

# OVIDO *Florida* In the News

"The best place to Live, Work and Play!"

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### Future Council Meeting Dates:

- June 1, 2015 CC Meeting 6:30pm
- June 15, 2015 CC Meeting 6:30pm
- June 22, 2015 Budget Worksession 5:30pm
- July 6, 2015 CC Meeting 6:30pm

All Oviedo City Council meetings are held in Council Chambers at Oviedo City Hall, 400 Alexandria Boulevard. As always, the public is invited and encouraged to attend the meetings.

**Do you have a request for the City?** You can go to the City Website at the address below and let us know your request.  
<http://www.cityofoviedo.net/node/1223>

## "News To Keep You In The Know"

### RECREATION & PARKS DEPARTMENT:

**Summer Adult Basketball:** For information call 407-971-5565. Registration for Adult Basketball for the Summer is ongoing and ends June 12.

Registration for **Summer Camps (Volleyball Camp and the elementary age group at Club Riverside)** continues. There are a few spots remaining at these two camps. Both the Gym & Aquatic Center and Riverside Park will be available to take registrations for all programs. Online registration is available, as well. For more information call 407-971-5575.

The weather's getting warmer and the **Splash Zone and the Big Kahuna** are now open 7 days a week starting June 1! Hours are: M-F Big Kahuna: 6am - 8pm; Splash Zone: Noon to 4pm, Saturday: Big Kahuna: 7am - 5pm; Splash Zone: 12 - 5pm and Sunday: Both Pools are open from 12 - 6pm. Call 407-971-5567 for more information.

Would your little one like to have his or her birthday at the **Splash Zone**? Birthday party registration is in full swing and dates are on a first come, first serve basis, they are available on Friday evenings and Saturday evenings from 6-8:30 pm and on Saturday mornings from 9-11:30 am. You can call 407-971-5567 for more information and availability.

The new **Junior Lifeguard** program registration is available on the Blue Team only (7-8:30 am). Program starts June 8th and completes on August 15th. Call 407-971-5584 for more information.

The **SNAP** program is designed for those with special needs. All participants must be accompanied by a companion to enjoy the fun and games, craft time, bingo and more. Club meetings will be on Wednesdays from 2pm - 4pm at Riverside Park (1600 Lockwood Blvd). There is a minimal cost to attend for the participant only. For information call Jenette McKinney at 407-971-5591.

### **Everybody in the water, it's time to learn to swim!**

**Would anyone who participates in the SNAP program like to learn to swim?** The City is offering a new program designed to teach special needs folks how to swim. Call Jenette for more information at 407-971-5591.

How about the little ones? Swim with the **Barracudas**? Registration information is available, Call 407-971-5591.

# Are You Ready for Hurricane Season??

Hurricane season starts **June 1** and now is Hurricane Preparedness Week. Are you ready? Here's some tips to help make your preparation effortless. A few simple steps can assure your family is well prepared for a hurricane and make your family's recovery from the storm much easier.



Things to do:

## ‡ Before the Storm

- Monitor weather updates
- Assist family and neighbors with storm preparations
- Make arrangements for pets
- Take care of medical/personal needs—Medications for a minimum of 2 weeks, first aid kit, baby diapers, bar soap & shampoo, personal toiletries, paper towels & paper plates, plastic eating utensils, mosquito repellent and CASH

Install Storm Protection on the exterior of your home— This may include applying shutters to windows, strengthening garage door, trimming trees around home, securing objects from outdoors, acquiring tarps, plastic rolls, nails, wood strips for covering roof after damage occurs, acquiring portable generators and reserve fuel for backup power.

- Gather necessary supplies for a 7 day period— An estimated 1 gallon of water per day per family member, non alcoholic beverages, canned foods and dried foods, snacks, fruit, snack bars, peanut butter and jelly, crackers, cereal, baby food and formula, special dietary foods, ice and pet food.
- Other items that you may need: insurance paperwork, manual can opener, weather alert radio, battery power radio, portable grill, flashlights and spare batteries, matches, fire extinguisher, portable cooler, Ice.
- Stash your stuff in something that will stay dry, a large plastic tote with a good fitting top.
- Evacuate to a shelter or stay with family/friends if you reside in a mobile home

## ‡ During the Storm

- Monitor weather updates
- Relocate to secure area of your home
- Do not attempt repairs to your home during the storm
- Stay away from windows
- Books and games/toys for the kids
- Evacuation at this point is not possible



## ‡ After the Storm

- Monitor weather updates and special emergency management information
- Avoid going outside until public safety personnel can survey the areas for hazards such as down power lines and dangerous leaning or falling trees.
- Stay off roads
- Comply with curfew restrictions
- Document damage to your home
- Contact your insurance carrier
- Begin home repairs only if they can be performed safely
- Assist family and neighbors, Utility restoration is a high priority
- Power outage survey and damage assessment will be underway
- Be patient there are lots of folks in this situation with you
- Call 911 ONLY for true emergencies

**Remember: the best way to make your family and home safer is to be prepared before a disaster happens.**



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 Pre-purchase wrist bands at Riverside Park or Aquatic Center



Anybody out there who graduated from Oviedo High School in 1995? The Class of '95 is holding a 20 year reunion on June 12th and 13th! If

you have questions you can visit:  
[www.OHS1995.com](http://www.OHS1995.com) for tickets or send an email to: [OviedoHigh95@yahoo.com](mailto:OviedoHigh95@yahoo.com).

# "Dive-In Movie"

Presented by:



When:

Wednesday, June 3, 2015

Gates open at 7:30pm

Movie starts at 8:30pm

Cost:

\$10 for swimmers, in water viewing

\$5 for non-swimmers, designated area on pool deck

Tickets may be purchased at the Gymnasium and Aquatic Facility Front desk.



Where:

Oviedo Aquatic Facility

148 Oviedo Blvd.

Oviedo, FL 32765

\*No Floatation devices\*

## "Swimming in the Right Direction!"

Share Your Story. Share Your Power. Save Lives.

# BLOOD DRIVE

"I realized I could make a difference in my community by encouraging others to donate blood."  
 Raye — Okeechobee, Florida

NOT ALL HEROES WEAR CAPES

Donate blood or platelets two times between May 1 - August 31, 2015 and be entered to WIN a TV, iPad or an Apple Watch. A total of 20 prizes will be given! Visit [oneblood.org/RFromYou](http://oneblood.org/RFromYou) for details and official rules.



**OVIDEO GYM AND AQUATIC CENTER**  
**Saturday, June 13, 2015**  
**10:00 AM - 3:00 PM**

OVIDEO GYM AND AQUATIC CENTER BLOOD DRIVE!  
 All donors will receive a voucher for a FREE MOVIE TICKET and a wellness checkup including blood pressure, temperature, iron count, pulse and cholesterol screening!

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