast or underarm (armpit).
- Thickening or swelling of part of the breast.
- Irritation or dimpling of breast skin.
- Redness or flaky skin in the nipple area or the breast.
- Pulling in of the nipple or pain in the nipple area.
- Nipple discharge other than breast milk, including blood.
- Any change in the size or the shape of the breast.
- Pain in any area of the breast.

Breast cancer can be preventable with early detection

It is recommended that all women from the ages 50 to 74 should have a mammogram every two years, and women between the ages of 40 and 50 years should talk with their health care provider about when to start screening. It may be necessary for you to have earlier screening or more frequent screening if you have a family history of

breast cancer.

Please get to know your family health history. If a close family member (such as your mother, father, grandmother, sister, or aunt) has had breast cancer, the risk for other family members getting breast cancer may be higher. If you think you may be at increased risk, talk to your health care provider. It may be decided that you should be tested earlier or more frequently than the standard recommendations.

Are you worried about the cost? CDC offers free or low-cost mammograms. Find out more information at: <http://www.cdc.gov/cancer/nbccedp/screenings.htm> or for more information about breast cancer go to [www.cdc.gov/cancer/breast](http://www.cdc.gov/cancer/breast).

## Witch's Brew

by Pudge Lehman

What is it with the ants? I'm overrun with them lately...Leave one tiny drop of anything greasy and next thing you know there are trillions of the little devils.

I tried borax but they walked right through it and I even spotted a few playing in it like it was snow...Nikki Yeager to the rescue...She read where you mix blue Dawn and water (50/50) put it in a spray bottle and saturate the little boogers with it. Easy clean up too. I've tried everything else so I intend to give it a go.

The Beer, Robbins and Lehman families have a new brand of Beer to love. Of course, little June Rose is beautiful! Halloween is fast approaching (I know, where has the year gone) so my broom is in the shop for a new paint job and maybe I'll spring for a Simonize.

Some of us don't believe in spending a lot on garbage bags but the cheap ones tend to fall into the can as soon as you throw something heavy in. Use clothespins to keep it in place.

For the whippersnappers: A clothes pin was used in olden times to attach wet clothes to a clothesline. Oops, a clothesline was a rope or wire strung between two trees or poles on which clothed were hung with the previously mentioned clothespins.

## Help out at planned workday to spruce up hometown LaBelle

We Love LaBelle!

Do you love LaBelle? Have you enjoyed moments at Barron Park —but agree that our special place needs some tender, loving care? Then we need you! Come out for fun, sun, and hard work to restore our beautiful Barron Park on Saturday, November 1. We are asking one and all who can pound a nail, handle a saw, or push a paintbrush or rake to come join in this Day to Make a Difference.

Can't come for the whole day? Even an hour or two will do! Bring your tools, paint brushes, rakes, and shovels. Paint will be provided by the city of LaBelle

We'll start at 8 a.m. in Barron Park, work until 11 a.m when the American Legion will present a flag ceremony. This will be followed by lunch provided by the LaBelle Christian Men's Association.

After lunch, we'll continue working until the job is done.

Catch the renewed spirit of LaBelle, and share in the vision of our downtown historical district business owners. They have contributed to the revitalization project by volunteering to purchase and display American flags. See a surprise for the eyes that will tug at your heart and make you proud to be a citizen of LaBelle.

If you have tools or time you can donate, please contact our coordinator, Roger Alexander, at 863-673-0861.

Come participate and see what we can accomplish in just one "WE LOVE LaBELLE DAY"!

You are the ones who can really make the difference.

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- To treat people with courtesy, respect and compassion.



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## Mu Alpha Theta

Recently, the LaBelle High School chapter of Mu Alpha Theta, the national math honor society, installed new members. They are front row: Lazaro Sandoval, Felix Flores, Isaiah Asbed (associate member from UES), Anabel Navarro. Back row: Taylor Hicks, Emma Bridwell, Alondra Reyna, Margie Pardo, Katherine Donges, Jose Hernandez-Trejo, John Walker. Not Pictured: Cesar obbins and Freddy Mendez.

## School Briefs

### PTO at LMS to meet

LaBelle Middle School's PTO will meet Oct. 20, at 6 p.m. in the library. The parent college speaker will be Mr. John Klinger, Dean of Students. Please come out and meet Mr. Klinger and get involved with your child's school. Your involvement sends a positive message to your child and reinforces how important education is and will continue to be for them.

### Call for artists - Wharf Walk

The City of LaBelle and the LaBelle Downtown Revitalization Corp. in collaboration with The Arts of the Inland invite visual artists to exhibit/sell their artwork at the 2nd Annual Wharf Walk on November 8, 2014. This event will be at the City Wharf on the Caloosahatchee River at Hwy. 29 at the bridge, LaBelle, from 4-9 p.m. Cost of a 10x 10 booth space is \$30. Space is limited so get your application and fees in early. The first 10-only eligible artists to apply will be accepted. For complete information, guidelines and application go to [www.downtownLabelle.com](http://www.downtownLabelle.com); click on the Events tab.

Wharf Walk is free and open to the public. Enjoy local artists with live jazz by professional musician Daryl Best 4-5:30 p.m.; the Batey Latin Jazz group 5:30-7:30 and more live jazz from 7:30-9:00 p.m. Local food and beverage vendors will be on hand. For information contact LaVon Koenig at [artsinland@gmail.com](mailto:artsinland@gmail.com) or call 239-303-5849.

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Notice is hereby given that the Hendry County Board of County Commissioners will hold a public hearing on the following petition on **October 28, 2014, at 5:05 p.m.** at the Hendry County Courthouse, Commission Chambers, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave, LaBelle, Florida. The County Commission will be considering whether to transmit the subject comprehensive plan amendment to the Florida Department of Economic Opportunity for review under the expedited state review amendment process.

Copies of the files and information regarding the petition are available for public inspection at the Hendry County Planning and Zoning Department, 640 South Main Street, LaBelle, Florida, and may be viewed Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Interested parties may appear at the meeting and be heard with respect to the matter. If a person decides to appeal any decision made by the board, agency, or commission with respect to any matter considered at such meeting or hearing, he or she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he or she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

Si necesita la asistencia de un intérprete que hable español para participar en esta reunión, por favor póngase en contacto con Myra Johnson al (863) 675-5240.

**Petition Number:** CPA14-0001

**Applicant:** Hendry County Board of County Commissioners

**Ordinance title:** AN ORDINANCE OF HENDRY COUNTY, FLORIDA AMENDING THE HENDRY COUNTY COMPREHENSIVE PLAN, ORDINANCE 99-13, AS AMENDED, BY SPECIFICALLY AMENDING THE CONCURRENCY MANAGEMENT ELEMENT, THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS ELEMENT, AND THE POTABLE WATER SUB-ELEMENT AND THE 10-YEAR WATER SUPPLY FACILITIES WORK PLAN SUB-ELEMENT OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE ELEMENT; PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; PROVIDING FOR CONFLICTS OF LAW; PROVIDING FOR SCRIVENER'S ERRORS; AND PROVIDING FOR AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

**Request:** The applicant is requesting amendments to the Concurrency Management Element, Capital Improvements Element, and Infrastructure Element, specifically the Potable Water Sub-Element and the Ten (10) Year Water Supply Facilities Work Plan Sub-Element, of the Hendry County Comprehensive Plan, more specifically changes to the text, goals, objectives, and/or policies in each of these Elements or Sub-Elements and the identification of specific water supply projects that meet projected future demands.

Karson Turner, Chairman  
Hendry County Board  
of County Commissioners

## El Faro Assembly of God Church

Since 1986 under Rev. Isabel Valentin and Noemi Valentin, who remain pastors at the church, has provided activities like concerts in order to minister to a diversity of people with different needs. On October 25 they will celebrate Hispanic Heritage Day at Barron Park. You are invited to experience its richness through music. Bring the family for a pleasant experience. Food will be available.

All donations are accepted, but sponsors are very important for this event: \$50 half page \$100 full page in the church's

Sponsorship Book. Please include a business card with your donation. You may also set up a table to sell merchandise or advertise your business (except food) for a \$100 donation. For more information call 863-675-5947 or 863-843-0264.

This free concert begins at noon and includes Mariachi Eli, Walter Barraez, Trio Cantores Remedimos, and Carlos Luciano.

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## Church Briefs

### Youth car wash

Community Harvest Worship Center will hold a youth car wash at McDonald's Saturday, October 18, from 8 a.m. till noon. Youth directors are Oscar Rodriguez and Leticia Rodriguez.

### Harvest Festival, revival

Eastside Baptist is having its Harvest Festival on October 18, from noon till 4 p.m. A revival is planned at the church for October 19-23, 7 p.m.

## Open house week planned at Florida SouthWestern State College

FORT MYERS — Florida SouthWestern State College (FSW) will host FSW Open House week from 3-6 p.m. on November 3, 5 and 6. All events are free to attend and will be held at FSW's four locations. Attendees are encouraged to register online at [www.FSW.edu/openhouse](http://www.FSW.edu/openhouse) to ensure a quick check-in process. The dates and locations are:

- November 3 – Hendry/Glades Center, 1092 E Cowboy Way, LaBelle, Building A
- November 3 – Charlotte Campus, 26300 Airport Rd., Punta Gorda, Bell Tower
- November 5 – Collier Campus, 7505 Grand Lely Dr., Naples, Building M
- November 6 – Thomas Edison (Lee) Campus, 8099 College Pkwy., Fort Myers, Building U

"Florida SouthWestern State College offers a variety of academic programs that are

designed to help our students earn the degree of their choice," said Mark Bukowski, Director of Admissions at FSW. "Our open house events are excellent opportunities for students to learn more about the programs and support services we offer to assist them in reaching their personal and professional goals."

While at the Open House, visitors will receive information about the admissions process, academic programs and financial aid. The events will offer campus tours, snacks and an opportunity to meet with current students, faculty and staff. On the Thomas Edison (Lee) Campus, visitors can also tour the college's on-campus housing.

For more information about the Open House visit [www.FSW.edu/openhouse](http://www.FSW.edu/openhouse). Registration for Spring 2015 classes begins in late October.

## Obituaries

### Shirley Yvonne Carling, 76

LABELLE — Shirley Yvonne Carling passed away October 10, 2014 in Lehigh Acres.

She was born Sep. 6, 1938 in Arcadia, Fla., to the late John Thomas and the late Pearl Mae (Bryant) Williams. She was a resident of LaBelle since 1996 and was a member of the Women of the Moose and the American Legion Post #130 Women's Auxiliary in LaBelle.

Survivors include her husband, Charles L. Carling; sister, Wanda (Clyde) Sarver of Leesburg; children, Dwayne (Debbie) Acuff and Tamara Wilkes of Lehigh Acres, Michael Allen and Toni Edge of LaBelle; grandchildren, Waylon Stout, Brandon Stout, Jeri Stout, Angela Chason, Jared Acuff, Carolyn Payne and Brianna Gibson; and eleven great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by five brothers and five sisters.

A private family memorial will be held on a later date.

Cremation Arrangements by Akin-Davis Funeral Home - LaBelle.

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# Community Briefs

## Special chamber social

Monday, October 20, from 5:30 to 7 p.m., the Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Department is hosting a Chamber Social at the new public playground, The Zachary Reyna Memorial Playground, at the Community Civic Park. Come see the playground in progress. Refreshments and 'door prize' drawings will be made at the concession stand at the soccer fields. Parking will be off of Jaycee Lions Blvd, North of Cowboy Way. There is a 3/4 mile walking path around the park, so enjoy a walk to the playground. For more information 863-675-5347.

## Medicare open enrollment

The time has come! The long-awaited official Medicare Open Enrollment period of change is quickly approaching. The Annual Enrollment Period (AEP) is the time to make the adjustments to your plan that will complement your health needs. The Annual Enrollment Period runs from through December 7, 2014. During this time, lean on Medicare trained SHINE volunteers for advice and utilize a local, valuable resource: the SHINE (Serving Health Insurance Needs of Elders) Program.

This is the time to:

- Choose a plan that covers your medications.
- Switch Prescription Drug Plans or Advantage Plans.
- Enroll for the first time if you did not enroll when you were first eligible

\*Please make sure to bring your Medicare ID Card and list of prescriptions with dosage information.

To receive help from SHINE please see the attached enrollment events in your local communities, or arrange to speak with a trained SHINE counselor at 1-866-413-5337.

Hendry County: October 17 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at Hope Connections, 475 E. Cowboy Way, LaBelle.

October 30 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Hope Connections, 1200 S WC Owens Ave, Clewiston

November 14, 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Hope Connections, 501 1st Street, Moore Haven.

## Halloween fun at Oakbrook

Oakbrook Health and Rehabilitation Center is hosting its annual Halloween Event Friday, October 31, 2014 from 6-8 p.m. Please come and join us at 250 Broward Avenue for a night of fun and treats. We are also accepting donations of individually wrapped candy.

## 'H.E.R.E.' Home Educator's Monthly Encouragement

Please join us to enjoy a delightful meal, delicious coffee or tea, & have some much needed time of fellowship! These monthly meetings give us, as home educators, an opportunity to discuss event planning, curriculum that works for our students and the ones that don't, offer advice to one another regarding scheduling, educational theories,

record keeping, home school regulations, and so on. Each meeting is unique & truly depends on the needs of those in attendance. Older students are welcome to come and have their own mini-meeting at the same time. Please join us. Don't forget to "Sign up" at [www.HEREhappenings.com](http://www.HEREhappenings.com) so we can look forward to seeing all of you! Come be a blessing and get blessed!

## Sheerfear is back!

Come to Sheerfear October 24 and 25 at LaBelle Nature Park. \$4 admission for a scary good time. Check out [facebook.com/sheerfearhalloween](http://facebook.com/sheerfearhalloween).

## Support for Lucy's Angels

Two Peas Cafe is selling raffle tickets for a gift basket chock full of goodies from local businesses, valued at \$600. Tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5. Breast cancer awareness ribbons will be \$2 each in memory of loved ones. All proceeds will go to Lucy's Angels, a non-profit assisting financially needy women and men in Hendry and Glades, between 18-40, to have access to free mammograms.

## Kids Halloween party at Moose Lodge

The Moose Lodge 2398 is having a Children's Halloween Party on Thursday, October 30, between 5 and 7 pm for children 12 and under with adult. We will be giving out \$20, \$15 and \$10 for 1st, 2nd and 3rd best

costumes. Free hot dogs and candy.

## Woosley scholarship banquet in November

The Danny Woosley Memorial Scholarship Foundation has awarded 26 scholarships since 2005. This has only been possible with the amazing community support the Foundation has received.

This year's fundraising banquet will be held at the beautiful Riverbend Motorcoach Resort on Saturday, November 15, 2014. Banquet tickets include steak dinners for two with all the trimmings, desserts, open bar, silent auctions, 50/50 drawing, and live band for only \$100.

Social hour starts at 6:00, dinner at 7:00, and the band at 8:00 p.m. The Riverbend Motorcoach Resort is located 5800 W. State Road 80, in LaBelle. Purchase tickets and sponsorships online at [www.dannywoosley.org](http://www.dannywoosley.org). Thank you for your support, see you there!

## 2nd Annual Wharf Walk

The 2nd Annual Wharf Walk will be Saturday, November 8th from 4:00 – 9:00 pm. Plan now to enjoy an evening of good food, great entertainment, and beautiful art. The event will be held at the north end of main street, along the wharf.

This event is hosted by the City of LaBelle and the LaBelle Downtown Revitalization Corporation (LDRC).

# ★ OFFICIAL SAMPLE BALLOT/BOLETA OFICIAL DE MUESTRA ★

## OFFICIAL GENERAL ELECTION BALLOT • HENDRY COUNTY, NOVEMBER 4, 2014

<p><b>INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTE. COMPLETELY FILL IN THE OVAL ( ) NEXT TO YOUR CHOICE.</b> Use the marking device provided or a ballpoint pen. If you make a mistake, don't hesitate to ask for a new ballot. If you erase or make other marks, your vote may not count.</p> <p><b>INSTRUCCIONES PARA VOTAR. LLENE COMPLETAMENTE EL OVAL ( ) DE SU PREFERENCIA.</b> Use el marcador que esta disponible. Si se equivoca, pregunte por otro boleto. Si borra su marca o hace otras marcas, su votacion no se contara.</p> <p>ONLY APPEARS IN PRECINCTS 1, 4, 6, 7 &amp; 10, 2</p> <p><b>REPRESENTATIVE IN CONGRESS 20TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT REPRESENTANTE EN CONGRESO 20TH DISTRITO CONGRESIONAL</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Jay Bonner REP ○ Alee L. Hastings DEM</p> <p><b>GOVERNOR AND LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR GOBERNADOR Y GOBERNADOR TENIENTE</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Rick Scott REP ○ Carlos Lopez-Cantera REP ○ Charlie Crist DEM ○ Annette Taddeo DEM ○ Adrian Wylie LPF ○ Greg Row ○ Farid Khavari NPA ○ Latresha A. Jones NPA ○ Glenn Burkett NPA ○ Jose Augusto Matos NPA</p> <p>Write-in</p> <p><b>ATTORNEY GENERAL PROCURADOR GENERAL</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Pam Bondi REP ○ George Shelton DEM ○ Bill Wohlsifer LPF</p>	<p><b>CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER DIRECTOR FINANCIERO</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Jeff Atwater REP ○ William "Will" Rankin DEM</p> <p><b>COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE COMISIONADO DE AGRICULTOR</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Adam Putnam REP ○ Thaddeus Thad Hamilton DEM ○ Write-in</p> <p>ONLY APPEARS IN PRECINCT 2</p> <p><b>COUNTY COMMISSION DISTRICT 2 COMISIONADO DEL CONDADO DISTRITO 2</b> (Vote for One) (Votar por Uno)</p> <p>○ Darrell R. Harris REP ○ Dean Tanner DEM</p> <p><b>2ND DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL 2ND CORTE DE APELACIONES</b></p> <p>Shall Judge Chris W. Allenbernd of the 2nd District Court of Appeal be retained in office? ?Debara retenerse en su cargo en el Corte de Apelaciones del Segundo Distrito el Juez Chris W. Allenbernd?</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p> <p>Shall Judge Morris Silberman of the 2nd District Court of Appeal be retained in office? ?Debara retenerse en su cargo en el Corte de Apelaciones del Segundo Distrito el Juez Morris Silberman?</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p>	<p><b>2ND DISTRICT COURT OF APPEAL 2ND CORTE DE APELACIONES</b></p> <p>Shall Judge Daniel H. Sleet of the 2nd District Court of Appeal be retained in office? ?Debara retenerse en su cargo en el Corte de Apelaciones del Segundo Distrito el Juez Daniel H. Sleet?</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p> <p>ONLY APPEARS IN PRECINCTS 1.1 &amp; 7.1</p> <p><b>CLEWISTON CITY COMMISSIONERS COMISIONADOS DE LA CIUDAD DE CLEWISTON</b> (Vote for Three) (Votar por Tres)</p> <p>○ Jerry Cochrane ○ Donald W. Hughes "Donnie" ○ Kristine Petersen ○ Sherida Echols Ridgill ○ Phillip D. Roland</p> <p><b>EARLY VOTING</b> Will be October 20 – November 1 for the General Election at: LaBelle Elections Office, 25 E. Hickpochee Ave. and Clewiston Elections Office, 1100 S. Olympia Street; Weekdays 9:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.; Weekends 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.</p> <p><b>ABSENTEE VOTING</b> Absentee Ballots are also available. TO REQUEST A BALLOT BY MAIL FOR THE ELECTION CALL 863-675-5230 OR 902-3392.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>VOTE BOTH SIDES OF BALLOT</b> <b>VOTE LOS DOS LADOS DE LA BOLETA</b></p>	<p><b>NO. 1 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE X, SECTION 28</b> <b>Water and Land Conservation - Dedicates funds to acquire and restore Florida conservation and recreation lands</b></p> <p>Funds the Land Acquisition Trust Fund to acquire, restore, improve, and manage conservation lands including wetlands and forests; fish and wildlife habitat; lands protecting water resources and drinking water sources, including the Everglades, and the water quality of rivers, lakes, and streams; beaches and shores; outdoor recreational lands; working farms and ranches; and historic or prehistoric sites, by dedicating 33 percent of net revenues from the existing excise tax on documents for 20 years.</p> <p>This amendment does not increase or decrease state revenues. The state revenue restricted to the purpose specified in the amendment is estimated to be \$648 million in Fiscal Year 2015-16 and grow to \$1,268 million by the twentieth year. Whether this results in any additional state expenditures depends upon future legislative actions and cannot be determined. Similarly, the impact on local government revenues, if any, cannot be determined. No additional local government costs are expected.</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p> <p><b>NO. 2 CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT ARTICLE X, SECTION 29</b> <b>Use of Marijuana for Certain Medical Conditions</b></p> <p>Allows the medical use of marijuana for individuals with debilitating diseases as determined by a licensed Florida physician. Allows caregivers to assist patients' medical use of marijuana. The Department of Health shall register and regulate centers that produce and distribute marijuana for medical purposes and shall issue identification cards to patients and caregivers. Applies only to Florida law. Does not authorize violations of federal law or any non-medical use, possession or production of marijuana.</p> <p>Increased costs from this amendment to state and local governments cannot be determined. There will be additional regulatory and enforcement activities associated with the production and sale of medical marijuana. Fees will offset at least a portion of the regulatory costs. While sales tax may apply to purchases, changes in revenue cannot reasonably be determined since the extent to which medical marijuana will be exempt from taxation is unclear without legislative or state administrative action.</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p> <p><b>NO. 3 ENMIENDA CONSTITUCIONAL ARTICULO X, SECCIONES 10, 11</b> <b>Nombramiento Eventual para Ciertos Cargos Judiciales Vacantes.</b></p> <p>Propone una enmienda a la Constitución del Estado en la que se establece que el Gobernador debe cubrir las vacantes eventuales en los cargos judiciales que estén sujetos a elecciones de retención cuando los jueces o magistrados se encuentren por cumplir la edad legal para jubilarse o en el supuesto de que no califiquen para la elección de retención; y permitir los nombramientos eventuales si un juez o magistrado no se retiene en su cargo en una elección de retención. En la actualidad, el Gobernador no puede cubrir una vacante prevista hasta que termine el mandato del juez o magistrado actual.</p> <p>○ YES/SI ○ NO/NO</p> <p><b>DISABLED</b> Anyone unable to Vote their ballot without assistance such as blind, loss of limb, or illiterate, please contact the Supervisor of Elections.</p> <p><b>ELECTION DAY</b> The polls will be open from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm for voters to cast their ballot. Please bring a photo and signature ID with you to the polls.</p> <p><b>POST AUDIT</b> The Canvassing Board will convene for the Post Audit on November 14, 2014 at 5:00 pm and November 17, 2014 at 2:00 pm.</p>
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Submitted photos/Andrea Compo

### LES September Students of the Month

PK - 1st Grade Citizens of the Month

Front row, from left: Allynah Marroquin, Andrea Delgado, Fernando Hernandez-Lopez, Chase Girling, Leslie Chairez, Yocelin Morales-Lopez. Back row, from left: Alisson Bustos, Naomi Mora-Cabrera, Chris Dominguez-Garcia, Dalylah Gomez, Hailey Magana, Emma Urbanowski.



### LES September Students of the Month

2nd - 3rd Grade Citizens of the Month

Front row from left: Jacqueline Cruz-Martinez, Jadan Cochran, Miadelfina Venegas, Juan Casiano-Bocanegra, Ismael Sanchez-Bustos. Back row from left: Flor Gomez, Jennifer Cruz-Luna, Isabella Perez, Brenda Penaloza, Caren Gonzalez.



### LES September Students of the Month

4th - 5th Grade Citizens of the Month

From left: Yesenia Perez-Valenzuela, Tamara Gonzalez, Brenda Paz-Granados, Sarah Hernandez, Adalia Arellano, Angelina Sanchez, Alyssa Jedrykowski.

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### LMS teacher

Cynthia K. Cerda is a physical education teacher at LaBelle Middle School. She has lived in LaBelle for over 20 years. She is a LaBelle High graduate, class of 2004 and continued her education at Webber International University. She received a scholar-

ship to play soccer and earned a Bachelor's degree in Business Management. Cynthia is happily married and has a two year old son named Raphael Cerda. Cynthia has always loved sports and has been involved in the community. She has been a part of the LaBelle Youth Soccer Association since she was in high school, always trying to help out the community and kids. She has coached at the LYSA for 8 years and has also coached the LaBelle Cowgirls Varsity and JV soccer team for 3 years. Cynthia is extremely excited to start a soccer program here at LaBelle Middle School for boys and girls. She feels that it will motivate many students to do well in school and to keep others out of trouble. Cynthia's favorite quote is: "Success is no accident. It is hard work, perseverance, learning, studying, sacrifice, and most of all, love



Cynthia K. Cerda

of what you are doing or learning to do." PELE

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- ★ Continue to support agriculture as a top priority
- ★ Continue to work with Economic Development Council to bring new business and more jobs to the county
- ★ Continue to work to complete Air Glades Project
- ★ Complete four laning of Highway 80 to Highway 27
- ★ Continue to support Mosquito Control
- ★ Continue to oppose impact fees at present time
- ★ Continue to vote to keep taxes low
- ★ Complete county - wide drainage projects
- ★ Promote plans for sidewalk from Thigpen to Nobles Roads
- ★ Continue improvement on County Road 78
- ★ Complete west Hendry - LaBelle ballparks in 2014-15
- ★ Soccer Field Lights

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# Collingswood residents getting healthy with Tai Chi

For the past couple of months, Mary Bartoshuk, a certified Tai Chi instructor volunteer with the Area Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida, has been teaching residents of Collingswood Apartments how to improve their balance with Tai Chi: Moving For Better Balance.

The exercise classes were developed by the Oregon Research Institute's Dr. Fuzhong Li to develop better balance and strength in older adults and the program has been recommended by the Centers For Disease Control as a way to prevent falls.

It involves a set of 8 simple, continuous rhythmic Tai Chi movements. Practice focuses on training of sensory systems, weight shifting, trunk rotation, and eye-lead head movements. The lessons may also include chair-assisted movements to meet needs of individuals.

Mary's students have not only seen improvement in their balance, they've also no-

ticed changes in their general overall health as well as a result of their increased physical activity. Here are some of the comments from her students: "Nice to have something to do that's helping my mind and body. Nice to feel alive again". "I'm happier than I have been in a long time. I think everyone should do Tai Chi." "We had our Tai Chi class with MARY B. this morning. We have all come so far from when we first started. I still find it so great the change in us all." "It does so much for our self esteem, our health. Any age and weight can do this. It takes a lot determination and practice, but it makes you feel so good, relaxing. I will continue doing this forever. Did I say I love it?"

Beginning a new exercise program can be intimidating at any age, but especially so for older adults who have become increasingly less active over time.

It's wonderful to see people regaining their strength and mobility through gentle

exercises and physical activity. The positive changes to their physical and mental well-being are priceless.

The Tai Chi: Moving for Better Balance program has also been offered at the L.J. Nobles Senior Center at Hope Connections in LaBelle for the last two years with several different classes having been held already. The Senior Center currently offers classes with certified instructor Don Browne on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 10-11 a.m. through January 8, 2015.

Thanks to funding by a grant for Disease Prevention & Health Promotion under the 2014 Older Americans Act Title IIID through the Department of Elder Affairs, and the dedication of wonderful volunteers like Mary Bartoshuk and Don Browne, the Tai Chi: Moving For Better Balance program is provided free of charge to adults in our community who are 60 and over.

For more information on the Tai Chi: Moving For Better Balance program or to register for classes, please contact the Area

Agency on Aging for Southwest Florida at (866) 413-5337.



Submitted photo  
**Getting fit with Tai Chi are: Mary Arthur, Judy Sims, Sue Taylor and James Leadem. Mary Bartoshuk, center, is the instructor. The group uses the community room at Collingswood Apartments, thanks to Lynne Honeywell.**

## FSW's Dr. Jones has been accepted into Leadership Florida

October 2014 – FORT MYERS, FLA – Dr. Robert R. Jones, Collier Campus President and Regional Vice President, Economics and Community Development, Florida South-Western State College (FSW), has been ac-



**Dr. Robert R. Jones**

cepted into the Leadership Florida program.

The annual program includes 55 leaders around the state ranging from corporate CEOs and small business owners to educators and elected officials. The eight-month program incorporates a comprehensive look at the issues, challenges and opportunities in areas such as: economy, governance, education, environment, growth, demo-

graphics, health care and the arts. The sessions take participants to cities around the state.

"This is an exceptional opportunity to really explore the many facets of this great state," said Dr. Jones. "Leadership Florida is an impressive program that gives you a more in-depth appreciation and understanding of the many different aspects of Florida."

Florida SouthWestern State College is Southwest Florida's largest and one of the most affordable institutions of higher education. Annually serving more than 22,000 students globally, FSW offers a variety of nationally-ranked, career-focused academic programs with two- and four-year degrees, and professional certifications. Students are also active in clubs and programs catered to their interests. FSW will debut its intercollegiate athletics program in the fall 2015. Visit [www.FSW.edu](http://www.FSW.edu) for more information.

About Leadership Florida:

Leadership Florida offers a continuum of educational opportunities for Florida leaders that includes programming for college students, young professionals, new executives to Florida, Florida mayors, and the annual class program for which these leaders were selected. The purpose of all of these programs is to educate, inspire, and engage Florida leaders who will work together, across their diversities, for the betterment of Florida. To date, more than 1,500 men and women have graduated from Leadership Florida programs. Collectively, members of Leadership Florida serve on more than 5,000 corporate and non-profit boards throughout the state, providing key leadership in their local communities and in the state.

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# Hometown Sears store opens to public October 18

You've probably seen the Sears Hometown Store sign in the middle of Grandeur Oaks Plaza on the west side of LaBelle. Well, the time has come for the store to open its doors. On October 13 the store held a pre-opening event for the Chamber of Commerce and City of LaBelle.

This Saturday, October 18, the public will be able to walk through the 5,000 square foot sales floor and check out the merchandise.

Separate from Sears Department Store, Sears Hometown Stores are geared toward small communities, selling pretty much everything except clothing and electronics. However, you can order electronics and other goods there and get free store delivery. That means, there is no delivery charge - all you have to do is pick your merchandise up at the store. A big deal to many customers.

Of course, you can also opt to have it shipped to your home or business, but regular delivery charges apply.

Store owner Daniel Peregrin said, patrons will have access to everything that's on the Sears website and there will also be promotional items inside the store. If you order online, you can pick it up at the store that same day if it's in stock.

Folks will be glad to have another feature - price matching - available at the store, as well.

You can come to Sears Hometown for so many things: check out back for patio items, gas grills, lawn and garden; peruse the great selection of tools (Craftsman, of course!); and come to the store for water heaters, air compressors, vacuums, mattresses, appliances large and small.

It's quite a list!

It's the place for the top ten appliance brands including Kenmore, the Number 1 brand in the US.

The store is locally owned and operated. Dan said his family has been in LaBelle for 18 years, mainly in citrus, but also in other businesses. When he came here a while back he wanted to start a business and looked for the right fit for LaBelle. After researching, he determined that Sears has the best inventory for LaBelle.

He said a survey he conducted showed an electronics store is also important to residents so they can order the latest technology.

Sears Hometown will accept items for return. In fact, if you get it home and it doesn't work, bring it back right away and they'll give you a new one.

Got an appliance repair job? You can call and schedule a national Sears service repairman to come to your home. With Sears trucks making several runs to LaBelle weekly, you can expect that service will be faster, Dan said.

Dan and his family manages the plaza and are actively looking for more businesses to bring to LaBelle - those they feel best suit residents' needs. He also said the store will give back to the community, supporting the LHS Cowboys, sheriff's office, fire department and more.

The Sears Hometown Store will employ six-eight employees, including sales people, managers and warehouse workers.

Dan said LaBelle's Sears Hometown Store will be open daily Monday-Saturday 9:30-7 and on Sunday 12:30-6. Watch for their grand opening in mid-January!



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant

Chamber President Brian Beer, left, with LaBelle Hometown Sears owners Elizabeth and Dan Peregrin celebrating the new store.

# Delta Kappa Gamma to host appreciation dinner for retired educators

The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International (DKG) is a professional honorary Society of women educators. The Society's mission is to promote professional and personal growth of its members and to support excellence in education.

The local Gamma Zeta Chapter of Hendry-Glades Counties currently has over fifty active members who are both current and retired educators. Ongoing activities of the local chapter have been focused on fundraising to provide scholarships to aid outstanding female high school graduates in pursuing college studies in education and on local community service projects such as the food for students backpack program.

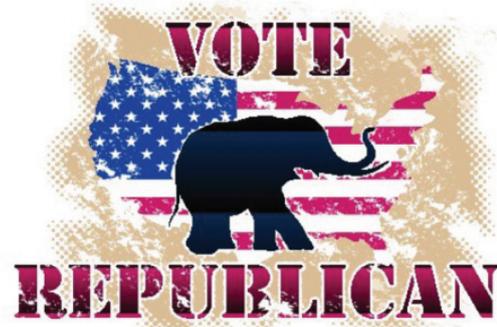
This year the local DKG chapter is host-

ing an Appreciation Dinner for Retired Educators to honor men and women who have given service in any field of education during the course of their careers.

All retired educators living in Hendry County are invited to be the guests of honor at an Appreciation Dinner on November 18, 2014 beginning at 6:00 p.m. at LaBelle High School. Dinner for the retired educators is being provided while guests are asked to purchase tickets for a donation of \$5.00 each.

For more information or to reserve tickets, please contact Lisa Horton by mail at 462 South Missouri Street, LaBelle, 33935, by email at hortonl@hendry.k12.fl.us, or by phone (after 3:00 pm) at 561-670-5567.

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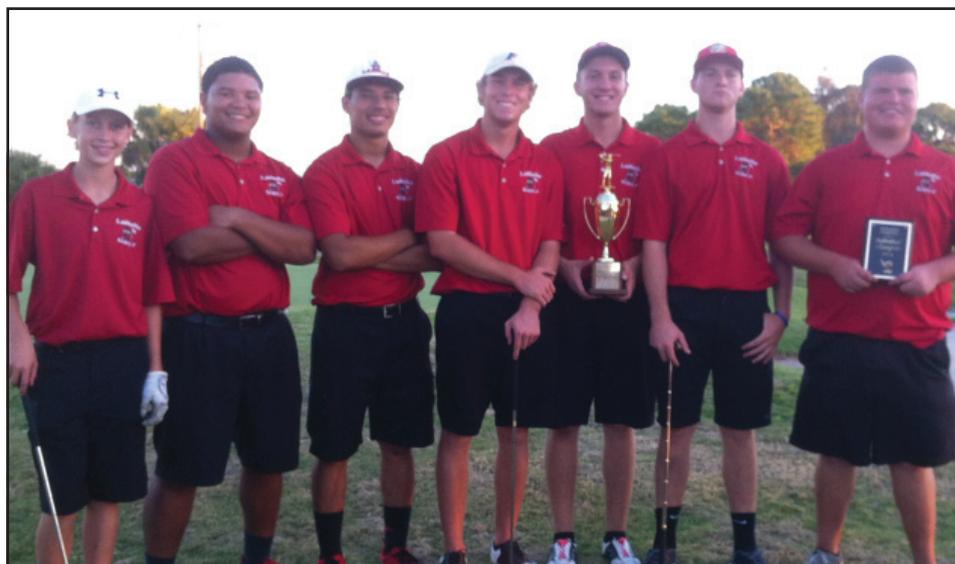
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## LHS golf team ends season

The LaBelle High School Golf Team concluded its regular season in fine form this past Thursday, October 9. They won back the Hendry/Glades Championship at the Clewiston Country Club over teams from Clewiston and Aftatchee. Their winning total was 197. The Cowboys have won three out of the four times this tournament has been held. This year they were led by Austin Holt who shot a 41 and also won the Individual Championship. The team finished the season 10-3 and are looking forward to Districts which will be held on Monday, October 13 at Port Charlotte Country Club. They would like to thank the Glades Golf Course for all their help and letting them use the course for practices and matches. Coach Burton and the team also appreciated the help given by the staff at LaBelle High School, their parents and Pastor/Coach LW Howard for supplying work on their clubs and golfing tips, Coach Dunbar for driving and keeping the water cooler full. The team members pictured are from left: Jason Mathis, Kenny Carrion, Julian Jaramillo, Baylen McCormick, Chandler McCormick, Justin Alderman and Austin Holt.



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## Cross country

The LaBelle High School Boys Cross Country team won the bronze medal for their top three placement at the Walt Disney Cross Country Classic on Friday, October 10. This prestigious event plays host to not only Florida but also many northern schools outside of Florida. This race is a real measure of your team's strength. The boys are pictured "biting down" on their medals in disbelief and celebration. This is the first time that LaBelle has placed in the top three in this event!

# Time for Junior Pro!

Junior Pro is staring its 47th year. It's come a long way since Don Pratt at Gulf Oil took a truck rim, welded a pole to it and added a back board so LaBelle kids could play basketball. With only two teams and no money, the kids played "skins and shirts." Now there are 12 teams with some

50-60 kids plus a K-2 program. Kids are categorized in grades K-2, 3-5 and 6-8. Coaches, referees and other volunteers are always needed.

Call Darrell Harris at 673-5475 or 675-2565. Deadline to sign up is November 11. Forms will be available at the schools.

## LMS Inaugural Soccer Schedule 2014-2015

- November 14th LMS @ Canterbury (Girls only) 5:30
  - November 18th LMS vs. LHS JV (Girls only) 5:00
  - December 3rd LMS vs. LHS JV 5:00/7:00
  - December 9th LMS @ Oasis Charter 4:30/6:00 A
  - December 12th LMS @ SFCA 4:30/5:45 A
  - December 15th LMS vs. Oasis Charter 4:30/6:00
  - December 17th LMS vs. West Glades (Boys only) 4:00
  - January 9th LMS vs. LHS JV (Girls only) 5:00
  - January 14th LMS @ West Glades (Boys only) 4:00 A
- Home games played at LaBelle High School  
Girls play first game

# National Breast Cancer Awareness



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# Department of Health: Ebola Virus Disease Fact Sheet

## Preparedness

The state of Florida is prepared to identify and treat patients who may have Ebola Virus Disease (EVD). In the event that a patient with EVD is diagnosed in Florida, the Florida Department of Health will collaborate with healthcare partners to ensure appropriate patient care, protocols for isolation, infection control and the assessment of risk to relevant individuals. The county health department in each of Florida's 67 counties has regular communication and interaction with hospitals, medical providers and laboratories to ensure that appropriate reporting and public health action can be taken as needed. Looking forward, the Florida Department of Health and Florida Division of Emergency Management will continue to collaborate to ensure the health and safety of all Floridians. The Division of Emergency Management activated the state's Joint Information Center, allowing state officials to share accurate, timely information with the public.

Our first priority is to protect the health of Florida's residents and visitors and ensure the safety of Florida's families.

## Ebola

Ebola Virus Disease (EVD) is a severe type of Viral Hemorrhagic Fever in humans and nonhuman primates (such as monkeys, gorillas and chimpanzees). EVD is caused by infection with a virus of the family Filoviridae, genus Ebolavirus. The first Ebolavirus species was discovered in 1976 in what is now the Democratic Republic of the

Congo near the Ebola River.

Since then, outbreaks have appeared sporadically.

## Transmission

When an infection occurs in humans, there are several ways the virus can be transmitted to others. These include:

- Direct contact with the blood or secretions of an infected ill person
- Exposure to objects (such as needles) contaminated with infected secretions
- Participation in funeral rites that includes direct exposure (contact) to human remains in the geographic area where the

outbreak is occurring EVD is not an airborne disease. EVD is often spread through close contact with infectious secretions when caring for ill persons. In order for the virus to be transmitted, an individual

would have to have direct contact with an individual who is currently experiencing symptoms or with their bodily secretions.

## Symptoms of Ebola

The initial symptoms of EVD are similar to those of influenza. However, at this time, a Floridian must have been in direct contact with an individual diagnosed with Ebola in order to contract the disease. Symptoms typically include fever, headache, joint and muscle aches, weakness, diarrhea, vomiting, stomach pain and lack of appetite. Some patients may experience the following: rash, red eyes, hiccups, cough, sore throat, chest pain, difficulty breathing and swallowing and bleeding inside and outside of the body. Severe forms of the disease may include hemorrhagic symptoms and multi-organ dysfunction, leading to shock and death. The most common occurrence of signs of infection is 8 to 10 days, while symptoms may appear 2 to 21 days after exposure.

## Treatment

Treatment is currently limited to supportive therapy: balancing the patient's fluids, maintaining their oxygen and blood pressure levels, and treating any complicating infections. Timely treatment of EVD is challenging due to the difficulty of diagnosing a patient in the early stages of infection. If a person has early symptoms of EVD and there is reason to believe EVD should be considered (such as recent travel to West Africa), the patient should be isolated promptly and public health professionals notified.

## Ebola Outbreaks

In outbreak settings, Ebola virus is typically initially spread to humans after contact with infected wildlife such as monkeys, gorillas and chimpanzees, and is then spread person-to-person through direct contact with bodily fluids. The incubation period is usually 8-10 days (ranges from 2-21 days). Patients can transmit the virus through all

stages of the illness, including postmortem (after death), if a person comes in contact with the body during funeral preparations.

During outbreaks, those at highest risk include health care workers and the family and friends of an infected individual. Precautions should be taken to limit virus transmission, through sterilization of instruments and wearing appropriate protective equipment, such as masks, gowns and gloves.

## Prevention

Early recognition and identification of patients with potential Ebola is critical. When cases of Ebola appear, healthcare workers must be able to recognize a case of EVD and employ practical isolation precautions or barrier nursing techniques to avoid contact with the blood or secretions of an infected patient. Such precautions include wearing an impermeable gown, eyewear, mask and gloves. If a patient with EVD dies, it is equally important that direct contact with the body of the deceased patient be prevented.

- A few established primary prevention measures include:
- - Patient placement
- - Healthcare provider protection
- - Environmental infection control

## Additional Resources

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC): <http://www.cdc.gov/vhf/ebola/index.html>

The World Health Organization (WHO): <http://www.who.int/csr/disease/ebola/en/> and <http://www.who.int/csr/resources/publications/ebola/en/>

# Witch's Brew

by Pudge Lehman

What is it with the ants? I'm overrun with them lately...Leave one tiny drop of anything greasy and next thing you know there are trillions of the little devils.

I tried borax but they walked right through it and I even spotted a few playing in it like it was snow... Nikki Yeager to the rescue...She read where you mix blue Dawn and water (50/50)



put it in a spray bottle and saturate the little boogers with it. Easy clean up too. I've tried everything else so I intend to give it a go.

The Beer, Robbins and Lehman families have a new brand of Beer to love. Of course, little June Rose is beautiful! Halloween is fast approaching (I know, where has the year gone) so my broom is in the shop for a new paint job and maybe I'll spring for a Simonize.

Some of us don't believe in spending a lot on garbage bags but the cheap ones tend to fall into the can as soon as you throw something heavy in. Use clothespins to keep it in place.

For the whippersnappers: A clothes pin was used in olden times to attach wet clothes to a clothesline. Oops, a clothesline was a rope or wire strung between two trees or poles on which clothes were hung with the previously mentioned clothespins.

## Man killed October 4 in SR 29 incident

A LaBelle woman was involved in a fatal car crash Saturday, October 4, at about 12:15 a.m. on SR 29, northbound, south of Spencer Lane.

According to the Florida Highway Patrol, 35-year-old Enrique Salazar-Alcantar, of LeHigh Acres, died when he was struck by a 1995 Buick Skylark driven by Sharon Burks, 49, of LaBelle. The Florida Highway Patrol is asking anyone with information on the precrash movements of Mr. Salazar-Alcantar or the crash itself. Anyone with information is asked to contact FHP at 239-344-1730 ext 38164, attention Crpl. Jeff Rongish.

Reports state that Ms. Burks was northbound on SR 29 south of Spencer Lane.

Mr. Salazar-Alcantar was walking or standing within the outside portion of the northbound lane. He was not wearing any safety equipment, dressed in dark clothes and there were no street lights to illuminate the roadway. He apparently did not see the vehicle coming.

The front right portion of the Buick struck Mr. Salazar-Alcantar, who was propelled toward the north and came to a rest on the northbound lane.

The vehicle was driven to a controlled stop on the east shoulder of the road.

The report states that Ms. Burks showed no evidence of alcohol impairment. It is unknown at this time if the victim had consumed any alcohol.

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If a person decides to appeal any decision made with respect to any matter considered at this meeting, he/she will need a record of the proceedings, and that, for such purpose, he/she may need to ensure that a verbatim record of the proceedings is made, which record includes the testimony and evidence upon which the appeal is to be based.

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Dated this **8th day of October, 2014**.

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Clerk of Circuit Court  
Hendry County, Florida

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1129	2011	1274331-010000F0160	Betty Shea Est

The Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 27, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot 16, Block F, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **8th day of October, 2014**.

Barbara S. Butler  
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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1250	2010	1334331-A000110000	Eddie A Martinez

The Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 33, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot 257, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30.00 feet thereof. Subject to an easement for a road of the South 30.00 feet thereof.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **17th day of September, 2014**.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
917	2011	1284329-0100000200	Julian & Victor Ledezma

Lot 20, LAKESIDE SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof, recorded in Plat Book 6, Pages 173 and 174, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
642	2011	1174329-06000000170	Romaldo Cisneros

Lot 17, LESS the East 7.38 feet thereof, and all of Lot 18, SHEFFIELD TERRACE, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 44, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
646	2011	1174329-06000000420	Samuel & Maria T Luna

The South one-half of Garden Tract B, LESS the West 32.62 feet thereof, SHEFFIELD TERRACE SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 44, Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
1227	2010	1284331-A0001070000	O Lie Inc

The Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the East 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 434, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **8th day of October, 2014**.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3375	2011	2024329-28000000862	Ventura A LLC

Lot 162, FORD PARK SUBDIVISION, Section 1, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 1, Page 48, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this **1st day of October, 2014**.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the **SKW Prep LLC**, the holder of the following certificate has filed said certificate for a tax deed to be issued thereon. The certificate number, year of issuance, description of property and the name in which it was assessed are as follows:

CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
243	2009	1184428-A0001170000	Winsome Building Concepts LLC

West one-half of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 18, Township 44 South, Range 28 East, Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
3266	2010	1234334-02000000270	Danny Ray & Barbara Jean Grissom

Begin at the Northeast corner of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 23, Township 43 South, Range 34 East, Hendry County, Florida; thence run West a distance of 160 feet to the West side of 4th Street in Nall's Court; thence run South a distance of 150 feet to the Point-of-Beginning of parcel of land herein described. From said Point-of-Beginning, continue South a distance of 50 feet; thence run West a distance of 100 feet; thence run North a distance of 50 feet; thence run East a distance of 100 feet to the Point-of-Beginning. Said parcel known as Lot 94, NALL'S COURT, unrecorded.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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CERT. NO.	YEAR	DESCRIPTION	NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED
2920	2011	1214334-01000070160	Gloria Jones Atkins

Lot 17, Block 7, HARLEM ADDITION NO. 5 TO CLEWISTON, Hendry County, Florida, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 48 and 49, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 2038, 2010, 1244432-A0000270000, Carmen E Martinez

The Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 24, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 40 feet thereof. Also known as Tract 5392 and 5393, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 8th day of October, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 2606, 2011, 1054433-0100000322, Lazaro S Chang

The East one-half of Lot 32, SEVEN "K" ESTATES, UNIT NO. 1, a subdivision in a portion of Section 5, Township 44 South, Range 33 East, as per plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Page 161, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 17th day of September, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1386, 2010, 1294332-A0000660000, Gari A Sanderhoff

The Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 29, Township 43 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. LESS road dedication of 25 feet on the North side and 25 feet on the West side of said tract.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 1st day of October, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1334, 2010, 1354331-0100000141, Tarpon IV LLC

Tract 15, Block "O": The Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 35, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 2583, 2010, 1354432-A0002340000, Mario Nodal & Megan Marie Robinson

The North one-half of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Southeast one-quarter of Section 35, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. SUBJECT to an easement for an access road of the West 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 3852, MONTURA RANCH ESTATES.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 8th day of October, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1166, 2010, 1274331-010000A0060, Alexander Roque + Rebecca Turnes

The Southeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 27, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Also known as Lot 6, Block A, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 80, 2010, 1174328-A0000080000, David Curtis & Elizabeth Ann Johnson

Beginning 1320 feet North of the Southeast corner of Section 17, Township 43 South, Range 28 East, Hendry County, Florida; thence West 396 feet; thence North 330 feet; thence East 396 feet; thence South 330 feet to the Point-of-Beginning. EXCEPT the East 70 feet for road right-of-way.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1173, 2011, 1284331-A0000720000, Terry Lee & Barbara Justilien Short

The Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 407, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 17th day of September, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1175, 2011, 1284331-A0000850000, Terry Lee & Barbara Justilien Short

The Southeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 28, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 410, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Dated this 17th day of September, 2014.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 808, 2011, 1264329-02000030040, Margaret Phillips

The West 220 feet of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of Section 26, Township 43 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida. LESS the South 25 feet reserved for perpetual road right-of-way purposes. Being part of Tract 112, LABELLE ACRES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 798, 2011, 1264329-02000010300, George Marshall + Cherry Sutherland

The West one-half of the Southeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter, LESS the North 25 feet for road right-of-way, Section 26, Township 43 South, Range 29 East, Hendry County, Florida. Being Tract A-30, LABELLE ACRES, an unrecorded subdivision.

Less and except Gas, Oil and Mineral rights not owned by prior owner. Subject to existing easements and right of ways of record. All of said property being in the County of Hendry, State of Florida.

Unless such certificate shall be redeemed according to law, the property described in such certificate will be sold to the highest bidder at the Clerk's Office, 2nd Floor, Administration Wing, LaBelle, Florida, at 11:00 A.M., on the Fifth Thursday in the month of October, 2014, which is the 30th day of October, 2014.

Dated this 17th day of September, 2014.

467383 CN 9/25/10/2,9,16/2014

Barbara S. Butler
Clerk of Circuit Court
Hendry County, Florida

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Chapter 197.512 Florida Statutes

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 1138, 2010, 1224331-010000L0070, Silva Hinojosa + Juan Hinojosa

The Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Southwest one-quarter of Section 22, Township 43 South, Range 31 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30.00 feet thereof. Also known as Lot 7, Block L, PIONEER PLANTATION, an unrecorded subdivision.

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Dated this 1st day of October, 2014.

467588 CN 10/9,16,23,30/2014

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 3131, 2011, 1214334-100002D0120, Wilfred F Boyce

Lot 12, Block 2D of SOUTH RIDGE SUBDIVISION, according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 4, Pages 98 and 99, public records of Hendry County, Florida.

Parcel Identification Number: 1-34-43-21-100-002D-012.0

Property Address: 707 Carolina Avenue, Clewiston, FL 33440

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 2042, 2011, 1254432-A0000880100, Orenico Lopez & Yaney Albornas

The North one-half of the Southwest one-quarter of the Northeast one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of the Northwest one-quarter of Section 25, Township 44 South, Range 32 East, Hendry County, Florida. Subject to an easement for an access road of the West 30 feet thereof. (Also known as Lot 1159, Montura Ranch Estates, an unrecorded subdivision.)

TOGETHER WITH a 1995 CMB single-wide Mobile Home having Identification No. 8650, Title No. 69015295, and RP Decal No. 12182121 AND a 1993 MERI double-wide Mobile Home having Identification No. FLHMLCP2008726A & FLHMLCP2008726B, Title Nos. 64237762 & 64237763, and RP Decal No. 0586351 & 0586352, which is permanently affixed to real property. (Lien Holders: C&A Financial Programs, Inc. and HE Hill, Inc.)

Parcel Identification Number: 1-32-44-25-A00-0088.0100

Property Address: 125 S. Romero Street, Clewiston, FL 33440

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Table with columns: CERT. NO., YEAR, DESCRIPTION, NAME IN WHICH ASSESSED. Row 1: 3856, 2010, 4104329-020000A0020, Anita Jagernauth

Tract A, Block 2181, PORT LABELLE UNIT 2, a subdivision according to the plat thereof recorded in Plat Book 3, Pages 60 thru 72, Public Records of Hendry County, Florida, LESS the following described parcel:

Beginning at the Northwesterly corner of said Tract "A" at a point on the Southerly right-of-way line of S.W. Eucalyptus Boulevard being the tangent end of curve; thence S 84 degrees 12' 27" E, along said Southerly right-of-way line and the North line of said Tract "A", 583.10 feet; thence S 05 degrees 47' 33" W, 350.01 feet to the South line of said Tract "A"; thence N 84 degrees 12' 27" W, along said South line, 569.55 feet to a point on the West line of said Tract "A" and the beginning of a non-tangent curve to the right on the East right-of-way line of N.W. Beachwood Circle; thence Northerly along said East right-of-way line along the arc of said curve with a radius of 1060.00 feet, a central angle of 15 degrees 29' 55" and a chord of 285.55 feet, bearing N 01 degree 57' 25"; 286.73 feet, to the tangent end of said curve; thence N 05 degrees 47' 33" E, along said East right-of-way line of N.W. Beachwood Circle, 41.76 feet to the Point-of-Beginning of a tangent curve to the right; thence along the arc of said curve to the right; thence along the arc of said curve having a radius of 25.00 feet, a central angle of 90 degrees 00' 00" and a chord of 35.36 feet bearing N 50 degrees 47' 33" E, 39.

Public Notice

NOTICE: AUCTION on Friday October 17th, 2014 at 9:00 a. m. at 1233 N. W. Avenue L, Belle Glade, Florida

Grab a bargain from your neighbor's garage, attic, basement or closet in today's classifieds.

Get a quick response to any item you may be selling with a classified ad.

Public Notice

PORT LABELLE COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT
A vacancy has occurred on the Board of Supervisors of the Port LaBelle Community Development District.

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Reading a newspaper helps you understand the world around you. No wonder newspaper readers are more successful people!

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When doing those chores is doing you in, it's time to look for a helper in the classifieds.

Public Notice

Community Briefs

Join bicycle ride

Join members of the Caloosahatchee River Citizens Association (Riverwatch) on their eighteenth annual bicycle ride along the Caloosahatchee River, Sunday, November 9, 2014.

You can register one of three ways: Go to www.CRCA.Caloosahatchee.org to register online and make your payment with PayPal or download the registration form from fill out and mail in your registration.

Contact name: Keith Kibbey, CRCA event organizer E-mail: RiverRide2014@Caloosahatchee.org Web site: www.CRCA.Caloosahatchee.org

Gardeners to meet

The LaBelle Garden Club will meet Monday, October 27, at 7 p.m. at the Dallas Townsend Center at 1085 Pratt Blvd. in LaBelle. The speaker will be Stephen Brown, the Horticulture Agent with the Lee County Extension Service speaking on flowering plants and bushes.

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# Community Briefs

## Hendry County City Farm Tours

We are looking for business booster items (pens, notepads, koozies, coupons etc.) to help promote Hendry County. We will be putting these items in bags for everyone who attends any of the 11 Mini Farm Tours starting in October. We want to encourage people to come back and visit Hendry County. The Mini Farm Tours are sponsored by: UF/IFAS Hendry County Extension Office, Hendry Co. Board of County Commissioners, City of LaBelle, Greater LaBelle Chamber of Commerce, Hendry/Glades Farm Bureau, and Hendry County Cattlemen. If you would like to donate items for the tours or would like more information on the tours please contact the Greater LaBelle Chamber of Commerce office @ 863-675-0125 or lchamberofcomm@embarqmail.com.

## 2015 Relay for Life

The 2015 Relay for Life Event in LaBelle will be held on Saturday, April 11, from 11 a.m.-11 p.m. This will be the first year for a 12-hour event all within Saturday. Leading up to the Relay will be many exciting events and fundraisers. You are invited to become involved by being on a team or helping in the planning and development of the 2015 Relay.

This year's Relay coordinators are Tracy Miller and Ellen Woosley. Anyone interested in participating with the Relay in any way, please call Tracy at 863-673-4952.

## Statewide pesticide pick up

Operation Clewmsweep is a mobile pesticide collection program that provides a safe way to dispose of cancelled, suspended and unusable pesticides at no cost for the first 500 pounds for:

Farms/groves, Greenhouses, Nurseries, Forestry, Pest Control Services and Golf Courses. Pesticide manufacturers/distributors can participate at the contracted rate. Pick up is free. For more information contact Shannon Turner at Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services, toll free 877-851-5285 or email: [CLEANSWEEP@FRESHFROMFLORIDA.com](mailto:CLEANSWEEP@FRESHFROMFLORIDA.com). Check the Cleansweep website: [www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/cleansweep-pesticides/](http://www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/cleansweep-pesticides/)

## MCA October events

October 16, Thursday, will be a MEET and GREET the Candidates. Starting at 7 p.m., the 4 Glades County Candidates running for the County Commission will have the opportunity to speak. Immediately following refreshments will be served. Come out for an informative evening.

No Jam Session on the 4th Sat. for this month only. Jam Sessions are usually the 2nd and 4th Saturday of the month. Everyone is welcome to come and play. All events are open to the public and held at the Muse Community Center Bldg. on Loblolly Bay Road (Hwy. 720). Come out for a fun evening and meet your neighbors. Refreshments will be served. For further information call 863-674-0467.

## Widows to meet

The Widows Support Group will meet October 16 at Contreras Mexican Restaurant at 11:30 a.m. All widows welcome.

## Legion Auxiliary plans

Friday Fish Fry: Every Friday the American Legion Post 130 hosts the Fish Fry with fish fixed 'your way', cole slaw and baked potato or French fries, plus coffee or tea for \$8.00. (Crab cakes and fried chicken are also available.) Desserts available for \$1.00. Come support the American Legion to help our local veterans. Located on W SR 80 across from the Shell Station. 863-675-8300.

Sunday breakfast: The American Legion Post 130 serves a buffet breakfast the 1st & 3rd Sundays from 8 - 11 a.m. for \$7.00. Located on W SR 80 across from the Shell Station. 863-675-8300

Rummage & Bake Sale: The American Legion Auxiliary is hosting a Rummage & Bake Sale, Saturday, November 1st from 7am - 1pm at American Legion Post 130, SR 80 West across from the Shell Station. Donations are welcome at any time prior to the sale. Please drop them off at Post, 863-675-8300. All proceeds will benefit Auxiliary programs and veterans.

Baked Ham Dinner: The American Legion Auxiliary will be hosting a dinner on Saturday, November 15th from 5-7pm. (or until run out!) \$8.00 - Menu is baked ham, sweet potato soufflé, scalloped potatoes, corn, dessert. coffee & tea. The Public is Welcome! American Legion Post 130, SR 80 West, LaBelle across from Shell Station.

## VFW news

Burgers every Saturday from 11:00 to 1:30 and Bingo every Sunday at 2:00.

Remember VFW Post 10100 will pay the initial membership fee for Armed Forces personnel serving in harm's way or recently discharged. Post 10100 is also the home post of AMVETS Post 2012. All honorably discharged veterans are eligible for AMVETS membership.

Come to VFW Post 10100 and enjoy Karaoke with "2 Sharps" on Friday, October 17, at 5:00. Please bring a covered dish.

## DAV flea market

Come out every Saturday to the Disabled American Veterans flea market, off Martin Luther King Blvd. Lots of deals - lots of items - lots of fun! Call 239-728-5332.

## Woman's Club bazaar coming up

Artists, crafters and various vendors are wanted for the LaBelle Woman's Club's annual Winter Bazaar Saturday, November 22, 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Spaces available inside and out, first come, first served. email Sherry Mead for more information: sherry.meade@yahoo.com. Proceeds will benefit local community projects and scholarships.

## Join car club

All muscle, antique, classic, import car and truck owners and enthusiasts are invited

to join the South Central Florida Car Club. Dues just \$5 per year. Monthly cruise-ins the third Tuesday of each month September-June at Barron Park 5-8 p.m. (October 21). Contact Tom Corbitt at 863-234-8343 or Bud Beers at 863-634-1791.

## Fight breast cancer

October is National Breast Cancer Month and Hendry Regional is offering discounted digital mammogram screenings (October only). Call 863-902-3061 to schedule an appointment.

## Back by special request!

### Genealogy series

Don't forget next Tuesday night is the much requested lecture on Genealogical Road Blocks and Dead Ends given by Bryan Mulcahy from Lee County Library System.. Spread the word, this is an excellent lecture and not one to be missed. GFWC LaBelle Community Woman's Club, 10-21-14, 6:30 8:00 p.m. Below is the calendar for the LaBelle Woman's Club's Genealogy Series. The lectures are a \$10.00 donation to the club, and refreshments will be available for a donation. Please call me at 863-673-1144 or email noel\_tina@hotmail.com for reser-

vations and questions.

Tuesday, October 21, 6:30-8 p.m. Overcoming Research Roadblocks

Tuesday, November 18, 6:30-8 p.m. Immigration and Ship Passenger Lists

Tuesday, December 16, 6:30-8 p.m. Naturalization Process

## Guided walk

Mark your Calendar for a visit and guided walk at the Archbold Biological Station on Friday November 7, 2014 from 9 a.m. to noon. Carpool from Barron Park (Bridge Street on river in LaBelle. at 7:30 a.m. or meet at Archbold at 8:45 a.m., \$4 each. Bring picnic lunch. Limit: 25 participants. Contact Margaret England for reservation. Phone or text: 863-517-0202 or e-mail melighthouse@embarqmail.com Hendry-Glades Audubon: [www.hendrygladesaudubon.org](http://www.hendrygladesaudubon.org)

Archbold Biological Station is located at 123 Main Dr Venus, FL 33960.

## Three cows found

Three cows have been found in the vicinity of SR 27 near Clewiston. If you have lost any cows, please contact the Ag Unit at 863.674.0412 or 863.805.5000.

# LABELLE AREA BUSINESS & SERVICE DIRECTORY

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<h2 style="margin: 0;">HUNTERS TREE SERVICE</h2> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Tree Trimming &amp; Removal</li> <li>• Stump Grinding</li> <li>• Shaping &amp; Topping</li> </ul> <p style="font-size: 1.2em; margin: 0;"><b>863-675-0403</b> <small>Licensed and Insured</small></p>	

## ADVERTISING PAYS!

# Lifestyle: Working hard to go from over 400 pounds to 180

by **Patty Brant**  
Caloosa Belle

Being overweight is one of the biggest health dangers today. It can have huge consequences for the individual, family and even the entire community.

Noel Matos is just 45 years old, bright and articulate, talented - and weighs over 400 pounds.

Noel wasn't always obese. In fact, he was athletic and a trim 180 pounds in his early 20s. He was an athletic child, always busy, always working to help his family. Noel describes his early days in book coming out soon, *From Unfit to Ultrafit*, as told to Dr. Kathleen Butler-Lowrie.

In it he describes how he went from a trim, active individual to over 400 pounds. In his teens and 20s, Noel was involved in sports like softball and led an active lifestyle. His battle with weight began after his broth-

er died of cancer. Depression took hold of him in March 1992, and sent him on a lifestyle of binge eating and poor life habits. He became disabled in a fall at work. He was 22 years old.

He has difficulty breathing and walking. He developed Type II Diabetes, sleep apnea and high blood pressure. He tried a lap band in December 2010 but it didn't work. Last January he suffered a heart attack. That's when he decided to change his lifestyle.

Searching for the help he needed, Noel found Dr. Michael Soler, a bariatrician (a physician who works with weight loss) who practices in Miami and Puerto Rico.

Noel signed on for his vitamin Soler MIC UltraFit Diet Program. Noel credits Dr. Soler with getting him back on a healthy lifestyle. Using Dr. Soler's kit, he learned how important portion control is in maintaining a healthy diet. For 14 years he has practiced in San Juan and Miami, developing his alter-

nate weight loss system, based on a vitamin formula using three lipotropic amino acids that he said, with diet and exercise, allows the body to burn more fat reserves.

Using the system, augmented by his own sacrifice and hard work, Noel lost 75 pounds in just 90 day - from 440 pounds to 374 - and that's just the beginning.

You can check out Dr. Soler at his website: [drsolermic.com](http://drsolermic.com) website Dr. Soler is on a weekly TV show Munda Fox, You Tube and may be seen on Oprah before too long.

Noel works out daily. Because of his size, the pool offers his best exercise. Noel spends three or four hours daily swimming. He worked his way up from barely making several laps to hours of exercise using snorkel and fins.

The pool is a great place to exercise, but Noel is adamant that you can exercise anywhere - sitting, in bed, in a car and do it all at home without ever setting foot in a gym if you don't want to.

He also advises eating "from the earth" not a box or can and cutting out sugar and processed foods. Emphasize veggies, fruit, whole wheat, almond milk and water. Remember you need protein to build muscle to replace some of that fat your hard work will melt off. It's a matter of rebalancing your metabolism, he said.

He warns that beginning any weight loss regime is the hardest part because people tend to make excuses for themselves: proper food costs too much; the gym is expen-

sive; I don't have the time.

He also advises that you know what you consume and what you burn off.

A good one hour workout in the pool will burn 500 calories, A three-hour session burns 1,500 calories. If he takes in 1,400 calories per day, he's burning more than he's consumed.

Noel would like the community to realize that obesity also has side effects for the community including decreased productivity and increased health care costs

Noel's ultimate goal is to get back to 180 pounds. He is so excited about his new lifestyle, he wants to share it with everyone and would love it if you would friend him on Facebook page at [no.ma.5074](https://www.facebook.com/no.ma.5074) page or Twitter on [fitnessforlife@ultrafit2014](https://twitter.com/fitnessforlife@ultrafit2014).

"There's no reason to be obese," he states. There are sports, parks, places to walk - you just have to get out and do it. Most people can do it, he said, by investing your money in the most important thing: yourself. Don't buy material things.

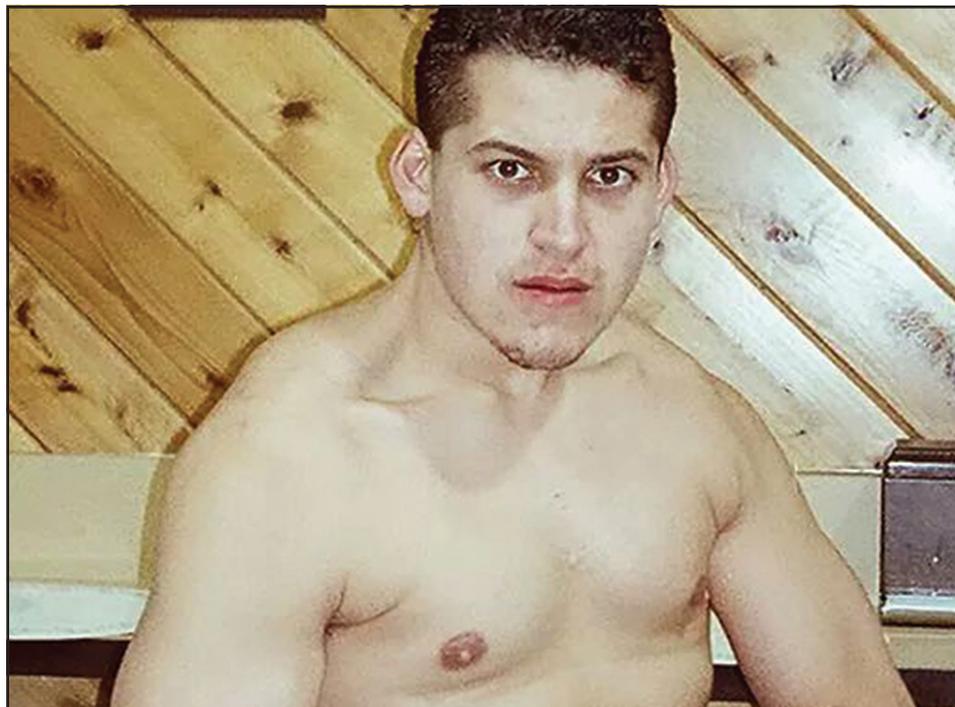
In addition to his book, Noel is planning to make a DVD workout video to share his passion for a healthy lifestyle. For Noel, not eating healthy and exercising is just not an option. "No excuses," he says. Losing the weight will change your life.



Submitted photos

ABOVE: Noel Matos at over 400 pounds.

BELOW: At 22, Noel was fit and healthy.



**VAMOS A TRATAR DE SER  
EL EQUIPO GANADOR RECICLANDO TODO  
POSIBLE!**

El condado de Hendry se enorgullece de estar en el puesto número 3 de los 67 condados del estado de la Florida reciclado total. Nuestro objetivo es el ser #1 en el Estado de Florida, y para lograrlo necesitamos su ayuda. La gestión de la división de Residuos Especiales de distritos, en colaboración con nuestros residuos transportista progresivo, ha proporcionado el reciclaje los contenedores para su uso en los estadios de fútbol. Coloque plástico, papeles, cartonés, metales y latas de aluminio en los cubos. Cada esfuerzo cuenta. Ayudar al Condado de Hendry County ser # 1!

Por favor, no hay basura o comida en los contenedores del reciclaje.



# Zac Reyna Memorial Playground Grand Opening

The Hendry-LaBelle Recreation Department is planning the Nov. 8th grand opening of the Zachary Reyna Memorial Playground Grand Opening.

- We will be having:
- Basketball Tournament - Sign up at the Rec. Department
  - Soccer Tournament
  - Games like flag football, & kickball
  - Playground will be open to the public
  - Walk-a-thon with Zachary Reyna Memorial Playground T-Shirts
  - Food (Full breakfast for the early morning, tacos for lunch)
  - Water Slides and bounce Houses
  - Music

Please come help the Hendry LaBelle Recreation Board raise money to finish paying for the playground.

Fun starts at 8 a.m. and will continue until 4 p.m.



Caloosa Belle/Patty Brant Mel Karau makes the first donation to the fund as Margrent England looks on.

## Info on nursing from NOVA

Nova Southeastern University – College of Nursing Entry Level Nursing Information Sessions Fort Myers Campus Open House Learn more about NSU Entry Level Bachelor's Degree in Nursing Face to Face Open House Thursday, October 23 from Noon - 3:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.- 8:00 p.m. Virtual Information Sessions Thursday, October 23, at 7:00 p.m.

http://www.nova.edu/maincampusnursing/; http://www.nova.edu/nursing/index.html#. For more information contact: Susan Holland – Program Director (239) 274-3088 3650 Colonial Court, Suite 421 Fort Myers, FL 33913.

# Handpicked HOMES

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**MANUFACTURED HOMES**  
**\$59,900** - Country living - Spacious 4BR/2BA on 1/2 ac.  
**\$69,900** - 3/2 in Moore Haven Yacht Club 1200 Sq Ft.  
**\$70,000** - 3/1 home with lots of potential. Located on 1.5+ acres in quiet neighborhood.  
**\$113,000** - 3/2 home on 2.54 ac. Beautiful oaks and room for horses.

**HOMES**  
**\$59,000** - OLDER home 3/1 with in-ground pool & out-building/workshop on 1 ac in the city. New A/C, fenced.  
**\$79,000** - 2/2 Villa over looking Port LaBelle Marina. Features a split floor plan and new A/C.  
**\$89,900** - 2/2 completely remodeled condo with 1,020 sq. ft. Includes a deeded carport.  
**\$97,500** - Quiet dead-end street. Remodeled 3/2 w/screened lanai.  
**\$109,900** - CBS 3/2 home on .80 ac. in the city. Carport is enclosed. Garage attached, plus property features a shed/workshop.

**EXECUTIVE HOMES**  
**\$238,500** - Riverfront Foreclosure - 3/2 pool home with over 1,300 sq. ft workshop/garage.  
**\$259,900** - Riverfront 3/2 w/ oversized pool, new appliances & A/C. Granite countertops & more.  
**\$268,500** - 4/3 deep water dockage - fully equipped, many upgrades, fenced pet area, RV parking and storage.  
**\$399,000** - Beautiful Riverbend Estates home with long range river views. Very unique layout. Club amenities. Boat dock included.  
**\$609,000** - Riverfront pool home on 6.5 acres. Loads of features inside and out, including 2 docks plus boat basin. Upgraded appliances and much more.

**UNDER CONTRACT**  
**\$120,000** - 4/2 CBS home with many upgrades. Located in Port LaBelle.  
**\$220,000** - Exceptionally constructed home. With 3 car garage on 4.4 acres.

**UNDER CONTRACT**  
**\$135,000** - 2/2 home on 2.26+/- acre in Montura Ranch Estates.  
**\$151,900** - Immaculate! Move in ready 3/2 on 1.25+/- ac. in Montura Ranch Estates.  
**\$53,000** - 2/1 on 1.25+/- acre in Montura Ranch Estates.  
**\$45,000** - Great Investment Opportunity! 4/2 on 2.49+/- acres in Muse. Needs some TLC.  
**\$32,500** - 3/2 2000 manufactured home in Moore Haven Yacht Club. Features

CHECK OUT ALL OUR LISTINGS ONLINE

**Belle Realty Co.**  
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 Terri Banky - Lic. Real Estate Broker

Associates: Shary Weckwerth, Sandra Alexander, Lisa Andrews, Micah Mims and Deborah Rodriguez

Call a local leader in real estate sales to ensure your home sells quickly at a favorable price!

**SOLD**  
 PICTURE IT  
**SOLD!**

**MOBILE HOMES**  
 • Country Living! 3/2 manufactured home on 3.61+/- acres outside LaBelle. Features spacious rooms, fire place, above ground pool, storage sheds and much more. **\$135,000.**  
 • 4/2 Manufactured home on 2.26+/- acres in Montura Ranch Estates. **\$51,900.**  
 • Immaculate! Move in ready 3/2 on 1.25+/- ac. in Montura Ranch Estates. **\$53,000.**  
 • 2/1 on 1.25+/- acre in Montura Ranch Estates. **\$45,000.**  
 • Great Investment Opportunity! 4/2 on 2.49+/- acres in Muse. Needs some TLC. **\$32,500.**  
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1,736+/- sq. ft. area, oversized carport, dining room and much more. **\$29,000.**  
 • 2/2 on 28+/- acres in Clewis. **UNDER CONTRACT** at \$22,900.  
**Call about our vacant land!**

**LOTS**  
 • Room for horses and relaxed country living 26.53+/- **\$225,930.**  
 • .29 +/- acre in Belmont S/D. Priced to sell at only **\$33,150.** Possible seller financing.  
**UNDER CONTRACT** at \$39,000.  
**Call about our Pt LaBelle lots!**

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 Associates - Delia Miners, Gladys Dieguez, Neal Livingston, Tim Gonzalez & Hugo Vargas  
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**FINALLY, PLENTY OF ROOM** for your boat, RV or any other toys at this updated manufactured home on almost 2 acres. Experience the joys of cooking in this well equipped kitchen featuring Corian countertops with the blended sink, Stainless appliances, a walk in pantry and laminate floors complete the package. Relax outdoors in the large screened porch overlooking the large yard with plenty of room for your own vegetable garden. A newer metal roof and air conditioning system round this home out to be a winner! Give a call, Take a look. YOU WILL BE GLAD YOU DID **\$120,000.**

RENTAL: 3BR/2BA/1 car partially fenced lot with a great view. \$900/Month.

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CHECK THIS WEEKS FEATURED LISTINGS....

**LABELLE RANCHETTES** - Perfect as a vacant home-site or farming **\$106,000.**  
**MUSE** - Private and secluded 30 acre parcel **\$285,000.**  
**FELDA** - LOOKING FOR FERTILE FARM LAND or for a special project on these 344.75 acres **\$1,654,800.**  
**FT. DENAUD** - 2.09 Acres with large beautiful oak trees near the Caloosahatchee River **\$49,900.**

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## RECIPE OF THE WEEK!

From Southern Heritage Real Estate

### CHOCOLATE FROSTING

- 1 cup of sugar
- 5 tablespoons butter
- 1/3 cup milk
- 1 1/2 cups semisweet chocolate chips



**DIRECTIONS**  
 Combine the the chocolate chips until smooth. Pour sugar, butter and over the cake. milk in a saucepan. Bring to a boil; boil for 1 minute, stirring constantly. Remove from the heat. Stir in

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### LMS August Students of the Month

L to R Back Row: Jaden Baridges (6th); Travis Gayle (7th); Rayquan Futch (8th)  
L to R Front Row: Laelynn Bottoms (6th); Karem Juarez (7th); not pictured Ashley Marquez



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### LMS September Students of the Month

L to R Back Row: Harvey Barr (6th); Erik Cruz (7th); Ramon Figureoa (8th). L to R Front Row: Yahaira Reyes (6th); Chloe Horton (7th); Maddie Lofton (8th)



## LET'S TACKLE WASTE & CONTAMINATION BY RECYCLING LIKE THE WINNING TEAM WE ARE!

Hendry County is proud to be ranked #3 out of the 67 Counties in the State of Florida for total recycling. Our goal is to be #1 in the State of Florida, but we need your help. The Waste Management Division of Special Districts, in collaboration with our waste hauler Progressive Waste, has provided recycling containers for your use at the Football Stadiums. Please place your plastic, paper, cardboard, metal & aluminum cans in these bins. Every effort counts. Help make Hendry County #1!

Please, no garbage or food items in the recycle containers.



## VISION FOR HENDRY COUNTY

We want to become an economic jewel, creating diverse opportunities, promoting quality of life for all generations.

Growing a county is very competitive. There are 3,141 other counties in the U.S. that are also striving to succeed.

We must promote our positive attributes and find solutions to our challenges better than anyone else.

This is how we will enhance our competitiveness.

If we can be aggressive in retaining existing business and bringing new businesses and jobs to Hendry County then the quality of life will increase. The tax base will increase without increasing your taxes and families will be better off which means our schools will be better off.

When this happens homes get built, new residents move in and retail follows the rooftops.

With all of this comes new tax revenue to better care for the citizens. This means new parks, infrastructure, recreation, youth activities and in general more things to do for families right here in Hendry County.

Improved opportunities for all Hendry County adults is critical for them to enhance the lives of their children. This will create enhanced economic conditions, better schools, less poverty, less crime and an overall better quality of life for existing citizens and new citizens/families that decide Hendry County would be a great place to create a better life.

**I will be honored to continue "to work for you" as the District 2 County Commissioner. Thank you for your continued support and confidence in me.**

*Darrell Harris*

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